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TYPES OF INJURIES

INCIDENCE AND ASSOCIATED DISABILITY

INTRODUCTION

During the 4-year period from July 1957 through June 1961, an estimated annual average of 48.2 million injuries occurred among 45.7 million injured persons in the civilian, noninstitutional population of the United States. This difference in the incidence of injuries and the number of persons injured means that a maximum of 2.5 million persons, or 5 percent of the total number of persons injured, had more than one injury per accident. The injuries are exclusive of minor injuries that did not require medical attention or result in the restriction of usual daily activities for as much as 1 day.

The above estimates are based on information collected in households during this period by the Health Interview Survey, National Center for Health Statistics. During the course of the interview, the injury experience of each member of the household was obtained; no attempt was made to determine the number of separate accidents that had occurred. Since more than one person may receive bodily injury in a single accident, or an accident may cause no injury or only minor injuries, the above estimates of the numbers of injuries and persons injured cannot be considered as statistics on the number of accidents.

Five recent reports in the Health Statistics from the U.S. National Health Survey series present information about persons injured in various classes of accidents: Series B, Nos. 37 and 40, the average annual experience during July 1959-June 1961; Series B, No. 39, persons injured in the home; Series B, No. 41, persons injured while at work; and Series B, No. 42, persons injured in motor vehicle accidents.

SOURCE AND LIMITATIONS OF DATA

The information contained in this report is derived from household interviews conducted by the Bureau of the Census on behalf of the National Health Survey in a probability sample of the civilian population of the United States exclusive of the population in institutions. During each week of the year, a representative sample of the households of the Nation is interviewed. During the 208-week period July 1957-June 1961, these continuing samples totaled about 149,000 households with approximately 485,000 members living at the

The major emphasis in this report is placed on the incidence of selected types of injury which have occurred during the 4-year period covered by the report. The use of data collected during the 4 years of combined samples of the Health Interview Survey contributed materially to the stability of the estimates of average annual incidence. A limited amount of data is presented on the average annual number of days of reduced activity and days spent in bed as a result of current injuries lasting less than 3 months.

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time of the interview. The information about the health status of household members was provided by adults reporting either about their own experience or about other closely related members of the family.

A description of the design of the survey, methods used in estimation, and general qualifications of the data obtained from surveys is presented in Appendix I. Since estimates shown in this report are based on a sample of the population rather than on the entire population, they are subject to sampling error. Therefore, particular attention should be directed to the section entitled "Reliability of Estimates." Although the sampling errors for most of the estimates are of relatively low magnitude, the sampling error may be high when an estimated number or the numerator or the denominator of a rate or percentage is small. Charts of relative sampling errors and instructions for their use are presented in Appendix I.

Certain terms used in this report are defined in Appendix II. Since many of the terms have specialized meanings for the purpose of the survey, the reader is advised to familiarize himself with these definitions. For example, the current injuries discussed here are those conditions of the type classified to the nature of injury code numbers N800-N999 in the International Classification of Diseases and which have lasted less than 3 months. In addition to fractures, burns, and so forth, commonly thought of as injuries, the category also includes effects of exposure (e.g., sunburn), poisonings, and adverse reactions to immunizations.

Information about injuries was obtained from the illness-recall questions 11-17 (see Appendix III for a facsimile of the questionnaire used during July 1960-June 1961). More detailed information about the nature of the injury was entered in Table I of the questionnaire. In addition, the number of disability days associated with the injury during the 2-week period prior to the week of interview was obtained. The interviewer also asked the questions shown in Table A of the questionnaire to obtain other facts relating to the accident and the injury.

Annual estimates of the incidence of injuries are based on injuries occurring in the 2-week period prior to the week of interview. Annual

estimates of days of disability due to current injury are derived from the number of disability days experienced during the 2-week-reference period and include all such days reported, even if the injury causing the disability occurred between 2 weeks and 3 months prior to the interview week and was still bothering the person during the 2-week-reference period. The number of disability days due to current injuries excludes those days due to the present effects of injuries occurring prior to the 3-month period since residual effects of these earlier injuries are classified as chronic impairments.

As mentioned earlier, the injuries referred to in this report are current injuries which have required medical attention or caused reduction of usual activities for at least a day. Since the survey includes data only on persons alive at the time of the household interview, injuries experienced and disability incurred during the 2-week period by persons who died prior to the interview are excluded from the statistics. Also excluded is the injury experience of persons who were not members of the civilian, noninstitutional population at the time of the interview. However, current disability days caused by injuries lasting less than 3 months which were sustained while a person was institutionalized or a member of the Armed Forces are included in the estimates if the person had become a household member by the time of the interview.

Eight types of injury plus an "all other" group are presented in this report. A list of these categories with corresponding code numbers from the International Classification of Diseases (1955 Revision) is given below. It will be noted that a group of rubrics included in N800-N999 are not shown in the list of code numbers. These are: N871. N886-N888. N896-N898. N995. N999.3-N999.5. The conditions represented by these rubrics are enucleation of eye, traumatic amputation of extremity or portion thereof, and complications of trauma. For the purposes of the survey, enucleation of eye and traumatic amputation are coded as impairments rather than as current injuries. The complications of injury are not coded, but the original injury is included in the incidence of current injuries.

<u>Injury</u>	ICD Code Numbers
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.	N800, N801, N803, N850- N856
Other fractures and dislocations Fracture of femur Other fractures	N802, N804-N839 N820, N821 N802, N804-N819, N823- N829
Dislocations	N830-N839
Sprains and strains of back	N846, N847
Other sprains and strains	N840-N845, N848
Lacerations and abrasions	N870, N872-N885, N890-N895, N900-N918
Contusions	N920-N929
Burns	N940-N949
Adverse effects or medical/surgical procedures	N997, N998, N999.0- N999.2
All other current injuries Poisonings Other current injuries	N860-N869, N930-N936, N950-N994, N996 N960-N979 N860-N869, N930-N936, N950-N959, N980-N994,

The content of several of these groups needs further explanation. The group skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c., excludes fracture of the face bones (N802), dislocation of jaw (N830), laceration and abrasion of eye and face (N870, N871, N872, N879, N904, N905, N907, N910), contusions of eye and face (N920, N921), foreign body involving head (N930-N932), and burns of head or face (N940, N941, N946, N948). Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures includes, for the most part, adverse reactions to vaccinations, inoculations, and transfusions, as well as complications of nontherapeutic and therapeutic medical and surgical procedures. These inclusions should be kept in mind in interpreting the data. Adverse effects often result from hypersensitivity of the individual to a properly administered therapeutic or prophylactic product. Therefore, it is not surprising that

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a very high proportion of these effects occur among children under the age of 15—the ages at which vaccinations and inoculations are most frequent. As would be expected from the nature of many of these cases and from the age distribution, the average duration of disability is lower than for most other types of injuries.

MEASURES OF EFFECT OF INJURY

The incidence of injuries, as defined for the National Health Survey, includes only those injuries which required medical attention or caused at least 1 day of reduced activity. These limiting criteria may be considered as actions measuring the effect of the injury on the individual. Other such actions are: requiring bed stay, requiring hospitalization, and combinations of these actions.

About 83 percent of the annual average of 48.2 million injuries included in the total incidence resulted in medical attention; about 59 percent necessitated that the injured person cut down on his usual activities for at least a day (table A). Approximately 20.1 million injuries, or 42 percent of the total, required both medical attention and activity restriction (tables 1 and 2). About 24 percent of all injuries caused the individual to spend at least 1 day in bed; included with these bed disabling injuries were 5 percent of the total which necessitated hospitalization.

Examination of table A gives some impression of the relative effect of specific types of injury on the person. Other fractures and dislocations had the highest percentage of the injuries medically attended and required a much greater percent of hospitalization than the other condition groups. Lacerations and abrasions and burns, on the average, caused less reduction in daily activities than any of the other categories.

If a comparison is made of these measures of effect of injury for males and females, it can be seen that a lower proportion of injuries sustained by females were medically attended, but a higher proportion caused activity restriction, including bed stay (table 2). These phenomena appear contradictory, but may be accounted for by a mixture of relatively minor injuries and more severe

Table A. Percent of current injuries by measures of effect of injury according to type:
United States, July 1957-June 1961

	Average annual	Measures of effect of injury				
Type of injury	number of current injuries in thousands	Medically attended injuries	Activity restrict- ing injuries	Bed- disabling injuries	Injuries requiring hospitali- zation	
	Percent of total cases					
All injuries	48,164	82.8	59.0	23.5	4.7	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973 2,200 5,323	88.6 93.5 73.6 73.8 89.3 74.4 87.1 81.4 78.8	56.4 72.3 78.5 71.6 43.7 67.2 47.5 63.8 58.4	32.0 32.7 37.4 26.0 13.8 25.1 13.6 37.0 25.9	7.5 18.5 * 2.3 2.7 4.3 *	

NOTE: n.e.c.-not elsewhere classified

injuries. Also, it is likely that a high proportion of injuries sustained by males while at work were medically attended as a result of industrial regulations and of precautionary measures taken by employers to assure lower absenteeism rates caused by complications such as infections. On the other hand, many of the injuries sustained by females at home were not medically attended, but might have caused restriction of usual daily activities.

As age increased, the proportion of medically attended injuries declined, while the proportion of activity restricting injuries increased (tables 3 and 4). A similar increase was noted for injuries resulting in bed disability.

INCIDENCE OF INJURIES BY TYPE

Sex and Age

During the 4-year period July 1957-June 1961, an annual average of approximately 380 million acute illnesses and injuries was experienced by the civilian, noninstitutional population of the United States. Included in this estimate was an average annual incidence of 48 million injuries. The relationship of the incidence of injuries and acute conditions was such that one out of eight of these acute conditions was an injury.

The detailed tables show eight categories of injuries and an "all other" group. Included in these categories are several types of injuries—fracture of femur, other fractures, dislocations, and poisonings-which were shown separately on the original tabulations, but were combined with other categories in the detailed tables because crossclassification according to the variables in these tables would have resulted in estimates having a high sampling error. It is possible, however, to present data for these types of injuries in total and for males and females. From the listing shown in table B, it can be seen that combinations have been made and some idea of the relative contribution of these smaller classes to the combined category can be obtained.

The average incidence rate during the 4-year period, July 1957-June 1961 was 27.8 injuries per

100 persons per year (tables B and 5). Among the categories shown in the detailed tables, the incidence rate was highest for lacerations and abrasions and lowest for burns. Males experienced injuries at a substantially higher rate than did females—the excess in rate amounting to about 44 percent. The sex differential in rate was highest for skull fractures and head injury, with the rate for males about twice that for females.

Among the age groups shown in table 5 the incidence rate for males for all injuries exceeded that for females in each age group except 65 years and over. In this latter age group the injury rate for females was almost twice that for males. A decline in the rate for males 65 years and over is an important factor in explaining the reversal in the sex ratio. However, it is interesting that a similar decrease in rate at older ages was not

Table B. Average annual incidence of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons, by sex and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

Type of injury	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
	Average incidence of injuries in thousands			Number of injuries per 100 persons per year		
All injuries	48,164	27,794	20,370	27.8	33.0	22.9
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c	2,314	1,536	778	1.3	1.8	0.9
Other fractures and dislocations	4,507	2,471	2,037	2.6	2.9	2.3
Fracture of femurOther fracturesDislocations	3,540 846	1,981 467	* 1,558 379	0.1 2.0 0.5	2.4 0.6	* 1.8 0.4
Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/	2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	1,472 3,254 9,588 4,119 1,082	1,089 2,650 5,493 4,182 892	1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	1.7 3.9 11.4 4.9 1.3	1.2 3.0 6.2 4.7 1.0
surgical procedures	2,200	978	1,222	1.3	1.2	1.4
All other current injuries	5,323	3,294	2,028	3.1	3.9	2.3
PoisoningsOther current injuries	822 4,500	524 2,771	299 1,729	0.5 2.6	0.6 3.3	0.3 1.9

NOTE: n.e.c.-not elsewhere classified

noted for females. Instead, the injury rate increased for several categories, notably contusions and other fractures and dislocations.

