MMP174 – MIG File

Description

MIG is a cross-sectional file for each head of household that migrated to the U.S.

MIG Variables

MMP174 – MIG file contains 9,052 observations and 612 variables. MIG is a person-level file containing details of all undocumented border crossings (up to 30) by each head of household, as well as measures of economic and social activity during the last U.S. trip.

Once the PERS file is constructed, then we selected only heads of households who reported at least one trip to the U.S. From PERS, we bring to MIG the person's background information from table A, health information from table Q and U.S. migration information from tables D and D2, and then merge all the following variables:

- Undocumented border crossings (table K).
- Migratory experience of family-of origin of head of household (table G).
- U.S. migration experience among extended family and friends (table H).
- Social, employment, and financial characteristics during the last U.S. trip (tables L and M).
- Benefits and assistance received during the last U.S. trip (table N).
- Detailed information pertaining temporary workers if migrant traveled under an H2 visa (tables R and S).

Do not forget to download the Ethnosurvey from our page in order to obtain specific tables and questions.

MIG Data File: Variable list and specification

Variable	Format	Label

Identifier information

COUNTRY	4.0	Country of focus
COMMUN	4.0	Community number
SURVEYPL	4.0	Place of survey
SURVEYYR	4.0	Year of survey
HHNUM	4.0	Household number (within community)

Sample-specific weight

WEIGHT	6.2	Weight

Background information

SEX	4.0	Sex
YRBORN	4.0	Year of birth
AGE	4.0	Age
STATEBRN	4.0	State of birth
PLACEBRN	4.0	Place of birth
MARSTAT	4.0	Marital status
EDYRS	4.0	School years completed
OCC	4.0	Principal occupation at the time of survey
HHINCOME	8.2	Household head income or wages
LDOWAGE	8.2	Wage (for last formal job in Mexico)
BY	4.0	Wage unit

Health Information

HEIGHT	6.2	Health: Height (meters)
KGS	6.2	Health: Weights (kilos)
SMOKES	4.0	Health: Currently smokes?
SMOKED	4.0	Health: Smoked before?
SMOKEAGE	4.0	Health: Age at first smoke
HEALTH	4.0	Health: Quality of health at age 14
HEALTHLY	4.0	Health: Quality of health the year before the survey
HEALTHNW	4.0	Health: Current quality of health
HYPERTEN	4.0	Health: Hypertension or high blood pressure

MIG Data File: Variable list and specification

Variable	Format	Label
SUGAR	4.0	Health: Diabetes or high sugar levels
HEART	4.0	Health: Has suffered heart attack or heart problems
BRAIN	4.0	Health: Brain damage
LUNG	4.0	Health: Chronic lung conditions
NERVES	4.0	Health: Emotional or psychiatric problems
CANCER	4.0	Health: Has suffered cancer
HYPERTYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Hypertension or high blood pressure
SUGARYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Diabetes or high sugar levels
HEARTYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Heart attack or heart problems
BRAINYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Brain damage
LUNGYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Chronic lung conditions
NERVESYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Emotional or psychiatric problems
CANCERYR	4.0	Health – Diagnosis year: Cancer

U.S. Migration Experience

Variable	Format	Label
USYR1	4.0	First US trip: Year
USDUR1	4.0	First US trip: Duration (in months)
USDOC1	4.0	First US trip: Documentation used
USSTATE1	4.0	First US trip: State of residence
USPLACE1	4.0	First US trip: City of residence
USMAR1	4.0	First US trip: Married
USOCC1	4.0	First US trip: Occupation
USWAGE1	8.2	First US trip: Wage (dollars)
USBY1	4.0	First US trip: Frequency of wages
USYRL	4.0	Last US trip: Year
USDURL	4.0	Last US trip: Duration (in months)
USDOCL	4.0	Last US trip: Documentation used
USSTATEL	4.0	Last US trip: State of residence
USPLACEL	4.0	Last US trip: City of residence
USMARL	4.0	Last US trip: Married
USOCCL	4.0	Last US trip: Occupation
USWAGEL	8.2	Last US trip: Wage (dollars)
USBYL	4.0	Last US trip: Frequency of wages
USCURTRP	4.0	Currently on last migration
USTRIPS	4.0	Total number of US migrations
USEXP	4.0	Total months of US experience

Variable	Format	Label
USHEALTH	4.0	Health: Quality of health before US migration
MXHEALTH	4.0	Health: Quality of health after US migration
LEGYRAPP	4.0	Legalization: Year applied
LEGYRREC	4.0	Legalization: Year received
LEGSPON	4.0	Legalization: Sponsor
CITYRAPP	4.0	Citizenship: Year applied
CITYRREC	4.0	Citizenship: Year received
DACAAPP	4.0	DACA: Year applied
DACAREC	4.0	DACA: Year received

Illegal Border Crossing Information (1-30):

Variable	Format	Label
CRSYR#	4.0	Crossing #: Year
CRSST#	4.0	Crossing #: Border crossing state
CRSPL#	4.0	Crossing #: Border crossing place
CRSHOW#	4.0	Crossing #: With whom
CRSCOY#	4.0	Crossing #: Coyote used
CRSCST#	8.2	Crossing #: Cost of coyote
CRSPAY#	4.0	Crossing #: Who paid coyote
CRSDEP#	4.0	Crossing #: Number of deportations
CRSYES#	4.0	Crossing #: Successful

Migratory experience of family-of-origin (of household head):

