

Understanding Society User Support - Support #1028

BHPS variables "drinking" + "obesity"

08/31/2018 01:56 PM - Yuting Deng

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Priority:	Normal	% Done:	100%
Assignee:	Yuting Deng		
Category:	Data documentation		
Description Dear BHPS office, Since i am using the BHPS wave1-wave18 datasets for my research, and i need to find some health-related variables to put them into the regression. How to find the variable "obesity" and "drinking" and their values in BHPS wave1-wave18? (i just using BHPS wave1-wave18, not the more latest version called "understanding society") After reading all the variables in the documentation, i can not find them. (if not exist, what can i use for proxy variables?) thanks			

History

#1 - 08/31/2018 02:03 PM - Alita Nandi

- Private changed from Yes to No

Hello,

You can look for the variables available in the BHPS waves 1-18 here: <https://www.iser.essex.ac.uk/bhps/documentation>

Then click on MENU on the right side and then you can search via Thesaurus or Index Terms. You can also look for these variables by going into Record Types and then clicking on INDRESP files. Finally you can search the questionnaires.

This documentation refers to the stand alone version of BHPS, that is without Understanding Society.

Best wishes,
Alita

#2 - 09/03/2018 11:45 AM - Stephanie Auty

- Category set to Data documentation
- Status changed from New to Feedback
- Assignee set to Yuting Deng
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#3 - 10/12/2018 04:19 PM - Stephanie Auty

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- % Done changed from 80 to 100