The report, "Persons Injured by Detailed Type and Class of Accident" (Series B. No. 37 of Health Statistics from the U.S. National Health Survey), for the 2-year period July 1959-June 1961 showed a similar decline in rate for injured males 65 years and over, but there was none for females in this age group. Examination of the tabulations which were the basis for the report shows that the decline in rate for males occurred among those who had retired from the "usually working" category and were no longer subject to the risk of work injuries. About 65 percent of the average male population 65 years and over during the 2-year period were retired persons; during this period the rate of persons injured was 14.5 per 100 retired persons 65 years and over. The rate for "usually working" males 65 years and over was 20.5 per 100 persons. These figures indicate that retirement of males from the working population to a status less subject to the risk of injury accounted for much of the decline in the injury rate for this age group.

The injury rate for females 65 years and over did not show a reduction, probably because a smaller proportion of older women retire from their major activity of "usually working" or "usually keeping house." Data collected during July 1959-June 1961 show that only about 12 percent of the female population aged 65 and over, as compared with the aforementioned 65 percent among males, considered their usual activity status as "retired." Therefore, a high proportion of the older women continued to keep house or to perform other work, and were thus exposed to the risk of injury.

A difference in age distribution of males and females aged 65 and over does not account for the sex reversal in rates. The injury rates per 100 persons per year from the 4-year data are shown below:

Age	Male	<u>Female</u>
65+ years	15.6	27.7
65-69 years	15.8	25.9
70-74 years	16.4	27.8
75+ years	14.7	29.4

Selected Social and Economic Characteristics

The incidence of injuries was further classified by family income, residence, geographic region, living arrangements, and calendar quarter to determine what effect these variables had on the incidence rate. The rate of injury for persons whose family income was \$7,000 and over was substantially higher than the rate for persons with family income under \$4,000 (tables C and 6). This difference occurred almost exclusively among persons under 45 years of age; the rates for older persons were the same in each income group. No single type of injury was primarily responsible for the difference in rates. However, three groups-other fractures and dislocations, other sprains and strains, and lacerations and abrasions—had incidence rates that contributed to the excess.

Examination of data shown in the National Health Survey report "Persons Injured by Detailed Type and Class of Accident" (Series B. No. 37. table 13) provides a possible explanation. The criterion of medical attendance used for inclusion of injuries in the survey data results in a comparatively low rate of injury in the low income groups and contributes materially to the rate of injury among persons with family income of \$7,000 or more. It is quite possible that minor injuries, such as strains, lacerations, or abrasions, resulting in no activity restriction, increase the rate of injury in the high income group because a physician was seen, while similar injuries among persons of lower economic status would be excluded from the tabulations because the person was not medically attended. The rate of injury among persons under 45 years of age would be affected to a somewhat greater extent because the practice of consulting a physician for comparatively minor injuries occurs more frequently for injuries sustained by children.

Further reference to the above-mentioned report on persons injured (Series B, No. 37, table 13) shows that for persons with activity-restricting injuries, i.e., injuries requiring at least 1 day of reduction of daily activities (with or without medical attendence), the rate of injury for persons with family income under \$4,000 was substantially the same as that for persons with family income of \$7,000 and over.

The place of residence, whether urban, rural nonfarm, or rural farm, had no pronounced effect on the incidence of all injuries during the 4-year period (table 7). The rates for each type of injury were also similar in each area. On the other hand, the injury rates according to the geographic region in which the injured person lived did show differ-

ences (table 8). The residents of the West had a somewhat higher rate of injury than the persons residing in the Northeast, North Central, and South Regions. In the West, the rate for each type of injury exceeded or equaled the rate in the other regions, but these differences were not statistically significant. However, the injury rate among

Table C. Average annual incidence of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons, by age and selected characteristics: United States, July 1957-June 1961

Characteristic	All ages	Under 45 years	45+ years	All ages	Under 45 years	45+ years	
	Averag injuri	ge inciden es in tho	ice of ousands	per	Number of injuries per 100 persons per year		
All injuries	48,164	36,309	11,855	27.8	29.6	23.5	
Family Income					•		
Under \$4,000 Under \$2,000 \$2,000-3,999 \$4,000-6,999 \$7,000+	15,696 5,969 9,728 17,611 12,081	10,541 3,444 7,096 14,400 9,490	5,156 2,524 2,631 3,212 2,592	25.9 24.0 27.3 28.6 30.0	27.3 25.1 28.5 29.8 32.2	23.5 22.6 24.5 24.0 23.9	
Residence							
UrbanRural nonfarm	28,437 14,019 5,708	21,112 11,132 4,065	7,326 2,887 1,642	27.2 29.2 27.6	29.5 30.4 28.1	22.4 25.4 26.3	
Region							
Northeast	11,266 14,482 13,870 8,546	8,485 10,996 10,220 6,608	2,781 3,486 3,650 1,938	25.6 28.4 26.5 33.4	28.3 30.3 26.9 35.7	19.8 23.5 25.3 27.4	
Living Arrangements				<u>'</u>			
Living alone or with nonrelatives Living with relatives-married Living with relatives-other	3,413 14,529 30,222	1,459 8,741 26,109	1,954 5,788 4,113	31.1 17.9 37.3	38.1 19.2 35.6	27.3 16.3 54.1	
Quarter							
July-September	14,650 11,104 10,043 12,367	11,293 8,028 7,514 9,474	3,357 3,076 2,528 2,894	8.5 6.4 5.8 7.1	9.3 6.6 6.1 7.7	6.7 6.1 5.0 5.7	

persons under 45 years of age residing in the West was significantly greater than the rates in other regions. It seems that injuries to persons in this age group were largely responsible for the regional difference.

When the incidence of injuries is distributed according to the living arrangements of the injured persons, the injury rate for married persons living with relatives is substantially lower than that of persons living alone or with nonrelatives or other nonmarried members of families (table 9). It should be explained that the "other" group living with relatives consists of persons who are widowed, divorced, separated, or never married but who are living with a relative. The difference in rates may be a function of age; that is, the high rate for the "other" group may result from the large number of children who make up this group (68 percent of this group were under 15 years of age). The majority of persons under 45 included in the "living alone" group are probably students or those who have left home to work elsewhere.

The rate of injury was highest during the July-September quarter of a typical year during the period from July 1957-June 1961 (table 10). The injury rate was lowest during the average January-March quarter. No one type of injury had a rate that was markedly different during the high quarter to explain the increased rate. However, the difference occurred principally among persons under 45 years of age. The rates for older persons were not significantly different by quarter.

DISABILITY DAYS ASSOCIATED WITH INJURIES

The numbers of restricted-activity and beddisability days associated with each type of injury are shown in tables 11 and 13, and the rates per 100 persons in the population are shown in tables D, 12, and 14. Since the same person may experience more than one type of injury in the same accident, the sum of disability days for all injuries may be greater than the total number of persondays of disability due to injury. As mentioned earlier, the total number of injuries exceeded the number of persons injured by about 5 percent; this may be taken as a rough estimate of the amount by which the number of disability days shown for all injuries exceeds the person-days attributable to injury. For example, a person may sustain a fracture of the fibula and a laceration of the thigh, both of which require 2 days in bed. On each day of disability 2 condition-days, but only 1 person-day, are counted.

It should be remembered that a day spent in bed—i.e., a bed-disability day—is also considered to be a restricted-activity day, but the converse form is not necessarily true, since a person may cut down on his usual activities for the day but not be required to spend the day in bed.

Fractures and dislocations, other than skull fracture, caused an average of about 48 days of reduced activity per year for each 100 persons in the population, or a total of 83 million days of restricted activity (including 23 million days in bed). All injuries caused an average of about 161 days of restricted activity and 45 days of bed disability per 100 persons in the population per year. Therefore, other fractures and dislocations accounted for about 30 percent of the disability days resulting from injuries.

The rate of disability rose sharply as age increased. Among persons 65 and over, the rate of restricted-activity days associated with injuries was about three times that for children under 15 years of age.

In general, males experienced more days of disability due to injury than did females. However, among females aged 45 and over, the rate of restricted activity was greater than among males in this age group. The rate of bed-days for persons 65 years and over was greater for females than it was for males; but the rate for each sex aged 45-64 was the same, 65 days per 100 persons per year.

Another way of examining these data on disability days is in terms of the average duration of disability per case. This figure is obtained by dividing the estimated number of days per year for each type of injury by the incidence of cases of that type. It has been mentioned previously that all disability days during the 2-week reference period are counted, regardless of when the injury causing the disability occurred.

Figure 1 shows the average duration of disability per case for each type of injury. Fracture of the femur caused 58.5 days of reduced activity including 38.3 days of bed disability. Other fractures necessitated 18.3 days of restricted activity and 4.5 days in bed. Dislocations required 13.0 days of reduced activity and 3.2 bed-days. The other types of injury caused fewer disability days per case.

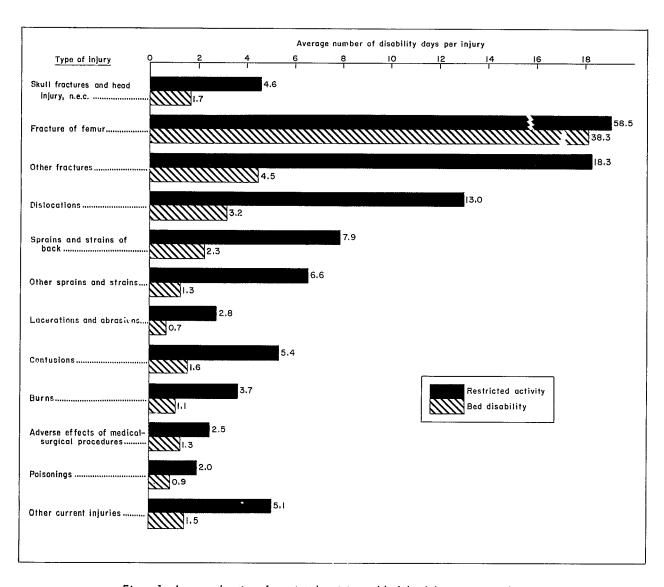


Figure 1. Average duration of restricted activity and bed disability per injury, by type.

Table D. Number of restricted-activity and bed-disability days due to current injuries per 100 persons per year, by sex and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

Type of injury	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female
	days p	cted-act er 100 p per year	ersons	Bed-disability days per 100 persons per year		
All injuries	160.8	175.9	146.5	44.8	48.0	41.7
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c	6.2	7.4	5.1	2.3	2.7	1.9
Other fractures and dislocations	47.9	53.4	42.7	13.4	14.7	12.2
Fracture of femur Other fractures Dislocations	4.1 37.4 6.3	3.7 41.8 7.8	4.5 33.2 5.0	2.7 9.2 1.5	2.0 10.7 2.0	7.8
Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures	11.7 22.6 24.8 26.0 4.2 3.1	13.1 23.1 31.3 22.7 4.8	10.4 22.2 18.7 29.1 3.7	3.5 4.6 6.3 7.4 1.3	5.2	3.4 3.9 4.8 9.0 1.6
All other current injuries	14.2	16.7	11.8	4.4	5.4	3.4
PoisoningsOther current injuries	1.0 13.2	1.3 15.4	0.7 11.2	0.4 3.9	0.5 4.8	0.4 3.0

 $^{^{1}\}mathrm{Excludes}$ disability days associated with impairments due to injury. NOTE: n.e.c.-not elsewhere classified.