Variable	Format	Label
MOMGYR	4.0	Mother: Year of first US migration
MOGREE	4.0	Mother: Green card
MOYRGR	4.0	Mother: Year received green card
MODOC	4.0	Mother: Legal status
MODOYR	4.0	Mother: Year received legal status
MOLIVE	4.0	Mother: Still living
MOUSNW	4.0	Mother: Currently resides in US
MOUSST	4.0	Mother: State of US residence
MOUSPL	4.0	Mother: City of US residence
FAMGYR	4.0	Father: Year of first US migration
FAGREE	4.0	Father: Green card

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Variable	Format	Label
FAYRGR	4.0	Father: Year received green card
FADOC	4.0	Father: Legal status
FADOYR	4.0	Father: Year received legal status
FALIVE	4.0	Father: Still living
FAUSNW	4.0	Father: Currently resides in US
FAUSST	4.0	Father: State of US residence
FAUSPL	4.0	Father: City of US residence
SBSEX#	4.0	Sibling #: Sex
SBMGYR#	4.0	Sibling #: Year of first US migration
SBGREE#	4.0	Sibling #: Green card
SBYRGR#	4.0	Sibling #: Year received green card
SBDOC#	4.0	Sibling #: Legal status
SBDOYR#	4.0	Sibling #: Year received legal status
SBLIVE#	4.0	Sibling #: Still living
SBUSNW#	4.0	Sibling #: Currently resides in US
SBUSST#	4.0	Sibling #: State of US residence
SBUSPL#	4.0	Sibling #: City of US residence

US Migration Experience among Head's Extended Family and Friends

Variable	Format	Label
UNCINUS	4.0	Uncles: Number currently in US
UNCEVUS	4.0	Uncles: Number ever been to US
COINUS	4.0	Cousins: Number currently in US
COEVUS	4.0	Cousins: Number ever been to US
NEINUS	4.0	Nieces/nephews: Number currently in US
NEEVUS	4.0	Nieces/nephews: Number ever been to US
SBILINUS	4.0	Siblings-in-law: Number currently in US
SBILEVUS	4.0	Siblings-in-law: Number ever been to US
CHILINUS	4.0	Children-in-law: Number currently in US
CHILEVUS	4.0	Children-in-law: Number ever been to US
PILINUS	4.0	Parents-in-law: Number currently in US
PILEVUS	4.0	Parents-in-law: Number ever been to US
FRINUS	4.0	Friends: Number currently in US
FREVUS	4.0	Friends: Number ever been to US

First US visit: Social and financial characteristics

Variable	Format	Label
RELTRIP1	4.0	Relations: Lived with relatives
PAISTP1	4.0	Relations: Lived with Community members

Variable	Format	Label
LODGING1	4.0	Relations: Lodging from whom upon arrival
FINHELP1	4.0	Relations: Who provided financial help

Last US visit: Social characteristics

Variable	Format	Label
RELTRIP	4.0	Relations: Lived with relatives
PAISTRIP	4.0	Relations: Lived with Community members
SPORT	4.0	Relations: Participated in sports organizations
SOCIAL	4.0	Relations: Participated in social organizations
CHICANOS	4.0	Relations: With Chicanos
BLACKS	4.0	Relations: With African Americans
ASIANS	4.0	Relations: With Asians
ANGLOS	4.0	Relations: With Anglos
LATINOS	4.0	Relations: With Latinos
LODGING	4.0	Relations: Lodging from whom upon arrival
ENGLISH	4.0	Relations: English proficiency
ENGHOME	4.0	Relations: English use at home
ENGWORK	4.0	Relations: English use at work
ENGFRND	4.0	Relations: English use among friends
ENGNEIG	4.0	Relations: English use in neighborhood

Last US visit: Employment characteristics (Household head and Spouse)

Variable	Format	Label
HOWJOB	4.0	Employment: How job was obtained
HRWAGE	8.2	Employment: Hourly wage
HRWEEK	4.0	Employment: Usual hours worked per week
MONSYR	4.0	Employment: Usual months worked per year
HOWPAID	4.0	Employment: How wages paid
SSTAX	4.0	Employment: Social security taxes withheld
FEDTX	4.0	Employment: Federal taxes withheld
ROWNER	4.0	Employment: Race of employer
RSUPER	4.0	Employment: Race of supervisor
HOWJOBS	4.0	Spouse's employment: How job was obtained
HRWAGES	8.2	Spouse's employment: Hourly wage
HRWEEKS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Usual hours worked per week
MONSYRS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Usual months worked per year
HOWPAIDS	4.0	Spouse's employment: How wages paid

MIG Data File: Variable list and specification

Variable	Format	Label
SSTAXS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Social security taxes withheld
FEDTXS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Federal taxes withheld
ROWNERS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Race of employer
RSUPERS	4.0	Spouse's employment: Race of supervisor

Last US visit: Financial characteristics

FINHELP	4.0	Finances: Who provided financial help
BANKACCT	4.0	Finances: Bank account
CARD	4.0	Finances: Credit card
TAXES	4.0	Finances: Tax return
CONSULAR	4.0	Finances: Mexican Consular ID
RENT	8.2	Finances: Rent per month
FOOD	8.2	Finances: Food budget per month

Last US visit: Remittances and Savings

REMIT	8.2	Finances: Average monthly remittances
REMIT#	4.0	Finances: Purpose of remittance (1 – 5)
SAVINGS	8.2	Finances: Average monthly savings
SAVRETRN	8.2	Finances: Savings brought to Mexico
SAVINGS#	4.0	Finances: Purpose of savings (1 – 5)

