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Variable Name	Variable (VAR) Label	VAR Type	Range of Values	Value Description	Notes
SURVEY	SURVEY NAME	Char	.		
PUBLICID	NHIS PUBLIC USE ID	Char	ID		Public use identifier for NHIS participants. For information on how to create PUBLICID from the public-use data, please see note in the analytic guidelines.
SEQN	NHANES RESPONDENT SEQUENCE NUMBER	Num	ID		Public use identifier for NHANES participants
HUD_MATCH_STATUS	NCHS-HUD MATCH STATUS	Num	1	Linkage-eligible and linked to one or more years of the HUD administrative data	Identifies linkage-eligible participants and match status.
			2	Linkage-eligible and not linked to any year of the HUD administrative data	
			3	Linkage-eligible, child survey participant (<18 years of age at time of survey) & linked to one or more years of the HUD administrative data prior to 18th birthday	
			9	Ineligible for HUD data linkage	
ADJ_INTWT	ADJUSTED NHANES INTERVIEW WEIGHT	Num			This variable is only populated for NHANES participants. A weight of 0 indicates the participant was ineligible for linkage.
ADJ_MECWT	ADJUSTED NHANES MOBILE EXAMINATION CENTER WEIGHT	Num			This variable is only populated for NHANES participants who had a MEC exam. NHANES participants who did not have a MEC exam will have missing weight values. A weight of 0 indicates the participant was ineligible for linkage.
ADJ_PERWT	ADJUSTED NHIS PERSON WEIGHT	Num			This variable is only populated for NHIS participants. A weight of 0 indicates the participant was ineligible for linkage.

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ADJ_SAWT	ADJUSTED NHIS SAMPLE ADULT WEIGHT	Num			This variable is only populated for NHIS sample adults. A weight of 0 indicates the participant was ineligible for linkage.
ADJ_SCWT	ADJUSTED NHIS SAMPLE CHILD WEIGHT	Num			This variable is only populated for NHIS sample children. A weight of 0 indicates the participant was ineligible for linkage.
PROBVALID	ESTIMATED MATCH PROBABILITY	Num			Model-derived estimate of the probability that a given pair is a match, see Appendix I in methods/analytic guidelines report.