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Table 1. Average annual number of current injuries, by measures of effect of injury, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

	Measures of effect of injury					
Sex and type of injury	Total	Medically attended	Activity r	estricting	Bed disabling (included	
		but not activity restricting	Medically attended	Not medi- cally attended	in activity restricting)	
Both sexes		Average number of injuries in thousands				
All injuries	48,164	19,741	20,114	8,308	11,323	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns Adverse effects of medical/	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	1,008 1,248 550 1,674 8,493 2,719 1,036	1,043 2,966 1,335 2,684 4,979 3,456 683	263 293 677 1,545 1,610 2,125 254	741 1,472 957 1,534 2,077 2,082 268	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	2,200 5,323,	796 2,217	994 1,975	410 1,131	815 1,377	
<u>Male</u>				}		
All injuries	27,794	12,231	11,574	3,989	6,060	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Gontusions Burns	1,536 2,471 1,472 3,254 9,588 4,119 1,082	724 753 308 950 5,663 1,471 554	647 1,575 749 1,622 3,040 1,755 422	164 * 415 682 885 892 *	441 775 494 866 1,181 1,018 *	
Surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	978 3,294	328 1,479	496 1,268	154 548	323 833	
<u>Female</u>						
All injuries	20,370	7,510	8,541	4,319	5,263	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions	778 2,037 1,089 2,650 5,493 4,182 892	284 495 242 724 2,830 1,248 483	396 1,390 586 1,062 1,939 1,701 261	* 151 262 864 725 1,233 *	299 697 464 668 896 1,065	
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	1,222 2,028	468 738	498 708	256 582	491 543	

NOTES: n.e.c.—not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 2. Percent distribution of current injuries, by measures of effect of injury according to sex and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

[Data are based on bousehold interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population. The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the re-

	Measures of effect of injury					
Sex and type of injury	Total	Medically attended but not activity restricting	Activity r Medically	Not medi- cally attended	Bed disabling (included in activity restricting)	
Both sexes	l	Perc	cent distril	oution	<u> </u>	
All injuries	100.0	41.0	41.8	17.2	23.5	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures All other current injuries	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	43.6 27.7 21.5 28.4 56.3 32.8 52.5	45.1 65.8 52.1 45.5 33.0 41.6 34.6 45.2 37.1	11.4 6.5 26.4 26.2 10.7 25.6 12.9	32.0 32.7 37.4 26.0 13.8 25.1 13.6	
<u>Male</u>						
All injuries	100.0	44.0	41.6	14.4	21.8	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.— Other fractures and dislocations— Sprains and strains of back— Other sprains and strains— Lacerations and abrasions— Contusions— Burns— Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures— All other current injuries	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	47.1 30.5 20.9 29.2 59.1 35.7 51.2 33.5 44.9	42.1 63.7 50.9 49.8 31.7 42.6 39.0 50.7 38.5	10.7 28.2 21.0 9.2 21.7 * 15.7 16.6	28.7 31.4 33.6 26.6 12.3 24.7 *	
<u>Female</u>						
All injuries	100.0	36.9	41.9	21.2	25.8	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	36.5 24.3 22.2 27.3 51.5 29.8 54.1	50.9 68.2 53.8 40.1 35.3 40.7 29.3	7.4 24.1 32.6 13.2 29.5	38.4 34.2 42.6 25.2 16.3 25.5	
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	100.0	38.3 36.4	40.8 34.9	20.9 28.7	40.2 26.8	

NOTES: n.e.c.—not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 3. Average annual number of current injuries, by measures of effect of injury, age, and type:
United States, July 1957-June 1961

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	Measures of effect of injury				
Age and type of injury	Total	Medically attended	Activity r	estricting	Bed disabling (included
		but not activity restricting	Medically attended	Not medi- cally attended	in activity restricting)
Under 15 years	Average number of injuries in thousands				
All injuries	17,439	7,816	6,609	3,014	3,722
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains	1,319 992 198 1,324	689 225 *	517 759 * 556	* * * 468	381 , 340 , 367
Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns	7,335 2,305 612	4,185 727 270	· 2,205 982 224	946 596 *	891 540 *
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	1,337 2,017	459 879	642 636	236 502	490 517
15-44 years					
All injuries	18,870	7,580	8,284	3,006	4,407
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——Other fractures and dislocations———Sprains and strains of back———Other sprains and strains———Lacerations and abrasions—————Burns————————————————————————————————————	620 1,943 1,313 2,743 5,461 3,411 880	160 631 241 776 3,037 1,167 530	341 1,192 731 1,318 2,002 1,447 265	* 341 648 421 797	240 478 581 676 784 850
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures All other current injuries	496 2,004	162 876	209 779	* 350	222 524
45+ years					
All injuries	11,855	4,345	5,221	2,288	3,194
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Lacerations and strains Contusions Burns	375 1,572 1,050 1,837 2,286 2,585 481	159 392 225 598 1,271 825 236	185 1,015 514 810 772 1,027	* 164 311 429 243 732 *	653 329 491 402 692
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	368 1,302	176 462	* 560	* 279	* 336

NOTES: n.e.c.-not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 4. Percent distribution of current injuries, by measures of effect of injury according to age and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961 Data are based on household interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population. The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the reliability of the estimates are given in Appendix I. Definitions of terms are given in Appendix II

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		Measure	es of effect	of injury	
Age and type of injury		Medically attended	Activity r	estricting	Bed disabling (included
	Total	but not restricting	Medically attended	Not medi- cally attended	in activity restricting)
Under 15 years		Per	cent distri	bution	
All injuries	100.0	44.8	37.9	17.3	21.3
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of the back	100.0 100.0 100.0	52.2 22.7 *	39.2 76.5 *	* * *	28.9 34.3 *
Other sprains and strains	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	22.7 57.1 31.5 44.1	42.0 30.1 42.6 36.6	35.3 12.9 25.9 *	27.7 12.1 23.4 *
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	100.0	34.3 43.6	48.0 31.5	17.7 24.9	36.6 25.6
<u>15-44 years</u>		:	:		
All injuries	100.0	40.2	43.9	15.9	23.4
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——Other fractures and dislocations———Sprains and strains of the back———Other sprains and strains———Lacerations and abrasions————Contusions———————————————————————————————————	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	25.8 32.5 18.4 28.3 55.6 34.2 60.2	55.0 61.3 55.7 48.0 36.7 42.4 30.1	* 26.0 23.6 7.7 23.4 *	38.7 24.6 44.2 24.6 14.4 24.9 *
All other current injuries	100.0	43.7	38.9	17.5	26.1
All injuries	100.0	36.7	44.0	19.3	26.9
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of the back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/	100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0 100.0	42.4 24.9 21.4 32.6 55.6 31.9 49.1	49.3 64.6 49.0 44.1 33.8 39.7 40.3	10.4 29.6 23.4 10.6 28.3	* 41.5 31.3 26.7 17.6 26.8 *
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	100.0 100.0	47.8 35.5	* 43.0	* 21.4	* 25.8

NOTES: n.e.c.- not elsewhere classified.

Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 5. Average annual number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per year, by age, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

	given	in Appendix i	. Deliniuo	us or terms a	e given in	Appendix	[1]					
Sex and type of injury	All ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years	25-44 years	45-64 years	65+ years	All ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years	25-44 years	45-64 years	65+ years
Both sexes	Aver	age number	of inj	uries in	thousan	đs	Number	of injur	ies per	100 pe	rsons p	er year
All injuries	48,164	17,439	7,252	11,618	8,525	3,329	27.8	31.8	32.4	25.5	24.1	22.2
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.,——————————————————————————————————	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	1,319 992 198 1,324 7,335 2,305 612	290 690 416 1,194 2,076 1,454 274	330 1,253 898 1,549 3,385 1,958 606	229 1,023 870 1,334 1,837 1,593 375	549 180 503 449 992	1.3 2.6 1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	2.4 1.8 0.4 2.4 13.4 4.2 1.1	1.3 3.1 1.9 5.3 9.3 6.5 1.2	0.7 2.8 2.0 3.4 7.4 4.3 1.3	0.6 2.9 2.5 3.8 5.2 4.5 1.1	3.7 1.2 3.4 3.0 6.6
All other current injuries	5,323	2,017	699	1,304	961	341	3.1	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.3
<u>Male</u>								:				
All injuries	27,794	10,467	4,857	6,965	4,447	1,058	33.0	37.4	46.1	32.0	26.0	15.6
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c. Other fractures and dislocations- Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns	1,536 2,471 1,472 3,254 9,588 4,119 1,082	919 571 * 741 4,717 1,254 330	224 484 220 868 1,371 894 232	244 749 575 867 2,071 1,101 294	* 485 473 632 1,182 681 192	182 * * 247 189 *	1.8 2.9 1.7 3.9 11.4 4.9 1.3	3.3 2.0 * 2.6 16.9 4.5 1.2 2.3	2.1 4.6 2.1 8.2 13.0 8.5 2.2	1.1 3.4 2.6 4.0 9.5 5.1 1.3	2.8 2.8 3.7 6.9 4.0 1.1	2.7 * * 3.6 2.8 *
All other current injuries	3,294	1,175	479	939	569	*	3.9	4.2	4.5	4.3	3.3	*
<u>Female</u>												
All injuries	20,370	6,972	2,395	4,654	4,079	2,271	22.9	25.9	20.3	19.6	22.3	27.7
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c. Other fractures and dislocations- Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns	778 2,037 1,089 2,650 5,493 4,182 892	400 421 * 583 2,618 1,051 282	207 196 325 705 559	504 322 682 1,314 857 311	537 397 702 655 912 183	367 * 357 202 802 *	0.9 2.3 1.2 3.0 6.2 4.7 1.0	1.5 1.6 * 2.2 9.7 3.9 1.0	1.8 1.7 2.8 6.0 4.7	2.1 1.4 2.9 5.5 3.6 1.3	2.9 2.2 3.8 3.6 5.0	4.5 4.3 2.5 9.8
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures All other current injuries	1,222 2,028	701 841	* 221	212 365	177 391	* 210	1.4 2.3	2.6 3.1	* 1.9	0.9 1.5	1.0 2.1	2.6

MOTES: no.e —not elsewhere classified. Evoluted from those statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 6. Average annual number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per year, by family income, age, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

				Family i	ncome			
Age and type of injury	All incomes ¹	Under \$4,000	\$4,000- 6,999	\$7,000+	All incomes	Under \$4,000	\$4,000- 6,999	\$7,000+
All ages	Avera	ge number in thou	of injur	ies	Number of injuries per 100 persons per year			
All injuries	48,164	15,696	17,611	12,081	27.8	25.9	28.6	30.0
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	730 1,527 932 1,834 4,748 2,822 712	992 1,423 961 2,085 5,671 3,078 721	472 1,316 546 1,586 3,888 1,867 378	1.3 2.6 1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	1.2 2.5 1.5 3.0 7.8 4.7 1.2	1.6 2.3 1.6 3.4 9.2 5.0 1.2	1.2 3.3 1.4 3.9 9.7 4.6 0.9
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	2,200 5,323	585 1,807	856 1,824	645 1,383	1.3 3.1	1.0 3.0	1.4 3.0	1.6 3.4
Under 45 years								
All injuries	36,309	10,541	14,400	9,490	29.6	27.3	29.8	32.2
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns	1,939 2,935 1,511 4,067 12,796 5,716 1,492	546 819 494 1,036 3,892 1,514 540	880 1,045 611 1,644 5,061 2,357 595	403 958 340 1,116 3,276 1,425 287	1.6 2.4 1.2 3.3 10.4 4.7 1.2	1.4 2.1 1.3 2.7 10.1 3.9 1.4	1.8 2.2 1.3 3.4 10.5 4.9 1.2	1.4 3.3 1.2 3.8 11.1 4.8 1.0
All other current injuries	4,020	1,217	1,466	1,145	3.3	3.2	3.0	3.9
<u>45+years</u> A11 injuries	11,855	5,156	3,212	2,592	23.5	23.5	24.0	23.9
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.— Other fractures and dislocations— Sprains and strains of back—— Other sprains and strains—— Lacerations and abrasions——— Contusions————— Burns————— Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures———— All other current injuries————	375 1,572 1,050 1,837 2,286 2,585 481 368 1,302	184 708 438 798 855 1,308 172 *	* 378 350 441 610 721 *	* 358 207 470 612 441 *	0.7 3.1 2.1 3.6 4.5 5.1 1.0	0.8 3.2 2.0 3.6 3.9 6.0 0.8	2.8 2.6 3.3 4.6 5.4 *	* 3.3 1.9 4.3 5.6 4.1 * 2.2

¹Unknown family income included in "All incomes." NOTES: n.e.c.— not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 7. Average annual number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per year, by residence, age, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