Last US Visit: Benefits and Assistance

SCHOOLS	4.0	Benefits: Children in public schools
UNEMP	4.0	Benefits: Received unemployment compensation
FOODST	4.0	Benefits: Received food stamps
WELFARE	4.0	Benefits: Received any welfare (all types)
AFDC	4.0	Benefits: Received AFDC benefits
WIC	4.0	Benefits: Received WIC benefits
SSI	4.0	Benefits: Received SSI benefits
GENERAL	4.0	Benefits: Received general assistance
DOCTOR	4.0	Health: Visited a doctor
HOSPITAL	4.0	Health: Visited a hospital
HLTHPMT#	4.0	Health: Who paid health bill (1 – 4)

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Variable	Format	Label

Temporary Workers: Employment Characteristics and Costs

APPPAID	4.0	Temporary Worker: Paid contractor
APPCOST	8.2	Temporary Worker: Total payment to contractor
APPCURR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Currency of payment to contractor
VISACOST	8.2	Temporary Worker: Visa cost
VISACURR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Currency of visa payment
VISAWHO	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who paid the visa?
DOCTAKEN	4.0	Temporary Worker: Upon arrival, any document taken away?
TRIPPAID	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who paid trip to the U.S.?
TRIPCOST	8.2	Temporary Worker: Trip cost to the U.S.
TRIPCURR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Currency of trip payment
RETPAID	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who paid return trip to Mexico?
RETCOST	8.2	Temporary Worker: Return trip cost to Mexico
RETCURR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Currency of return trip payment
CONTRACT	4.0	Temporary Worker: Received contract copy?
CONKEPT	4.0	Temporary Worker: Contract terms kept?
CONVIO#	4.0	Temporary Worker: Violation contract (1-4)

Temporary Workers: Living Conditions

TRANSWK	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who provided transportation to work?
HOUSING	4.0	Temporary Worker: Was housing provided?
HOUCOST	4.0	Temporary Worker: Housing cost
HOUCURR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Currency of housing payment
HOUFREQ	4.0	Temporary Worker: Frequency of housing payment
HOUSHARE	4.0	Temporary Worker: Shared housing?
HOUPERS	4.0	Temporary Worker: Number of persons sharing housing
HOUTYPE	4.0	Temporary Worker: Type of housing
HKITCHEN	4.0	Temporary Worker: Did housing have kitchen?
HDINING	4.0	Temporary Worker: Did housing have dining area?
HLIVING	4.0	Temporary Worker: Did housing have living room?
HBATH	4.0	Temporary Worker: Number of bathrooms in the housing
HROOMS	4.0	Temporary Worker: Number of bedrooms in the housing
HCOND	4.0	Temporary Worker: Housing condition

Variable	Format	Label

Temporary Workers: Treatment and Payment

Variable	Format	Label
ABUSED	4.0	Temporary Worker: Has the worker been mistreated?
ABUSEWHO	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who mistreated worker?
ABUSEREP	4.0	Temporary Worker: Was mistreatment reported?
ACCIDENT	4.0	Temporary Worker: Has had accident or illnesses due to labor?
MEDICAL	4.0	Temporary Worker: Received medical treatment?
MEDICPD	4.0	Temporary Worker: Who paid for medical treatment?
LOCALWKR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Other local workers?
LATINWKR	4.0	Temporary Worker: Other Latino workers?
SAMEJOB	4.0	Temporary Worker: Same job?
SAMEPAY	4.0	Temporary Worker: Received the same pay?
OVERTIME	4.0	Temporary Worker: Paid overtime?
OVERTMTP	4.0	Temporary Worker: Regular rate or overtime pay?
TEMPCOMP	4.0	Temporary Worker: Worked full season?
UNEMPBEN	4.0	Temporary Worker: Received unemployment benefits?
EMBASSY	4.0	Temporary Worker: Requested help from the MX consulate?
UNIONS	4.0	Temporary Worker: Experience with labor unions?

MIG Data File: Variable Codes

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
Identifier Information			
COUNTRY	Country of focus		
		1	Mexico
COMMUN	Community number		
			(See Appendix A for codes and descriptions)
SURVEYPL	Place of survey		
		1	Home country
		2	US community
SURVEYYR	Year of survey		
			(See Appendix A for survey periods)
		yyyy	Year
HHNUM	Household number (within community)		
		nnnn	Number of household
Sample-Specific Weight:			
WEIGHT	Weight		
		nnn.nn	Weight
Background Information:			
SEX	Sex		
		1	Male
		2	Female
YRBORN	Year of birth		
		yyyy	Year
		9999	Unknown
AGE	Age		
		nn	Age in years
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
STATEBRN	**State of birth**		
			(See Appendix C for State codes)
		9999	Unknown
PLACEBRN	**Place of birth**		
		0	Concealed code to protect confidentiality
			(See Appendix B for Place codes)
		9999	Unknown
MARSTAT	**Marital status**		
		1	Never married
		2	Married (civil or religious)
		3	Consensual union
		4	Widowed
		5	Divorced
		6	Separated
		9999	Unknown
EDYRS	**School years completed**		
		nn	Years of education completed
		9999	Unknown
OCC	**Principal occupation at the time of survey**		
			(See Appendix D for occupation codes)
		9999	Unknown
HHINCOME Note: Question dropped and replaced by LDOWAGE in community #53	**Household Head Income or Wages**		
		nnn.nn	Amount
		0	Not employed for wages / No income
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 53+
LDOWAGE Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Wage (for last formal job in Mexico)**		
		nnn.nn	Amount
		0	Never employed for wages in Mexico
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
BY	**Wage unit**		
		1	Hour
		2	Day
		3	Week
		4	Biweekly
		5	Month
		6	Year
		9999	Unknown