				Resid	lence				
Age and type of injury	All areas	Urban	Rural nonfarm	Rural farm	All areas	Urban	Rural nonfarm	Rural farm	
All ages	Average number of injuries in thousands				Number of injuries per 100 persons per year				
All injuries	48,164	28,437	14,019	5,708	27.8	27.2	29.2	27.6	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	1,433 2,843 1,462 3,627 8,337 5,158 1,192	658 1,158 801 1,633 4,892 2,156 613	222 506 298 643 1,852 986 169	1.3 2.6 1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	1.4 2.7 1.4 3.5 8.0 4.9 1.1	1.4 2.4 1.7 3.4 10.2 4.5 1.3	1.1 2.4 1.4 3.1 8.9 4.8 0.8	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	2,200 5,323	1,329 3,057	555 1,552	316 714	1.3 3.1	1.3 2.9	1.2 3.2	1.5 3.4	
Under 45 years	-,-	,	_,						
All injuries	36,309	21,112	11,132	4,065	29.6	29.5	30.4	28.1	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns Burns	1,939 2,935 1,511 4,067 12,796 5,716 1,492	1,158 1,830 793 2,445 7,197 3,465	595 770 555 1,200 4,167 1,646 460	186 336 163 421 1,431 605	1.6 2.4 1.2 3.3 10.4 4.7 1.2	1.6 2.6 1.1 3.4 10.1 4.8 1.3	1.6 2.1 1.5 3.3 11.4 4.5	1.3 2.3 1.1 2.9 9.9 4.2	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	1,832 4,020	1,099 2,218	462 1,276	271 526	1.5	1.5 3.1	1.3 3.5	1.9 3.6	
45+ years									
All injuries	11,855	7,326	2,887	1,642	23.5	22.4	25.4	26.3	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Lacerations and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns	375 1,572 1,050 1,837 2,286 2,585 481	275 1,013 669 1,182 1,140 1,693	* 389 246 433 725 510 153	770 * 222 421 381 *	0.7 3.1 2.1 3.6 4.5 5.1	0.8 3.1 2.0 3.6 3.5 5.2 0.9	* 3.4 2.2 3.8 6.4 4.5	2.7 * 3.5 6.7 6.1	
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures	368 1,302	230 838	* 275	* 188	0.7 2.6	0.7 2.6	* 2.4	3.0	

At TPS: n e.e. not elsewhere classified Uxeluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 8. Average annual number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per year, by region, age, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

[Data are based on household interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population. The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the reliability of the estimates are given in Appendix II. Definitions of terms are given in Appendix II]

					Regio	on					
Age and type of injury	All regions	North- east	North Central	South	West	All regions	North- east	North Central	South	West	
All ages		Average number of injuries in thousands					Number of injuries per 100 persons per year				
All injuries	48,164	11,266	14,482	13,870	8,546	27.8	25.6	28.4	26.5	33.4	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,908 15,081 8,301 1,973 2,200 5,323	509 1,052 470 1,667 3,150 1,969 447 590 1,412	771 1,252 696 1,714 4,881 2,402 513 697 1,556	623 1,283 860 1,459 4,560 2,337 695 515 1,539	411 920 535 1,064 2,491 1,593 318 399 816	1.3 2.6 1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	1.2 2.4 1.1 3.8 7.2 4.5 1.0	1.5 2.5 1.4 3.4 9.6 4.7 1.0	1.2 2.4 1.6 2.8 8.7 4.5 1.3	1.6 3.6 2.1 4.2 9.7 6.2 1.2	
Under 45 years				·							
All injuries	36,309	8,485	10,996	10,220	6,608	29.6	28.3	30.3	26.9	35.7	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Burns	1,939 2,935 1,511 4,067 12,796 5,716 1,492	377 715 265 1,153 2,635 1,348 349	651 784 433 1,162 4,183 1,702 372	557 816 447 969 3,835 1,561 500	353 620 366 782 2,142 1,104 271	1.6 2.4 1.2 3.3 10.4 4.7 1.2	1.3 2.4 0.9 3.8 8.8 4.5	1.8 2.2 1.2 3.2 11.5 4.7 1.0	1.5 2.1 1.2 2.6 10.1 4.1 1.3	1.9 3.4 2.0 4.2 11.6 6.0 1.5	
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	1,832 4,020	538 1,105	554 1,153	406 1,128	334 635	1.5 3.3	1.8 3.7	1.5 3.2	1.1 3.0	1.8 3.4	
45+ years										Ì	
All injuries	11,855	2,781	3,486	3,650	1,938	23.5	19.8	23.5	25.3	27.4	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions	375 1,572 1,050 1,837 2,286 2,585 481	337 205 514 514 621	* 468 263 552 698 700 *	* 467 413 490 725 775 195	300 169 282 348 489	0.7 3.1 2.1 3.6 4.5 5.1	2.4 1.5 3.7 3.7 4.4	3.2 1.8 3.7 4.7 4.7	3.2 2.9 3.4 5.0 5.4	* 4.2 2.4 4.0 4.9 6.9	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	368 1,302	* 307	* 403	* 411	182	0.7 2.6	2.2	2.7	2.8	2.6	

NOTU: n.e.c.- not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 9. Average annual number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per year, by living arrangement, age, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

[Data are based on household interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population. The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the reliability of the estimates are given in Appendix II

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				Living ar	rangement			
Age and type of injury		Living alone or	Living with	relatives	m1	Living alone or	Living with	relatives
	Total	with non- relatives	Married	Other	Total	with non- relatives	Married	Other
All ages			er of injuri ousands	es	1		juries per l per year	00
All injuries	48,164	3,413	20,074	24,677	27.8	31.1	24.8	30.5
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——————————————————————————————————	2,314 4,507 2,561 5,904 15,081 8,301 1,973	188 452 261 494 645 775 *	546 2,189 1,729 2,851 5,276 3,631 1,002	1,579 1,866 571 2,558 9,160 3,895 822	1.3 2.6 1.5 3.4 8.7 4.8 1.1	1.7 4.1 2.4 4.5 5.9 7.1	0.7 2.7 2.1 3.5 6.5 4.5	1.9 2.3 0.7 3.2 11.3 4.8 1.0
surgical procedures	2,200 5,323	338	618 2,231	1,472 2,754	1.3 3.1	* 3.1	0.8 2.8	1.8 3.4
Under 45 years						00.1	26.1	21 2
All injuries	36,309	1,459	11,852	22,998	29.6	38.1	26.1	31.3
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.—— Other fractures and dislocations—— Sprains and strains of back——— Other sprains and strains———— Lacerations and abrasions———— Burns————————————————————————————————————	1,939 2,935 1,511 4,067 12,796 5,716 1,492	172 173 193 450 235	312 1,189 991 1,619 3,403 2,025 628	1,544 1,574 465 2,254 8,943 3,456 763	1.6 2.4 1.2 3.3 10.4 4.7 1.2	4.5 ** 5.0 11.8 6.1 *	0.7 2.6 2.2 3.6 7.5 4.5 1.4	2.1 2.1 0.6 3.1 12.2 4.7 1.0
All other current injuries	4,020	*	1,356	2,546	3.3	*	3.0	3.5
45+ years								
All injuries	11,855	1,954	8,222	1,679	23.5	27.3	23.1	22.1
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——————————————————————————————————	375 1,572 1,050 1,837 2,286 2,585 481	280 204 301 195 540 *	235 1,000 739 1,232 1,873 1,606 374	35 292 107 304 218 439 59	0.7 3.1 2.1 3.6 4.5 5.1	* 3.9 2.9 4.7 7.5	2.8 2.1 3.5 5.3	0.5 3.8 1.4 4.0 2.9 5.8 0.8
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures	368 1,302	* 219	289 875	17 208	0.7 2.6	3.1		0.2 2.7

NOTES: n.e v.- not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention.

Table 10. Average quarterly number of current injuries and number of current injuries per 100 persons per quarter, by quarter, age, and type: 1957-61

				Quar	ter			
Age and type of injury	July- September	October- December	January- March	April- June	July- September	October- December	January- March	April- June
All ages		number of	injuries housands	per		er of injur persons per	ies per 10 quarter	00
All injuries	14,650	11,104	10,043	12,367	8.5	6.4	5.8	7.1
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns	676 1,258 609 1,576 5,153 2,262 594	502 1,002 650 1,556 2,928 2,140 391	454 1,047 789 1,354 2,841 1,883 512	682 1,199 514 1,418 4,159 2,016 476	0.4 0.7 0.4 0.9 3.0 1.3 0.3	0.3 0.6 0.4 0.9 1.7 1.2	0.3 0.6 0.6 0.8 1.6 1.1	0.4 0.7 0.3 0.8 2.4 1.2 0.3
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	520 2,000	600 1,335	386 777	694 1,210	0.3 1.2	0.3 0.8	0.2 0.4	0.4 0.7
Under 45 years								
All injuries	11,293	8,028	7,514	9,474	9.3	6.6	6.1	7.7
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——Other fractures and dislocations————————————————————————————————————	528 882 346 992 4,556 1,604 432	395 627 279 1,035 2,509 1,384	409 638 532 933 2,343 1,367 421	606 789 354 1,106 3,388 1,361 328	0.4 0.7 0.3 0.8 3.7 1.3 0.4	0.3 0.5 0.2 0.8 2.1 1.1	0.3 0.5 0.4 0.8 1.9 1.1	0.5 0.6 0.3 0.9 2.7 1.1
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	423 1,529	459 1,030	300 570	651 891	0.3 1.3	0.4 0.8	0.2 0.5	0.5 0.7
45+ years								
All injuries	3,357	3,076	2,528	2,894	6.7	6.1	5.0	5.7
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions	* 376 262 584 597 659 162	* 375 371 520 419 756 *	* 409 256 421 498 515 *	411 160 312 771 655	0.8 0.5 1.2 1.2 1.3 0.3	0.7 0.7 1.0 0.8 1.5	0.8 0.5 0.8 1.0	0.8 0.3 0.6 1.5
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	* 471	* 305	* 207	319	* 0.9	* 0.6	0.4	* 0.6

NOTES: n.e.c. - not elsewhere classified. Excluded from these statistics are all current injuries involving neither restricted activity nor medical attention

Table 11. Average annual number of restricted-activity days due to current injuries, by age, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

All ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years	25-44 years	45-64 years	65+ years
Ave				l-activit	У
278,281	49,179	40,547	71,086	73,890	43,580
10,715 82,899 20,289 39,130 42,963 44,959 7,352 5,434 24,540	3,150 12,275 601 4,460 13,101 5,825 2,210 2,856 4,699	1,961 8,437 3,859 7,393 7,231 6,691 608 * 4,079	2,704 873	1,036	1,856 14,438 2,071 7,158 3,639 9,980 967 381 3,089
148,090	30,301	25,616	41,053	34,886	16,232
26,349 19,125	7,567 3,458	1,176 6,388 2,283 4,523 5,323 3,331 480	1,033 13,008 4,016 5,339 7,342 4,730 1,528	974 12,079 3,189 4,080 4,569 5,169 570	716 4,946 1,070 2,917 1,549 2,438 347
2,945 14,036	1,471 2,832			680 3,578	1,960
130,191	18,877	14,930	30,033	39,004	27,348
4,498 37,957 9,270 19,718 16,614 25,834 3,308 2,489 10,504	1,906 5,534 2,367 1,092	1,576 2,870 1,908 3,361 *	536	790 14,365 3,672 6,311 2,676 7,629 *	1,140 9,492 1,002 4,242 2,090 7,542 621 * 1,128
	278,281 10,715 82,899 20,289 39,130 42,963 44,959 7,352 5,434 24,540 148,090 6,217 44,942 11,019 19,412 26,349 19,125 4,044 2,945 14,036 130,191 4,498 37,957 9,718 16,614 25,834 3,308 2,489	All ages 15 years Average number date 278,281 49,179 10,715 3,150 12,275 20,289 601 39,130 4,460 42,963 13,101 44,959 7,352 2,210 5,434 2,856 24,540 4,699 148,090 30,301 6,217 2,317 44,942 8,521 11,019 19,412 2,554 26,349 7,567 19,125 3,458 4,044 1,118 2,945 1,471 14,036 2,832 130,191 18,877 4,498 832 37,957 9,270 1,718 1,906 16,614 25,834 2,367 3,308 1,092 2,489 1,385	All ages 15 years 13-24 years Average number of redays in the 278,281 49,179 40,547 10,715 3,150 1,961 82,899 12,275 8,437 20,289 601 3,859 39,130 4,460 7,393 44,959 7,352 2,210 608 5,434 2,856 * 24,540 4,699 4,079 148,090 30,301 25,616 6,217 2,317 1,176 44,942 8,521 6,388 11,019 462 2,283 11,019 462 2,283 11,019 462 2,283 11,019 462 2,283 11,019 462 3,458 3,331 11,019 462 3,458 3,331 11,019 462 3,458 3,331 11,019 18,877 14,930 4,498 832 7,567 130,191 18,877 14,930 4,498 832 7,85 37,957 3,754 2,049 130,191 18,877 14,930 4,498 3,7957 3,754 1,908 3,361 1,908 3,361 3,308 1,092 * 2,489 2,489 1,385 *	Average number of restricted days in thousands 278,281 49,179 40,547 71,086 10,715 3,150 1,961 1,984 82,899 12,275 8,437 21,306 20,289 601 3,859 6,897 39,130 4,460 7,393 9,728 42,963 13,101 7,231 11,748 44,959 5,825 6,691 9,665 7,352 2,210 608 2,704 5,434 2,856 * 873 24,540 4,699 4,079 6,182 148,090 30,301 25,616 41,053 6,217 2,317 1,176 1,033 4,4942 8,521 6,388 13,008 11,019 462 2,283 4,016 19,412 2,554 4,523 5,339 26,349 7,567 5,323 7,342 19,125 3,458 3,331 4,730 4,044 1,118 480 1,528 2,945 1,471 * 337 14,036 2,832 1,946 3,720 130,191 18,877 14,930 30,033 4,498 832 7,857 2,049 8,297 9,270 * 1,576 2,881 1,9718 1,906 2,870 4,389 16,614 5,534 1,908 4,405 3,308 1,092 * 1,176 2,489 1,385 * 536	Average number of restricted-activited days in thousands 278,281 49,179 40,547 71,086 73,890 10,715 3,150 1,961 1,984 1,764 20,289 601 3,859 6,897 6,860 39,130 4,460 7,393 9,728 10,390 42,963 13,101 7,231 11,748 7,245 44,959 5,825 6,691 9,665 12,797 7,352 2,210 608 2,704 862 5,434 2,856 * 873 1,036 24,540 4,699 4,079 6,182 6,492 6,384 13,008 12,079 11,019 462 2,283 4,016 3,189 11,019 462 2,283 4,016 3,189 11,019 462 2,283 4,016 3,189 19,412 2,554 4,523 5,339 4,080 26,349 7,567 5,323 7,342 4,569 19,125 3,458 3,331 4,730 5,169 4,044 1,118 480 1,528 570 2,945 1,471 * 337 680 37,957 3,754 2,049 8,297 14,365 9,270 * 1,576 2,881 3,672 19,718 1,906 2,870 4,389 6,311 16,614 5,534 1,908 4,405 2,676 25,834 2,367 3,361 4,935 7,629 3,308 1,092 * 1,176 * 2,489 1,385 * 536 356

¹Excludes disability days associated with impairments due to injury. NOTE: n.e.c.-not elsewhere classified.

Table 12. Number of restricted-activity days due to current injuries per 100 persons per year, by age, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

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Sex and type of injury	All ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years	25-44 years	45-64 years	65+ years	
Both sexes	Numbe		ricted-a ersons p		ty days per 100 ar		
All injuries	160.8	89.7	181.4	156.2	208.9	290.5	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/	6.2 47.9 11.7 22.6 24.8 26.0 4.2	5.7 22.4 1.1 8.1 23.9 10.6 4.0	8.8 37.7 17.3 33.1 32.4 29.9 2.7	4.4 46.8 15.2 21.4 25.8 21.2 5.9	5.0 74.8 19.4 29.4 20.5 36.2 2.4	12.4 96.2 13.8 47.7 24.3 66.5 6.4	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	3.1 14.2	5.2 8.6	18.3	1.9 13.6	2.9 18.4	2.5	
<u>Male</u>							
All injuries	175.9	108.3	243.2	188.3	203.9	239.0	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——Other fractures and dislocations——Sprains and strains of back——Other sprains and strains——Lacerations and abrasions——Contusions———————————————————————————————————	7.4 53.4 13.1 23.1 31.3 22.7 4.8	8.3 30.5 1.7 9.1 27.1 12.4 4.0	11.2 60.6 21.7 42.9 50.5 31.6 4.6	4.7 59.7 18.4 24.5 33.7 21.7 7.0	5.7 70.6 18.6 23.8 26.7 30.2 3.3	10.5 72.8 15.8 42.9 22.8 35.9 5.1	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	3.5 16.7	5.3 10.1	18.5	1.5 17.1	4.0 20.9	28.9	
<u>Female</u>							
All injuries	146.5	70.2	126.4	126.7	213.5	333.1	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——Other fractures and dislocations——Sprains and strains of back——Other sprains and strains——Lacerations and abrasions——Contusions————Burns————Adverse effects of medical/	5.1 42.7 10.4 22.2 18.7 29.1 3.7	3.1 14.0 * 7.1 20.6 8.8 4.1	6.6 17.3 13.3 24.3 16.1 28.4 *	4.0 35.0 12.2 18.5 18.6 20.8 5.0	4.3 78.6 20.1 34.6 14.7 41.8	13.9 115.6 12.2 51.7 25.5 91.9 7.6	
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	2.8 11.8	5.2 6.9	18.0	2.3 10.4	1.9 16.0	13.7	

¹Excludes disability days associated with impairments due to injury. NOTE: n.e.c.--not elsewhere classified.

Table 13. Average annual number of bed-disability days due to current injuries, by age, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

[Data are based on household interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population: The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the reliability of the estimates are given in Appendix I. Definitions of terms are given in Appendix II]

Sex and type of injury	All ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years	25-44 years	45-64 years	65+ years	
Both sexes	Average number of bed-disability days in thousands						
All injuries	77,508	13,435	9,468	18,268	23,158	13,179	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.— Other fractures and dislocations————————————————————————————————————	3,964 23,258 6,003 7,884 10,890 12,870 2,222 2,876 7,539	2,892 1,982 1,024 1,381	757 1,440 816 1,107 1,711 2,134 *	873 5,437 1,847 2,068 2,423 2,519 576 539 1,985	786 9,249 2,772 1,903 2,533 3,521 * 447 1,834	329 5,050 438 1,767 1,332 2,715 *	
<u>Male</u>							
All injuries	40,442	7,766	5,666	11,478	11,268	4,264	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns	2,266 12,373 3,022 4,375 6,649 4,892 764 1,584 4,519	819 1,512 * 623 1,694 955 346 627 1,097	432 924 433 935 1,160 *	575 3,965 1,133 1,441 1,824 1,116 *	393 4,253 1,191 806 1,820 1,364 *	1,719 * 621 375 * * * 761	
<u>Female</u>							
All injuries	37,066	5,669	3,802	6,790	11,890	8,914	
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Burns	1,699 10,886 2,981 3,509 4,242 7,978 1,459 1,292 3,020	400 571 * 416 1,198 1,027 678 754 589	326 516 383 * 776 974 * *	298 1,472 714 627 599 1,402 340 * 1,050	393 4,996 1,581 1,097 712 2,157 *	3,331 * 1,146 957 2,418 *	

 $^{^{1}\}mathrm{Excludes}$ disability days associated with impairments due to injury. NOTE: n.e.c.--not elsewhere classified.

Table 14. Number of bed-disability days due to current injuries per 100 persons per year, by age, sex, and type: United States, July 1957-June 1961

On the terratifity of the estimates are given in Appendix 1. De			6	· F	J	
Sex and type of injury	A11 ages	Under 15 years	15-24 years		45-64 years	651 years
Both sexes		Number o	f bed-d .00 pers			i
All injuries	44.8	24.5	42.4	40.1	65,5	87.8
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c.——————————————————————————————————	2.3 13.4 3.5 4.6 6.3 7.4 1.3	2.2 3.8 * 1.9 5.3 3.6 1.9 2.5	3.4 6.4 3.7 5.0 7.7 9.5 *	1.9 11.9 4.1 4.5 5.3 5.5 1.3	2.2 26.1 7.8 5.4 7.2 10.0 *	2.2 33.7 2.9 11.8 8.9 18.1 *
All other current injuries	4.4	3.1		4.4	5.2	6.3
<u>Male</u>						
All injuries	48.0	27.8	53.8	52.7	65.9	62.8
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions	3.6 5.2 7.9 5.8 0.9	5.4 * 2.2 6.1 3.4 1.2	4.1 8.8 4.1 8.4 8.9 11.0	2.6 18.2 5.2 6.6 8.4 5.1	2.3 24.9 7.0 4.7 10.6 8.0	25.3 * 9.1 5.5 *
Adverse effects of medical/ surgical procedures	1.9	2.2 3.9	6.2	4.3	1.8	11.2
<u>Female</u>						
All injuries	41.7	21.1	32.2	28.6	65.1	108.6
Skull fractures and head injury, n.e.c Other fractures and dislocations Sprains and strains of back Other sprains and strains Lacerations and abrasions Contusions Burns Adverse effects of medical/	3.4 3.9 4.8 9.0 1.6	1.5 2.1 * 1.5 4.5 3.8 2.5	2.8 4.4 3.2 * 6.6 8.2 *	2.5 5.9	2.2 27.4 8.7 6.0 3.9 11.8	40.6 * 14.0 11.7 29.5 *
surgical proceduresAll other current injuries	1.5 3.4	2.8 2.2	* 3.7	4.4	* 4.2	*

 $^{^{\}hbox{\scriptsize 1}} Excludes$ disability days associated with impairments due to injury. NOTE: n.e.c.--not elsewhere classified.

Table 15. Average annual population used in obtaining rates shown in this publication, by geographic region, residence, sex, and age: United States, July 1957-June 1961

			Reg	ion]	Residence	
Sex and age	Total population	North- east	North Central	South	West	Urban	Rural nonfarm	Rural farm
Both sexes			Popu	lations in	thousands			
All ages	173,069	44,035	51,068	52,408	25,557	104,373	47,982	20,714
Under 45 years Under 15 years 15-44 years 25-44 years 45+ years 45-64 years 65+ years	122,691 54,840 67,852 22,350 45,501 50,378 35,376 15,002	29,998 12,672 17,327 5,304 12,023 14,037 9,920 4,117	36,231 16,410 19,821 6,445 13,376 14,837 10,233 4,604	37,969 17,325 20,644 7,451 13,194 14,439 10,264 4,175	18,493 8,433 10,060 3,150 6,909 7,065 4,959 2,106	71,607 30,423 41,185 13,613 27,572 32,766 23,017 9,748	36,625 17,371 19,254 5,783 13,471 11,357 7,978 3,379	14,459 7,046 7,413 2,954 4,459 6,255 4,381 1,874
Male								
All ages	84,202	21,320	25,230	25,259	12,393	49,775	23,728	10,699
Under 45 years Under 15 years 15-44 years 15-24 years 45+ years 45-64 years 65+ years	60,299 27,967 32,333 10,534 21,799 23,903 17,110 6,793	14,774 6,475 8,299 2,546 5,753 6,546 4,740 1,807	18,041 8,410 9,631 3,078 6,554 7,188 5,054 2,134	18,515 8,809 9,706 3,498 6,208 6,744 4,872 1,872	8,968 4,272 4,696 1,412 3,284 3,424 2,444 980	34,794 15,427 19,367 6,273 13,094 14,981 10,799 4,182	18,113 8,887 9,226 2,706 6,520 5,615 4,007 1,608	7,392 3,652 3,740 1,555 2,185 3,307 2,303 1,004
<u>Female</u>								
All ages	88,867	22,715	25,838	27,149	13,165	54,598	24,254	10,015
Under 45 years Under 15 years 15-44 years 25-44 years 45+ years 45-64 years 65+ years	62,392 26,873 35,519 11,816 23,703 26,475 18,266 8,209	15,224 6,196 9,028 2,758 6,270 7,491 5,181 2,310	18,190 8,000 10,189 3,367 6,822 7,649 5,179 2,470	19,454 8,516 10,938 3,953 6,985 7,695 5,392 2,303	9,524 4,161 5,364 1,738 3,626 3,641 2,515 1,126	36,813 14,996 21,818 7,340 14,478 17,784 12,218 5,567	18,512 8,484 10,028 3,077 6,951 5,742 3,971 1,772	7,067 3,394 3,673 1,399 2,274 2,948 2,078 870

NOTE: For official population estimates for more general use, see Bureau of the Census reports on the civilian population of the United States, in Current Population Reports: Series P-20, P-25, and P-60.