Health Information

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
HEIGHT Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Health: Height (meters)**		
		n.nn	Height in meters
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
KGS Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Health: Weight (kilos)**		
		nnn.nn	Weight in kilos
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
SMOKES Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Health: Currently smokes?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
SMOKED Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Health: Smoked before?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
SMOKEAGE Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Health: Age at first smoke**		
		nn	Age
		8888	Has never smoked
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

HEALTH
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Quality of health at age 14

	Value	Definition
	1	Poor
	2	Regular
	3	Good
	4	Excellent
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

HEALTHLY
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Quality of health last year

	Value	Definition
	1	Poor
	2	Regular
	3	Good
	4	Excellent
	.	Communities 1 - 114

HEALTHNW
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Current quality of health

	Value	Definition
	1	Poor
	2	Regular
	3	Good
	4	Excellent
	.	Communities 1 - 114

HYPERTEN
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had hypertension or high blood pressure?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

SUGAR
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had diabetes or high sugar levels?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

HEART
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had heart attack or heart problems?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

BRAIN
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has suffered a stroke?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

LUNG
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had chronic lung conditions?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

NERVES
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had emotional, nerves, or psychiatric problems?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	.	Communities 1 - 114

CANCER
Note: Question introduced in community #115

Health: Has/had cancer or malignant tumor?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 114

HYPERTYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Hypertension or high blood pressure

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 161

SUGARYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Diabetes or high sugar levels

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 161

HEARTYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Heart attack or heart problems

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1 - 161

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

BRAINYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Stroke

		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 161

LUNGYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Lung conditions

		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 161

NERVESYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Emotional, nerves, or psychiatric problems

		1	Yes
		2	No
		.	Communities 1 - 161

CANCERYR
Note: Question introduced in community #162

Health – Diagnosis Year: Cancer or malignant tumor?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 161

U.S. Migration Experience

USYR1 - USYRL

First/last US trip: Year

		yyyy	Year
		9999	Unknown

USDUR1 - USDURL

First/last US trip: Duration (in months)

		nnn	Number of months
		9999	Unknown

USDOC1 - USDOCL

First/last US trip: Documentation used

		1	Legal resident
		2	Contract - Bracero
		3	Contract - H2A (agricultural)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		4	Temporary: Worker
		5	Temporary: Tourist/visitor
		6	Citizen
		7	Silva Letter
		8	Undocumented (includes false documents)
		9	Refugee / asylum
		12	DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals)
		9999	Unknown
USSTATE1 - USSTATEL	**First/last US trip: State of residence**		
			(See Appendix C for State codes)
USPLACE1 - USPLACEL	**First/last US trip: City of residence**		
			(See Appendix B for place codes)
		9999	Unknown
USMAR1 - USMARL Note: Question introduced in community #72	**First/last US trip: Married**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 71
USOCC1 - USOCCL	**First/last US trip: Occupation**		
			(See Appendix D for occupation codes)
		9999	Unknown
USWAGE1 - USWAGEL	**First/last US trip: Wage (dollars)**		
		nnn.dd	Amount
		8888	N/A (Not employed for wages)
		9999	Unknown
USBY1 - USBYL	**First/last US trip: Frequency of wages**		
		1	Hour
		2	Day
		3	Week
		4	Biweekly
		5	Month
		6	Year
		8888	N/A (Not employed for wages)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
USCURTRP	**Currently on last US migration**		
		1	Yes (has not returned)
		2	No (has returned)
		9999	Unknown
USTRIPS	**Total number of US migrations**		
		nnn	Number of visits made to the United States
		9999	Unknown
USEXP	**Total months of US experience**		
		nnn	Number of months
		9999	Unknown
USHEALTH Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Quality of health prior to US migration**		
		1	Poor
		2	Regular
		3	Good
		4	Excellent
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
MXHEALTH Note: Question introduced in community #115	**Quality of health after US migration**		
		1	Poor
		2	Regular
		3	Good
		4	Excellent
		8888	N/A – has not returned home from U.S. trip
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 114
LEGYRAPP Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Legalization: Year applied**		
		yyyy	Year of application for legal residence
		8888	N/A (never applied for legalization)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
LEGYRREC	**Legalization: Year received**		
		yyyy	Year legal residence papers received

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		8888	N/A (never legalized)
		9999	Unknown
LEGSPON Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Legalization: Sponsor**		
		1	Spouse
		2	Child
		3	Parent
		4	Sibling
		5	Amnesty (Rodino/IRCA)
		6	Special Agricultural Worker (SAW/IRCA)
		7	Employer
		8	Other
		8888	N/A (never legalized)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
CITYRAPP Note: Question introduced in community #71	**Citizenship: Year applied**		
		yyyy	Year of application for citizenship
		8888	N/A (never applied for citizenship)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 71
CITYRREC Note: Question introduced in community #71	**Citizenship: Year received**		
		yyyy	Year citizenship papers received
		8888	N/A (never applied / hast not received yet)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 71
DACAAPP Note: Question introduced in 2015 – US Sample communities #148-150, 158 & 160	**DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals): Year applied**		
		yyyy	Year of application for DACA
		8888	N/A (never applied for DACA)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 161
DACAREC Note: Question introduced in 2015 – US Sample communities #148-150, 158 & 160	**DACA (Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals):: Year received**		
		yyyy	Year DACA papers received
		8888	N/A (never applied / hast not received yet)
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		.	Communities 1 – 161

Illegal Border Crossing Information (1-30)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
CRSYR#	**Crossing #: Year**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSST#	**Crossing #: Border crossing state**		
			(See Appendix C for State codes)
		1111	By airplane
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSPL#	**Crossing #: Border crossing place**		
			(See Appendix B for place codes)
		1111	By airplane
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSHOW#	**Crossing #: With whom**		
		1	Alone
		2	With family
		3	With friends
		4	With family and friends
		5	With unknown people
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSCOY#	**Crossing #: Coyote used**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSCST#	**Crossing #: Cost of coyote**		
		nnn.dd	Payment amount (dollars)
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
CRSPAY#	**Crossing #: Who paid Coyote**		
		1	Self
		2	Family
		3	Employer
		4	Friends
		5	Other
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSDEP#	**Crossing #: Number of deportations**		
		nnn	Number times deported during that attempt
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown
CRSYES#	**Crossing #: Successful**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no illegal crossings)
		9999	Unknown

Migratory experience of family-of-origin (of household head):

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
MOMGYR	**Mother: Year of first US migration**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
MOGREE	**Mother: Green card?**		
Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by MODOC in community #120		1	Yes
		2	No
		3	Citizen
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
MOYRGR	**Mother: Year received green card**		
Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by MODOYR in community #120		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+
MODOC	**Mother: Legal Status**		
		1	Green Card Holder
Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing MOGREE		2	U.S. Citizen
		3	Undocumented
		4	Other (i.e. tourist visa, work visa)
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119
MODOYR	**Mother: Year received legal status**		
Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing MOYRGR		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119
MOLIVE	**Mother: Still living**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
MOUSNW	**Mother: Currently resides in U.S.**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
MOUSST	**Mother: State of U.S. residence**		
Note: Question introduced in community #53			(See Appendix C for place codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		.	Communities 1 – 52

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
MOUSPL Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Mother: Place of U.S. residence**		(See Appendix B for occupation codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
FAMGYR	**Father: Year of first US migration**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
FAGREE Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by FADOC# in community #120	**Father: Green card?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		3	Citizen
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+
FAYRGR Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by FADOYR# in community #120	**Father: Year received green card**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+
FADOC Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing FAGREE	**Father: Legal Status**		
		1	Green Card Holder
		2	U.S. Citizen
		3	Undocumented
		4	Other (i.e. tourist visa, work visa)
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119
FADOYR Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing FAYRGR	**Father: Year received legal status**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119
FALIVE	**Father: Still living**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
FAUSNW	**Father: Currently resides in U.S.**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
FAUSST Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Father: State of U.S. residence**		
			(See Appendix C for place codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		.	Communities 1 – 52
FAUSPL Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Father: Place of U.S. residence**		
			(See Appendix B for occupation codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
SBSEX# Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Sibling #: Sex**		
		1	Male
		2	Female
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52 (sbsex7 to sbsex12)
SBMGYR# Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Sibling #: Year of first US migration**		
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52 (sbsex7 to sbsex12)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

SBGREE#   **Sibling #: Green card?**

Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by SBDOC# in community #120

		Value	Definition
		1	Yes
		2	No
		3	Citizen
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+

SBYRGR#   **Sibling #: Year received green card**

Note: Question introduced in community #53 and replaced by SBDOYR# in community #120

		Value	Definition
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52
		.	Communities 120+

SBDOC#   **Sibling #: Legal Status**

Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing SBGREE#

		Value	Definition
		1	Green Card Holder
		2	U.S. Citizen
		3	Undocumented
		4	Other (i.e. tourist visa, work visa)
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119

SBDOYR#   **Sibling #: Year received legal status**

Note: Question introduced in community #120, replacing SBYRGR#

		Value	Definition
		yyyy	Year
		8888	N/A (never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 119

SBLIVE#   **Sibling #: Still living**

Note: Question introduced in community #53

		Value	Definition
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52 (sbsex7 to sbsex12)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
SBUSNW# Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Sibling #: Currently resides in U.S.**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no sibling / never migrated)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52 (sbsex7 to sbsex12)
SBUSST# Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Sibling #: State of U.S. residence**		
			(See Appendix C for place codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		.	Communities 1 – 52
SBUSPL# Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Sibling #: Place of U.S. residence**		
			(See Appendix B for occupation codes)
		8888	N/A (never migrated / not a US resident)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

US Migration Experience among Head's Extended Family and Friends:

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
UNCINUS	**Uncles/aunts: Number currently in US**		
		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
UNCEVUS	**Uncles/aunts: Number ever been to US**		
		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
COINUS	**Cousins: Number currently in US**		
		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
COEVUS	**Cousins: Number ever been to US**		
		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
NEINUS	**Nieces/nephews: Number currently in US**		
		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

NEEVUS **Nieces/nephews: Number ever been to US**

| | | nn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

SBILINUS **Siblings-in-law: Number currently in US**

| | | nn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

SBILEVUS **Siblings-in-law: Number ever been to US**

| | | nn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

CHILINUS
Note: Question introduced in community #53
Children-in-law: Number currently in US

		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52

CHILEVUS
Note: Question introduced in community #53
Children-in-law: Number ever been to US

		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52

PILINUS
Note: Question introduced in community #53
Parents-in-law: Number currently in US

		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52

PILEVUS
Note: Question introduced in community #53
Parents-in-law: Number ever been to US

		nn	Number
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 - 52

FRINUS **Friends: Number currently in US**

| | | nn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

FREVUS **Friends: Number ever been to US**

| | | nn | Number |
| | | 9999 | Unknown |

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

First US Visit: Social and Financial Characteristics

Note: Questions for RELTRIP, PAISTRIP, LODGING, and FINHELP were originally aimed to measure characteristics on last U.S. trip. However, in 2000, they were changed to measure characteristics on first U.S. trip but kept the same name. In order to avoid further confusion, in 2011, we separated these variables by first and last trip. For all those migrants with one trip, the variables for first and last U.S. visit will have the same value. For surveys done after 2012, we applied this set of question for first and last trip.