Table 16. Average population used in obtaining rates shown in this publication, by family income, living arrangement, quarter, and age: United States, July 1957-June 1961

[Data are based on household interviews of the civilian, noninstitutional population. The survey design, general qualifications, and information on the reliability of the estimates are given in Appendix I. Definitions of terms are given in Appendix II]

Family income, living arrangement, and quarter	All ages	Under 45 years	45+ years
Family income	Population in thousands		
All incomes	173,069	122,691	50,378
Under \$4,000	60,548	38,629	21,919
Under \$2,000 \$2,000-3,999	24,885 35,663 61,670 40,261 10,589	24,927 48,282 29,429	11,183 10,736 13,388 10,832 4,238
<u>Living arrangement</u>			
Tota1	173,069	122,691	50,378
Living alone or with nonrelativesLiving with relatives:	10,984	3,828	7,156
MarriedOther	81,048 81,037		35,613 7,609
<u>Quarter</u>			
July-September	171,792 172,645 173,582 174,256	122,381	50,015 50,264 50,511 50,715

NOTE: For official population estimates for more general use, see Bureau of the Census reports on the civilian population of the United States, in <u>Current Population Reports</u>: Series P-20, P-25, and F-60.

APPENDIX I

TECHNICAL NOTES ON METHODS

Background of This Report

This report, <u>Types of Injuries</u>, is one of a series of statistical reports prepared by the National Health Survey. It is based on information collected in a continuing nationwide sample of households in the Health Interview Survey, a major part of the program.

The Health Interview Survey utilizes a questionnaire which, in addition to personal and demographic characteristics, obtains information on illnesses, injuries, chronic conditions and impairments, and other health topics. As data relating to each of these various broad topics are tabulated and analyzed, separate reports are issued which cover one or more of the specific topics. The present report is based on the consolidated sample for 208 weeks of interviewing ending June 1961.

The population covered by the sample for the Health Interview Survey is the civilian, noninstitutional population of the United States living at the time of the interview. The sample does not include members of the Armed Forces, U.S. nationals living in foreign countries, or crews of vessels. It should also be noted that the estimates shown do not represent a complete inventory of injuries for the specified calendar period since no adjustment has been made for persons who incurred injuries during the 2-week-recall period but who died prior to the interview.

Statistical Design of the Health Interview Survey

General plan.—The sampling plan of the survey follows a multistage probability design which permits a continuous sampling of the civilian population of the United States. During the first 18 months of the survey the first stage of this design consisted of drawing a sample of 372 from the 1,900 geographically defined primary sampling units (PSU's) into which the United States has been divided. A PSU is a county, a group of contiguous counties, or a standard metropolitan statistical area. Beginning in January 1959 the sample size was increased to 500 PSU's. However, the basic sampling design and methods of estimating remained unchanged during the 4-year period covered by this report.

With no loss in general understanding, the remaining stages can be telescoped and treated in this discussion

as an ultimate stage. Within PSU's, then, ultimate stage units called segments are defined, also geographically, in such a manner that each segment contains an expected six households in the sample. Each week a random sample of about 120 segments is drawn. In the approximately 700 households in these segments, household members are interviewed concerning factors related to health.

Since the household members interviewed each week are a representative sample of the population, samples for successive weeks can be combined into larger samples. Thus the design permits both continuous measurement of characteristics of high incidence or prevalence in the population, and through the larger consolidated samples, more detailed analysis of less common characteristics and smaller categories. The continuous collection has administrative and operational advantages as well as technical assets, since it permits field work to be handled with an experienced, stable staff.

Sample size and geographic detail.—The national sample plan over the 4-year period ending June 1961 included about 485,000 persons from 149,000 households in 25,000 segments. The overall sample was designed in such a fashion that tabulations can be provided for each of the major geographic regions and for urban and rural sectors of the United States.

Collection of data.—The field operations for the household survey are performed by the Bureau of the Census under specifications established by the National Center for Health Statistics. In accordance with these specifications the Bureau of the Census designs and selects the sample; conducts the field interviewing, acting as the collecting agent for the Center; and edits and codes the questionnaires. Tabulations are prepared by the Division of Health Interview Statistics, using the electronic computers of the Center.

Estimating methods.—Each statistic produced by the survey—for example, the number of contusions sustained in a specified period—is the result of two stages of ratio estimation. In the first of these, the factor is the ratio of the 1950 decennial population count to the 1950 estimated population in the National Health Survey's first-stage sample of PSU's. These factors are applied for some 50 color-residence classes. Prior to January 1959 about 132 color-residence classes were applied.

Later, ratios of sample-produced estimates of the

population to official Bureau of the Census figures for current population in about 60 age-sex-color classes (76 before January 1959) are computed, and serve as second-stage factors for ratio estimating.

The effect of the ratio estimating process is to make the sample more closely representative of the population by age, sex, color, and residence, thus reducing sampling variance.

As noted, each week's sample represents the population living during that week and characteristics of that population. Consolidation of samples over a time period, say a calendar quarter, produces estimates of average characteristics of the U.S. population for that calendar quarter. Similarly, population data for a year are averages of the four quarterly figures.

For statistics measuring the number of occurrences during a specified time period, such as the number of bed-disability days due to injuries, a similar computational procedure is used, but the statistics have a different interpretation. For these items, the questionnaire asks for the respondent's experience over the 2-calendar weeks prior to the week of interview. In such instances the estimated quarterly total for the statistic is simply 6.5 times the average 2-week estimate produced by the 13 successive samples taken during the period. The annual total is the sum of the four quarters. Thus, the experience of persons interviewed during a year-experience which actually occurred for each person in a 2-calendar-week interval prior to week of interview-is treated as though it measured the total of such experience during the year. Such interpretation leads to no significant bias.

General Qualifications

Nonresponse.—Data were adjusted for nonresponse by a procedure which imputes to persons in a household which was not interviewed the characteristics of persons in households in the same segment which were interviewed. The total noninterview rate was 5 percent; 1 percent was refusal, and the remainder was primarily due to the failure to find any eligible household respondent after repeated trials.

The interview process.—The statistics presented in this report are based on replies secured in interviews of persons in the sampled household. Each adult available at the time of interview was interviewed individually. Proxy respondents within the household were employed for children and for adults not available at the time of the interview, provided the respondent was closely related to the person about whom information was being obtained.

There are limitations to the accuracy of diagnostic and other information collected in household interviews. For diagnostic information the household respondent can, at best, pass on to the interviewer only the information the physician has given to the family. For conditions not medically attended, diagnostic information is

often no more than a description of symptoms. However, other facts, such as the number of disability days caused by the condition, can be obtained more accurately from household members than from any other source since only the persons concerned are in a position to report this information.

Rounding of numbers.—The original tabulations on which the data in this report are based show all estimates to the nearest whole unit. All consolidations were made from the original tabulations using the estimates to the nearest unit. In the final published tables the figures are rounded to the nearest thousand, although these are not necessarily accurate to that detail. Devised statistics, such as rates and percent distributions, are computed after the estimates on which these are based have been rounded to the nearest thousand.

Population figures.-Some of the published tables include population figures for specified categories. Except for certain overall totals by age and sex, which are adjusted to independent estimates, these figures are based on the sample of households in the National Health Survey. These are given primarily to provide denominators for rate computation, and for this purpose are more appropriate for use with the accompanying measures of health characteristics than are other population data that may be available. In some instances these will permit users to recombine published data into classes more suitable to their specific needs. With the exception of the overall totals by age and sex, mentioned above, the population figures differ from corresponding figures (which are derived from different sources) published in reports of the Bureau of the Census. For population data for general use, see the official estimates presented in Bureau of the Census reports in the P-20, P-25, and P-60 series.

Reliability of Estimates

Since the estimates are based on a sample, they will differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained if a complete census had been taken using the same schedules, instructions, and interviewing personnel and procedures. As in any survey, the results are also subject to measurement error.

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability, that is, the variations that might occur by chance because only a sample of the population is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also reflects part of the variation which arises in the measurement process. It does not include estimates of any biases which might lie in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate from the sample would differ from a complete census by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error and about 99 out of 100 that it would be less than 2½ times as large.

The relative standard error of an estimate is ob-

tained by dividing the standard error of the estimate by the estimate itself, and is expressed as a percentage of the estimate. Included in this Appendix are charts from which the relative standard errors can be determined for estimates shown in the report. In order to derive relative errors which would be applicable to a wide variety of health statistics and which could be prepared at a moderate cost, a number of approximations were required. As a result, the charts provide an estimate of the approximate relative standard error rather than the precise error for any specific aggregate or percentage.

Three classes of statistics for the health survey are identified for purposes of estimating variances.

Narrow range.—This class consists of (1) statistics which estimate a population attribute, e.g., the number of persons in a particular income group, and (2) statistics for which the measure for a single individual for the period of reference is usually either 0 or 1, on occasion may take on the value 2, and very rarely, 3.

Medium range.—This class consists of other statistics for which the measure for a single individual for the period of reference will rarely lie outside the range 0 to 5.

<u>Wide range.</u>—This class consists of statistics for which the measure for a single individual for the period of reference frequently will range from 0 to a number in excess of 5, e.g., the number of days of bed disability experienced during the year.

In addition to classifying variables according to whether they are narrow-, medium-, or wide-range, statistics in the survey are further defined as:

- Type A.—Statistics on prevalence, and incidence data for which the period of reference in the questionnaire is 12 months.
- Type B.—Incidence-type statistics for which the period of reference in the questionnaire is 2 weeks.

Only the charts on sampling error applicable to data contained in this report are presented.

General rules for determining relative sampling errors.—The "guide" on page 32, together with the following rules, will enable the reader to determine approximate relative standard errors from the charts for estimates presented in this report.

Rule 1. Estimates of aggregates: Approximate relative standard errors of estimates of aggregates, such as the number of persons with a given characteristic, or the number of injuries, are obtained from appropriate curves on pages 33 and 34. The number of persons in the total U.S. population or in an age-sex-color class of the total population is adjusted to official Bureau of the Census figures and is not subject to sampling error.

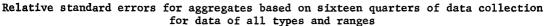
- Rule 2. Estimates of percentages in a percent distribution: Relative standard errors of percentages in a percent distribution of a total are obtained from appropriate curves on pages 35-37. For values which do not fall on one of the curves presented in the chart, visual interpolation will provide a satisfactory approximation.
- Rule 3. Estimates of rates where the numerator is a subclass of the denominator: Not required for statistics presented in this report.
- Rule 4. Estimates of rates where the numerator is not a subclass of the denominator: This rule applies where a unit of the numerator often occurs more than once for any one unit in the denominator. For example, in the computation of the number of injuries per 100 persons per year, it is possible that a person in the denominator could have sustained more than one of the injuries included in the numerator. Approximate relative standard errors for rates of this kind may be computed as follows:
 - (a) Where the denominator is the total U.S. population, or includes all persons in one or more of the age-sex groups of the total population, the relative error of the rate is equivalent to the relative error of the numerator which can be obtained directly from the appropriate chart.
 - (b) In other cases, obtain the relative standard error of the numerator and of the denominator from the appropriate curve. Square each of these relative errors, add the resulting values, and extract the square root of the sum. This procedure will result in an upper bound, and often will overstate the error.