RELTRIP1 **Relations: Contacted Relatives**

	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed before 2000; unless one trip

PAISTP1 **Relations: Contacted home-community members?**

	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed before 2000; unless one trip

LODGING1 **Relations: Lodging from whom upon arrival**

	1	Fellow home-community member
	2	Friend
	3	Employer
	4	Relative
	6	Did not need it/ no one
	7	Other
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed before 2000; unless one trip

FINHELP **Finances: Who provided financial help**

	1	Fellow home-community member
	2	Friend
	3	Employer
	4	Relative
	5	Bank
	6	Did not need it / no one
	7	Other
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed before 2000; unless one trip

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

Last US Visit: Social Characteristics

RELTRIP — **Relations: Contacted Relatives**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed after 2000; unless one trip

PAISTRIP — **Relations: Contacted home-community members?**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities surveyed after 2000; unless one trip

SPORT — **Relations: Participated in a sports organization?**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown

SOCIAL — **Relations: Participated in a social organization**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown

CHICANOS — **Relations: With Chicanos**

	Value	Definition
	0	None
	1	Workplace only
	2	Friendship
	3	Very Close
	4	Other
	9999	Unknown

BLACKS — **Relations: With African Americans**

	Value	Definition
	0	None
	1	Workplace only
	2	Friendship
	3	Very Close
	4	Other

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
ASIANS Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Relations: With Asians**		
		0	None
		1	Workplace only
		2	Friendship
		3	Very Close
		4	Other
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-52
ANGLOS	**Relations: With Anglos**		
		0	None
		1	Workplace only
		2	Friendship
		3	Very Close
		4	Other
		9999	Unknown
LATINOS	**Relations: With Latinos**		
		0	None
		1	Workplace only
		2	Friendship
		3	Very Close
		4	Other
		9999	Unknown
LODGING	**Relations: Lodging from whom upon arrival**		
		1	Fellow home-community member
		2	Friend
		3	Employer
		4	Relative
		6	Did not need it/ no one
		7	Other
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities surveyed after 2000; unless one trip
ENGLISH	**Relations: English proficiency**		
		0	Neither speak nor understand
		1	Do not speak, but understand some

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		2	Do not speak, but understand much
		3	Speak and understand some
		4	Speak and understand much
		9999	Unknown
ENGHOME Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Relations: English use at home**		
		1	None
		2	Sometimes
		3	Often
		4	Always
		8888	N/A (Did not work during last trip)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
ENGWORK Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Relations: English use at work**		
		1	None
		2	Sometimes
		3	Often
		4	Always
		8888	N/A (Did not work during last trip)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
ENGFRND Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Relations: English use among friends**		
		1	None
		2	Sometimes
		3	Often
		4	Always
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
ENGNEIG Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Relations: English use in neighborhood**		
		1	None
		2	Sometimes
		3	Often
		4	Always
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

Last US Visit: Social Characteristics

HOWJOB   **Employment: How job was obtained**

	Value	Definition
	1	Searched by oneself
	2	Recommended by a relative
	3	Recommended by a friend
	4	Recommended by a fellow home-community member
	5	Recommended by a coyote
	6	Contracted
	7	Paid a friend/fellow home-community member
	8	Through an employer agency
	9	"Pick-up" on street corner
	8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
	9999	Unknown

HRWAGE   **Employment: Hourly wage**

	Value	Definition
	nnn.dd	Hourly wage (dollars)
	8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
	9999	Unknown

HRWEEK   **Employment: Usual hours worked per week**

	Value	Definition
	nnn	Number of hours
	8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
	9999	Unknown

MONSYR   **Employment: Usual months worked per year**

	Value	Definition
	nn	Number of months
	8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
	9999	Unknown

HOWPAID   **Employment: How wages paid**

	Value	Definition
	1	By check
	2	By cash
	8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
	9999	Unknown

SSTAX   **Employment: Social Security taxes withheld**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
FEDTX		**Employment: Federal taxes withheld**	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
ROWNER Note: Question introduced in community #53		**Employment: Race of head's employer**	
		1	Anglo
		2	African-American
		3	Asian
		4	Chicano
		5	Mexican
		6	Other Latino
		7	Other
		8	Company
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
RSUPER Note: Question introduced in community #53		**Employment: Race of head's supervisor**	
		1	Anglo
		2	African-American
		3	Asian
		4	Chicano
		5	Mexican
		6	Other Latino
		7	Other
		8	Company
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
HOWJOBS Note: Question introduced in community #53		**Spouse's employment: How job was obtained**	
		1	Searched by oneself
		2	Recommended by a relative
		3	Recommended by a friend
		4	Recommended by a fellow home-community member

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		5	Recommended by a coyote
		6	Contracted
		7	Paid a friend/fellow home-community member
		8	Through an employer agency
		9	"Pick-up" on street corner
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
HRWAGES Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Spouse's employment: Hourly wage**		
		nnn.dd	Hourly wage (dollars)
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
HRWEEKS Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Spouse's employment: Usual hours worked per week**		
		nnn	Number of hours
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
MONSYRS Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Spouse's employment: Usual months worked per year**		
		nn	Number of months
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
HOWPAIDS Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Spouse's employment: How wages paid**		
		1	By check
		2	By cash
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
SSTAXS Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Spouse's employment: Social Security taxes withheld**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

FEDTXS
Note: Question introduced in community #53

Spouse's employment: Federal taxes withheld

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

ROWNERS
Note: Question introduced in community #53

Spouse's employment: Race of employer

		1	Anglo
		2	African-American
		3	Asian
		4	Chicano
		5	Mexican
		6	Other Latino
		7	Other
		8	Company
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

RSUPERS
Note: Question introduced in community #53

Spouse's employment: Race of supervisor

		1	Anglo
		2	African-American
		3	Asian
		4	Chicano
		5	Mexican
		6	Other Latino
		7	Other
		8	Company
		8888	N/A (no job last US visit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52

Last US Visit: Financial Characteristics

FINHELP

Finances: Who provided financial help

		1	Fellow home-community member
		2	Friend

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		3	Employer
		4	Relative
		5	Bank
		6	Did not need it / no one
		7	Other
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities surveyed after 2000; unless one trip
BANKACCT	**Finances: Opened bank account**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
CARD Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Finances: Credit card**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
TAXES Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Finances: Filed tax return**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
CONSULAR Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Finances: Mexican Consular ID**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 119
RENT	**Finances: Rent per month**		
		nnn.dd	Amount (nominal dollars)
		9999	Unknown
FOOD	**Finances: Food budget per month**		
		nnn.dd	Amount (nominal dollars)
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

Last US Visit: Remittances and Savings

REMIT*

Finances: Average monthly remittances

		nnn.dd	Amount (nominal dollars)
		9999	Unknown

REMIT1-REMIT5
Note: Options were readjusted in 1999

Finances: Purpose of remittance (1-5)

		Value	Definition
		1	Food and maintenance
		2	Construction or repair of house
		3	Purchase of house or lot
		4	Purchase of vehicle
		5	Purchase of tools
		6	Purchase of livestock
		7	Purchase of agricultural inputs
		8	Purchase of consumer goods
		9	Start/expand a business
		10	Education expenses
		11	Health expenses
		12	Debt payment
		13	Finance a special event
		14	Recreation/entertainment
		15	Savings
		16	Other
		8888	N/A (no remittance / no additional remittance)
		9999	Unknown

SAVINGS*

Finances: Average monthly savings

		nnn.dd	Amount (nominal dollars)
		9999	Unknown

SAVRETRN*

Finances: Savings brought to Mexico

		nnn.dd	Amount (nominal dollars)
		9999	Unknown

SAVINGS1-SAVINGS5
Note: Options were readjusted in 1999

Finances: Purpose of savings (1-5)

		Value	Definition
		1	Food and maintenance
		2	Construction or repair of house
		3	Purchase of house or lot
		4	Purchase of vehicle
		5	Purchase of tools

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		6	Purchase of livestock
		7	Purchase of agricultural inputs
		8	Purchase of consumer goods
		9	Start/expand a business
		10	Education expenses
		11	Health expenses
		12	Debt payment
		13	Finance a special event
		14	Recreation/entertainment
		15	Savings
		16	Other
		8888	N/A (no remittance / no additional remittance)
		9999	Unknown

***Note: In 2013, we revised large amounts reported on the variables REMIT, SAVINGS, and SAVRETRN. Due to the fact that technically no migrant may return to Mexico with more than $10,000 dollars, we revised and adjusted all amounts greater than $10,000 dollars. Amounts greater than $1,000 on monthly remittances and monthly savings were also revised and adjusted. It seemed that the problem was the fact that these quantities were reported in pesos and not in dollars. We only adjusted 2.9% of our original observations, which we considered questionable. Amounts were adjusted to nominal dollars for communities surveyed prior to 2013.

Last US Visit: Public Benefits and Assistance

SCHOOLS　　　　　　　　**Benefits: Children in public Schools**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown

UNEMP　　　　　　　　**Benefits: Received unemployment compensation**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown

FOODST　　　　　　　　**Benefits: Received Food Stamps**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	9999	Unknown

WELFARE　　　　　　　　**Benefits: Received any welfare (all types)**

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
AFDC Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Benefits: Received AFDC benefits**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Did not receive any benefit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
WIC Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Benefits: Received WIC benefits**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Did not receive any benefit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
SSI Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Benefits: Received SSI benefits**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Did not receive any benefit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
GENERAL Note: Question introduced in community #53	**Benefits: Received general assistance**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Did not receive any benefit)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1 – 52
DOCTOR	**Health: Visited a doctor**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown
HOSPITAL	**Health: Visited a hospital**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

HLTHPMT1-HLTHPMT4
Note: Options 2 to 4 started in community 53

Health: Who paid health bill (1-4)

		Value	Definition
		1	Employer
		2	Private insurance
		3	Medicaid (public insurance)
		4	Self
		5	Relatives
		6	No one
		7	Other
		8888	N/A (no health costs)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-52 (HLTHPMT2-HLTHPMT4)

Temporary Workers: Employment Characteristics and Costs

APPPAID
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Paid contractor

		Value	Definition
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

APPCOST
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Total payment to contractor

		Value	Definition
		nnnn.cc	Amount paid (nominal currency)
		8888	Not a temporary worker / no contractor used
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

APPCURR
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Currency of payment to contractor

		Value	Definition
		1	U.S. Dollar
		2	Canadian Dollar
		3	Mexican Peso
		8888	Not a temporary worker / no contractor used
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

VISACOST
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Visa cost

		Value	Definition
		nnnn.cc	Amount paid (nominal currency)
		8888	Not a temporary worker