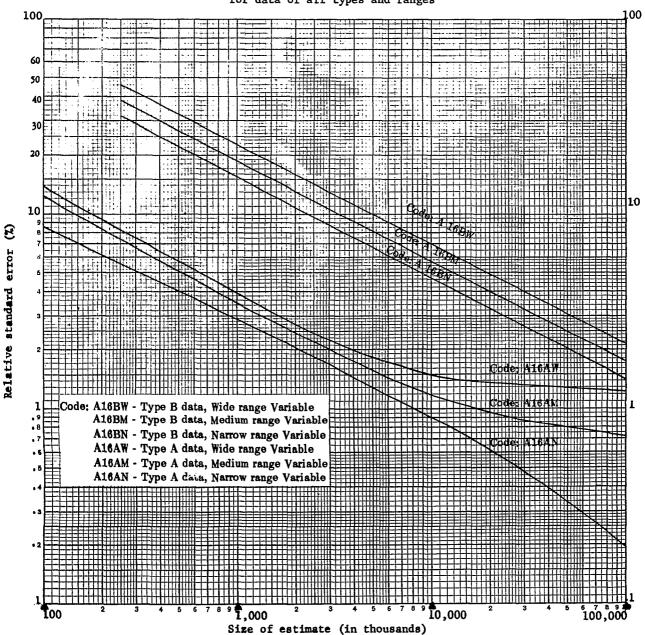
Guide to Use of Relative Standard Error Charts

The code shown below identifies the appropriate curve to be used in estimating the relative standard error of the statistic described. The four components of each code describe the statistic as follows: (1)

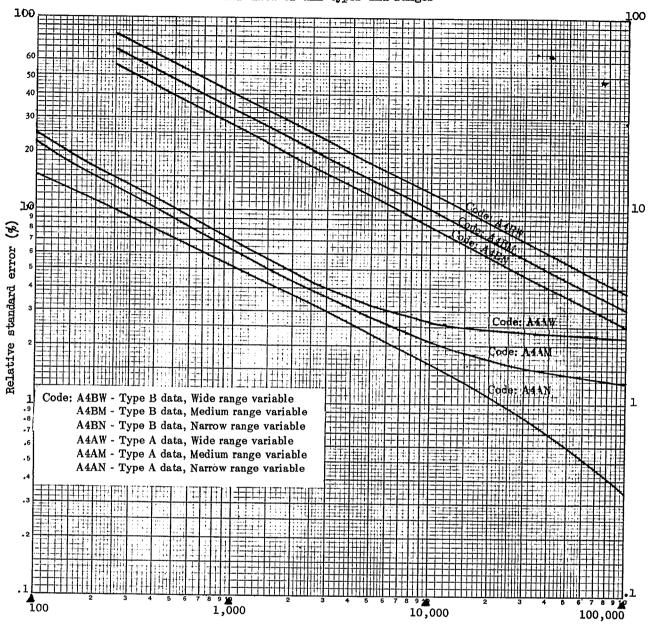
A = aggregate, P = percentage; (2) the number of calendar quarters of data collection; (3) the type of the statistic as described on page 31; and (4) the range of the statistic as described on page 31.

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Statistic	Rule	Code on	page						
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Injuries: Per average year	1	A16BN	33						
Per average quarter	1	A4BN	34						
Disability days per year	1	A16BW	33						
Persons injured per year	1	A16BN	33						
Percentage distribution of: Persons in a population group	2	P16AN-M	35						
Injuries in a year	2	P16BN-M	36						
Disability days in a year	2	P16BW	37						
Incidence rates for injuries: Per 100 total U.S. population or per 100 persons in any age-sex group of the total U.S. population:									
Per average year	4(a)	A4BN	34						
Per average quarter	4(a)	A16BN	33						
Per 100 persons in any other population group per year	4(b)	Numer.: A16BN Denom.: A16AN	33 33						
Number of disability days: Per 100 total U.S. population or per 100 persons in any age-sex group of the total U.S. population per year	4(a)	A16BW	33						
Per case for injuries per year	4(b)	Numer.: A16BW Denom.: A16BN	33 33						





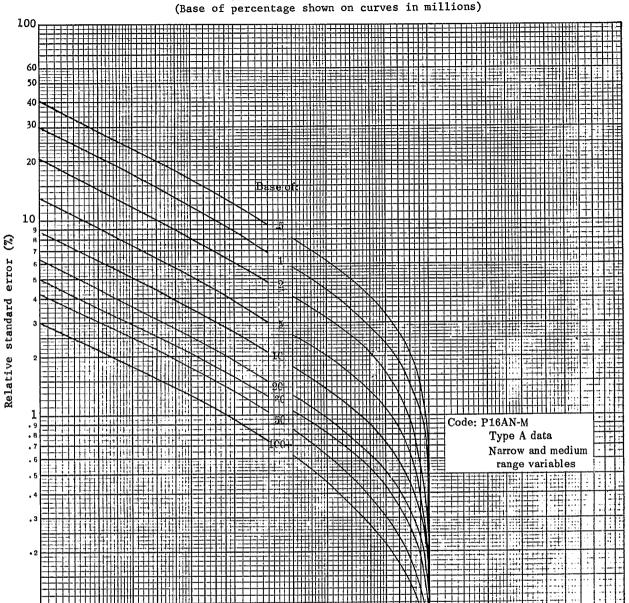
Example of use of chart: An aggregate of 10,000,000 (on scale at bottom of chart) for a Narrow range Type A statistic (code: A16AN) has a relative standard error of 0.9 percent, read from scale at left side of chart, or a standard error of 90,000 (0.9 percent of 10,000,000). For a Wide range Type B statistic (code: A16BW), an aggregate of 10,000,000 has a relative error of 7.0 percent or a standard error of 700,000 (7.0 percent of 10,000,000).



Size of estimate (in thousands)

Example of use of chart: An aggregate of 2,000,000 (on scale at bottom of chart) for a Narrow range Type A statistic (code: A4AN) has a relative standard error of 3.6 percent, (read from scale at left side of chart), or a standard error of 72,000 (3.6 percent of 2,000,000). For a Wide range Type B statistic (code: A4BW), an aggregate of 6,000,000 has a relative error of 16.0 percent or a standard error of 960,000 (16 percent of 6,000,000).

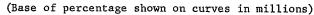
Relative standard errors for percentages based on sixteen quarters of data collection for type A data, Narrow and Medium range

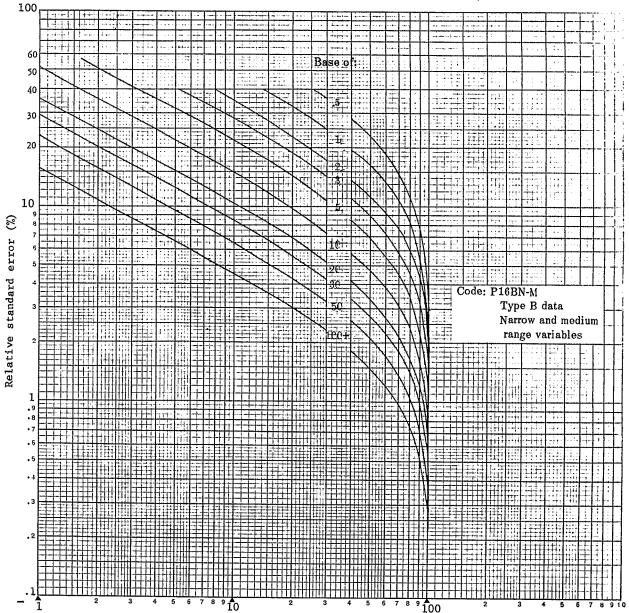


Example of use of chart: An estimate of 20 percent (on scale at bottom of chart) based on an estimate of 10,000,000 has a relative standard error of 1.8 percent (read from the scale at the left side of the chart), the point at which the curve for a base of 10,000,000 intersects the vertical line for 20 percent. The standard error in percentage points is equal to 20 percent X 1.8 percent or 0.36 percentage points.

Estimated percentage

Relative standard errors for percentages based on sixteen quarters of data collection for type B data, Narrow and Medium range



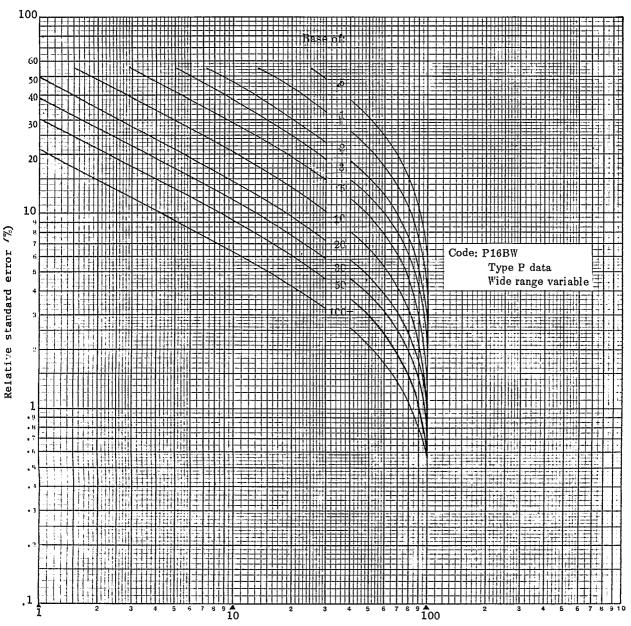


Estimated percentage

Example of use of chart: An estimate of 20 percent (on scale at bottom of chart) based on an estimate of 10,000,000 has a relative standard error of 9.7 percent (read from scale at the left side of the chart), the point at which the curve for a base of 10,000,000 intersects the vertical line for 20 percent. The standard error in percentage points is equal to 20 percent X 9.7 percent or 1.9 percentage points.

Relative standard errors for percentages based on sixteen quarters of data collection for type B data, Wide range

(Base of percentage shown on curves in millions)



Example of use of chart: An estimate of 20 percent (on scale at bottom of chart) based on an estimate of 10,000,000 has a relative standard error of 13.5 percent (read from scale at the left side of the chart), the point at which the curve for a base of 10,000,000 intersects the vertical line for 20 percent. The standard error in percentage points is equal to 20 percent X 13.5 percent or 2.7 percentage points.

Estimated percentage

APPENDIX II

DEFINITIONS OF CERTAIN TERMS USED IN THIS REPORT

Terms Relating to Persons Injured

Injury condition.—An injury condition, or simply an injury, is a condition of the type that is classified to the nature of injury code numbers (N800-N999) in the International Classification of Diseases. In addition to fractures, lacerations, contusions, burns, and so forth, which are commonly thought of as injuries, this group of codes include: effects of exposure, such as sunburn; adverse reactions to immunizations and other medical procedures, and poisonings. Unless otherwise specified, the term injury is used to cover all of these.

Since a person may sustain more than one injury in a single accident, e.g., a broken leg and laceration of the scalp, the number of injury conditions may exceed the number of persons injured.

Statistics of acute injury conditions include only those injuries which involved at least one full day of restricted activity or medical attendance.

Person injured.—A person injured is one who has sustained one or more injuries in an accident or in some type of nonaccidental violence (see definition of "Injury condition" above). Each time a person is involved in an accident or in nonaccidental violence causing injury that results in at least one full day of restricted activity or medical attention, he is included in the statistics as a separate "person injured," hence, one person may be included more than once.

The number of persons injured is not equivalent to the number of "accidents" for several reasons: (1) the term "accident" as commonly used may not involve injury at all; (2) more than one injured person may be involved in a single accident so that the number of accidents resulting in injury would be less than the number of persons injured in accidents; and (3) the term "accident" ordinarily implies an accidental origin, whereas "persons injured" as used in the National Health Survey includes persons whose injury resulted from certain nonaccidental violence.

The number of persons injured in a specified time interval is always equal to or less than the incidence of injury conditions, since one person may incur more than one injury in a single accident.

Terms Relating to Disability

Disability day.—The following terms are used to describe the disability resulting from illness or injury: days of restricted activity, days of bed disability, hospital days, and days lost from work or school. All hospital days are, by definition, days of bed disability; all days of bed disability are, by definition, days of restricted activity. The converse form of these statements is, of course, not true. Days lost from work and days lost from school are special terms which apply to the currently employed and the school-age populations only, but these, too, are days of restricted activity. Hence, "restricted activity" is the most inclusive term used to describe the disability reported in the interview. Certain of the terms used in connection with disability measures are defined more explicitly below.

Restricted-activity day.—A day of restricted activity is one on which a person substantially reduces the amount of activity normal for that day because of a specific illness or injury. The type of reduction varies with the age and occupation of the individual as well as with the day of the week or season of the year. Restricted activity covers the range from substantial reduction to complete inactivity for the entire day.

Bed-disability day.—A day of bed disability is one on which a person stays in bed for all or most of the day because of a specific illness or injury. All or most of the day is defined as more than half the daylight hours. All hospital days for inpatients are considered to be days of bed disability even if the patient was not actually in bed at the hospital.

Work-loss day.—A day is counted as lost from work if the person would have been going to work at a job or business that day but instead lost the entire work day because of an illness or an injury. If the person's regular work day is less than a whole day and the entire work day was lost, it would be counted as a whole work day lost. Work-loss days are determined only for currently employed persons 17 years of age and over.

Classification of injured persons by activity restrictions or medical attendance.—The classification of injured persons by activity restriction or medical at-

tendance is based upon the classification of the injury. (See definitions that follow for: activity-restricting injury, bed-disabling injury, work- or school-loss injury, and medically attended injury.) For example, a person may have received several injuries in a single accident; if one of the injuries involved one or more days of restricted activity, one or more days in bed, or medical attendance, the person injured would correspondingly be classified as: with restricted activity, with bed disability, or medically attended.

Activity-restricting injury.—An activity-restricting injury is an injury which has caused at least one day of restricted activity. (See definition of "Restricted-activity day.") The incidence of activity-restricting injuries is estimated from the number of such injuries reported as having occurred in the 2 calendar weeks before the interview week. For this reason, an injury which did not result in restricted activity until after the end of the 2-week period in which it occurred is not classified as an activity-restricting injury.

Bed-disabling injury.—An injury resulting in at least 1 day of bed disability is called a bed-disabling injury. (See also definition of "Activity-restricting injury.")

Work- or school-loss injury.—An injury resulting in at least 1 day of work or school loss is called a work-loss injury or a school-loss injury. (See also definition of "Activity-restricting injury.")

Medically attended injury.—An injury for which a physician was consulted is called a medically attended injury. Consulting a physician includes consultation in person or by telephone for treatment or advice. Advice from the physician transmitted to the patient through the nurse is counted as medical consultation as well as visits to physicians in clinics or hospitals. If at one visit the physician is consulted about more than one injury for each of several patients, each injury is counted as medically attended.

A parent consulting a physician about a child's injury is counted as medical consultation about that injury even if the child was not seen by the physician at that time.

For the purpose of this definition "physician" includes doctors of medicine and osteopathic physicians. The term "doctor" is used in the interview, rather than "physician," because of the need to keep to popular usage. However, the concept toward which all instructions are directed is that which is described here.

An injury is counted as medically attended if a physician was consulted about it at its onset or at any time thereafter. However, the first medical attention for an injury that was experienced during the 2-week period prior to the household interview may not occur until after the date of the interview. Such cases are necessarily treated as though there had been no medical attention.

Demographic and Economic: Terms

Age.—The age recorded for each person is his age at last birthday. Age is recorded in single years and combined into groups suitable for the purpose of the table.

Quarter.—The quarters used by the National Health Survey are actually 13-week periods rather than 3 calendar months. Since each 13-week period begins on a Monday and ends on a Sunday, the actual dates of the beginning and end of each 13-week period may overlap into another calendar quarter. Therefore, the time periods in the table headings are the approximate rather than the precise periods during which the interviewing was conducted.

Income of family or of unrelated individuals.—Each member of a family is classified according to the total income of the family of which he is a member. Within the household all persons related to each other by blood, marriage, or adoption constitute a family. Unrelated individuals are classified according to their own income.

The income recorded is the total of all income received by members of the family (or by an unrelated individual) in the 12-month period ending with the week of interview. Income from all sources is included, e.g., wages, salaries, rents from property, pensions, help from relatives, and so forth.

Living arrangements.—Three categories of living arrangements are shown in this report, as follows:

- 1. Living alone or with nonrelatives.—Living alone is defined as persons living in one-member households. Living with nonrelatives is defined as persons living in a household with another person or persons, none of whom are related to him by blood, marriage, or adoption.
- 2. Living with relatives-married.—This category includes married persons who are living in a household with another person or persons, of whom one or more are related to him by blood, marriage, or adoption. Persons with commonlaw marriages are considered to be married. For purposes of this category "married" excludes widowed, divorced, or separated. Persons whose only marriage was annulled are counted as "never married."
- 3. Living with relatives-other.—This category includes persons who are widowed, divorced, separated, or never married who are living in a household with another person or persons, of whom one or more are related to him by blood, marriage, or adoption. Persons whose only marriage was annulled are counted as "never married." "Separated" refers to married persons who have a legal separation or who have parted because of marital discord.

Residence.—Residence is the term used to signify the division of the United States into urban, rural-nonfarm, and rural-farm populations. The definition of urban and rural areas is the same as that used in the 1950 Census.

<u>Urban.</u>—The urban population includes all persons living in (a) places of 2,500 inhabitants or more which are incorporated as cities, boroughs, or villages; (b) incorporated towns of 2,500 inhabitants or more except in New England, New York, and Wisconsin where "Towns" are simply minor civil divisions of counties; (c) the densely settled urban fringe including both incorporated and unincorporated areas around cities of 50,000 or more inhabitants; and (d) unincorporated places of 2,500 inhabitants or more outside any urban fringe. The remaining population is classified as rural.

Rural farm.-The rural-farm population includes all rural residents living on farms. In deciding whether the members of a household live on a farm or ranch, the statement of the household respondent is accepted with the following exception. A house occupied by persons who pay cash rent for house and yard only is not counted as a farm or ranch even if the surrounding area is farm land. This special case does not cover: (1) the living quarters of a tenant farmer who rents farm land as well as house and yard; (2) the quarters of a hired hand who receives living quarters on a farm as part of his compensation; or (3) separate living quarters inside a structure which is classified as being on a farm. In all of these cases the living quarters are counted as being on a farm.

Rural nonfarm.—The rural-nonfarm population includes all of the remaining rural population.

Region.—For the purposes of classifying the population by geographic area, the National Health Survey uses the same grouping of States used by the Bureau of the Census and many other agencies. The major regions

Region	States Included
Northeast	-Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New 'Jersey, Pennsylvania
North Central	-Michigan, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas
South	-Delaware, Maryland, District of Columbia, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas
West	-Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Nevada, Washington, Oregon, California, Alaska, Hawaii

APPENDIX III

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If Male and 17 years old or over, ask:		Fem.or und. 17 yrs	Fen	n.or und. 17 yrs.
B. (a) Did you ever serve in the Armed Forces of the United States?	Yes	□ N ₀	Yes	□ No
If "Yes," ask:				
(b) Are you now in the Armed Forces, not counting the reserves? (If "Yes," delete this person from questionnaire)	Yes	□ No	Yes	□ No
(c) Was any of your service during a war or was it peace-time only?	☐ War	Peace- time only	☐ War	Peace- time only
If "War," ask:				·
(d) During which war did you serve?	□ ww 11	☐ Korean	□ ₩₩ II	Korean
If "Peace-time" only, ask:	<u></u>	Other	□ Oth	
(e) Was any of your service between June 27, 1950 and January 31, 1955?	Yes	□ No	Yes	□ No
If 17 years old or over, ask:	l	Under 17 years		der 17 years
9. (a) What were you doing most of the past 12 months-	Working		Working	
(For males): working, or doing something else?	Keeping		Keeping house	
(For females): working, keeping house, or doing samething else?	Somethi	ng else	Something else	c
If "Something else" checked, and person is 45 years old or over, ask: (b) Are you retired?	Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	□ No
If "Working," in q. 9(a), ask:	 	Under 17 years		der 17 years
10. (a) Were you working last week or the week before?]	,
If "Keeping house" or "Something else" in q. 9(a), ask:	Yes	□ No	Yes Yes	□ No
(b) Did you work at a job or business at any time last week or the week before?				
If "No," in q. 10(a) or 10(b), ask:				
(c) Even though you did not work last week or the week before, do you have a job or business?	Yes	☐ No	Yes	□ No
	 	Under 17 years	[] II-	der 17 years
NOTE: Determine which adults are at home and record this information. Beginning with question 11 you are to interview for himself or herself, each adult person who is at home.	At home	Not at home	At home	Not at home
11. Were you sick at any time LAST WEEK OR THE WEEK BEFORE? (That is, the 2-week period which ended last Sunday)?	Yes	□ No		١,٠٠٠
(a) What was the matter?	1		1	
(b) Anything else?	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
12. Last week or the week before did you take any medicine or treatment for any condition (besideswhich you tald me about)?	☐ Yes	□ No	Yes	☐ No
(a) For what conditions?	[
(b) Anything else?	<u> </u>		<u> </u>	
13. Last week or the week before did you have any accidents or injuries?	Yes	□ No	Yes	□ No
(a) What were they?				
(h) Anything else? 14. Did you ever have an (any other) accident or injury that was still bothering you last week or the	Yes	□No	Yes	□No
week before?		Lund - 14		_
(a) In what way did it bether you?	f			
(b) Anything else?	T Ven	F=1 Ma	Yes	□No
15. AT THE PRESENT TIME do you have any aliments or conditions that have lasted for a long time? (If "No") Even though they don't bother you all the time?	Yes	□ No		□ NO
(a) What are they?				
(b) Anything else?	<u> </u>		-	
16. Has anyone in the family - you, your, etc had any of these conditions DURING	Yes	□ No	Yes	☐ No
THE PAST 12 MONTHS? (Read Card A, condition by condition; record any conditions				
mentioned in the column for the person)				
17. Does anyone in the family have any of these conditions?	☐ Yes	□ No	Yes	☐ No
(Read Card B, condition by condition; record any conditions mentioned in the column for the person)				
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For persons 17 years old or over, show who responded for(or was present during the asking of) questions 11-17. If person responded for self, show whether entirely or partly. For persons under 17 show who responded for them.		ded for self-partlywas respondent	Responded for	
18. (a) Has anyone in the family been in a hospital DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS?		∏ No	Yes	□ No
If "Yes,"	Yes		∤ 	
(b) How many different times were you in the hospital overnight or longer?		No. of times		_No. of times
				□ No
19 (a) During the past 12 months has onyone in the family been a patient in a nursing home or sonitarium?	Yes	□ No	Yes	
If "Yes,"		No. of times		_ No. of times
(b) How many times were you in a nursing home or sanitarium?	Hospita		Hospital	☐ Home
20. If baby under one year listed as a household member, ask: (a) Wasbaby born in a hospital or at home?	nospita		· I Tuesburat	
If "hespital" in q. 20(a) and 1 or more in q. 18(b), ask:	☐ Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	☐ No

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X-RAY QUESTIONS 21. (a) We are interested in all kinds of X-rays - Did you have your teeth X-rayed during the past Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes Yes No Yes No Yes Yes No Yes Yes																
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Card B NATIONAL HEAL Check List of Select		Card D NATIONAL HEALTH SURVEY For: Housewife	Card F NATIONAL HEALTH SURVEY For: Children under 6 years old	Card H NATIONAL HEALTH SURVEY Family income during past 12 months
2. Serious trouble with seeing, even when wearing glasses		 Not able to keep house at all. Able to keep house but limited in amount or kind of housework. Able to keep house but limited in kind or amount of other activities. Not limited in any of these ways. 	1. Not able to take part at all in ordinary play with other children. 2. Able to play with other children but limited in amount or kind of play. 4. Not limited in any of these ways.	Group 1. Under \$500 (Including loss) Group 2. \$500 - \$999 Group 3. \$1,000 - \$1,999 Group 4. \$2,000 - \$2,999 Group 5. \$3,000 - \$3,999 Group 6. \$4,000 - \$4,999 Group 7. \$5,000 - \$6,999 Group 8. \$7,000 - \$9,999 Group 9. \$10,000 and over

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