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
VISACURR Note: Question introduced in community #169			**Temporary Worker: Currency of visa payment**
		1	U.S. Dollar
		2	Canadian Dollar
		3	Mexican Peso
		8888	Not a temporary worker / visa had no cost
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
VISAWHO Note: Question introduced in community #169			**Temporary Worker: Who paid for the visa?**
		1	Employer / Contractor
		2	Self (worker)
		3	Both – Employer and worker
		4	Family acquaintance
		5	Other
		8888	Not a temporary worker / visa had no cost
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
VISAWHO Note: Question introduced in community #169			**Temporary Worker: Upon arrival, any document taken away?**
		1	Passport
		2	Visa
		3	Both: Passport and Visa
		4	None
		8888	Not a temporary worker
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
TRIPPAID Note: Question introduced in community #169			**Temporary Worker: Who paid trip to the U.S.?**
		1	Employer / Contractor
		2	Self (worker)
		3	Both – Employer and worker
		4	Family acquaintance
		5	Other
		8888	Not a temporary worker
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

TRIPCOST
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Trip cost to the U.S.

	Value	Definition
	nnnn.cc	Amount paid (nominal currency)
	8888	Not a temporary worker
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

TRIPCURR
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Currency of trip payment

	Value	Definition
	1	U.S. Dollar
	2	Canadian Dollar
	3	Mexican Peso
	8888	Not a temporary worker / trip had no cost
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

RETPAID
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Who paid return trip to Mexico?

	Value	Definition
	1	Employer / Contractor
	2	Self (worker)
	3	Both – Employer and worker
	4	Family acquaintance
	5	Other
	8888	Not a temporary worker
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

RETCOST
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Return trip cost to Mexico

	Value	Definition
	nnnn.cc	Amount paid (nominal currency)
	8888	Not a temporary worker
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

TRIPCURR
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Currency of return trip payment

	Value	Definition
	1	U.S. Dollar
	2	Canadian Dollar
	3	Mexican Peso
	8888	Not a temporary worker / trip had no cost
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

CONTRACT
Note: Question introduced in

Temporary Worker: Received copy of the work contract?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
community #169		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
CONKEPT Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Contract terms kept?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
CONVIO1-CONVIO5 Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Contract violation (1-5)**		
		1	Incomplete work season
		2	Received less salary than promised
		3	Worked more hours than stated
		4	Overtime not paid
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker / not violations)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

Temporary Workers: Living Conditions

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
TRANSWK Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Who provided transportation to work?**		
		1	Self
		2	Employer
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUSING Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Was housing provided?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUCOST Note: Question introduced in	**Temporary Worker: Housing cost**		
		nnnn.cc	Amount paid (nominal currency)

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
community #169		8888	Not a temporary worker
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUCURR Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Currency of housing payment**		
		1	U.S. Dollar
		2	Canadian Dollar
		3	Mexican Peso
		8888	Not a temporary worker / housing had no cost
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUFREQ Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Frequency of housing payment**		
		1	Daily
		2	Weekly
		3	Biweekly
		4	Monthly
		8888	Not a temporary worker / no rent payment
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUSHARE Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Lived in shared housing?**		
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUPERS Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Number of persons sharing housing?**		
		nn	Number
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HOUTYPE Note: Question introduced in community #169	**Temporary Worker: Type of housing**		
		1	Housing
		2	Apartment
		3	Mobile home
		4	Other
		8888	Not a temporary worker

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HKITCHEN Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Did housing have kitchen?**	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HDINING Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Did housing have dining area?**	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HLIVING Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Did housing have living room?**	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HBATH Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Number of bathrooms in the housing**	
		nn	Number
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HROOMS Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Number of bedrooms in the housing**	
		nn	Number
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168
HCOND Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Housing Condition**	
		1	Poor
		2	Regular
		3	Good

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		4	Very good
		5	Excellent
		8888	Not a temporary worker
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

Temporary Workers: Treatment and Payment

ABUSED
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Has the worker been mistreated?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

ABUSEWHO
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Who mistreated worker?

	Value	Definition
	1	Employer
	2	Supervisor
	3	Other
	8888	Not a temporary worker
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

ABUSEREP
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Was mistreatment reported?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

ACCIDENT
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Has had accident or illnesses due to labor?

	Value	Definition
	1	Yes
	2	No
	8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
	9999	Unknown
	.	Communities 1-168

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

MEDICAL
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Received medical treatment?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

MEDICPD
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Who paid for medical treatment?

		1	Employer / supervisor
		2	Worker (self)
		3	Family or friend
		4	Private insurance
		5	Public insurance
		6	Mexican consulate
		7	Other
		8888	Not a temporary worker / no medical treatment
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

LOCALWKR
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Other local workers?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

LATINWKR
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Other Latino workers?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

SAMEJOB
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Same job?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

Variable	Label	Value	Definition

SAMEPAY
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Received the same pay?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

OVERTIME
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Paid overtime?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

OVERTMTP
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Regular rate or overtime pay?

		1	Regular rate
		2	Overtime rate
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker / not overtime pay)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

TEMPCOMP
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Worked full season?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

UNEMPBEN
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Received unemployment benefits?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168

EMBASSY
Note: Question introduced in community #169

Temporary Worker: Requested help from the MX consulate?

		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown

Variable	Label	Value	Definition
		.	Communities 1-168
UNIONS Note: Question introduced in community #169		**Temporary Worker: Experience with labor unions?**	
		1	Yes
		2	No
		8888	N/A (Not a temporary worker)
		9999	Unknown
		.	Communities 1-168