PhenX Toolkit

Data Collection Worksheet

Please Note: The Data Collection Worksheet (DCW) is a tool to aid integration of a PhenX protocol into a study. The PhenX DCW is not designed to be a data collection instrument. Investigators will need to decide the best way to collect data for the PhenX protocol in their study. Variables captured in the DCW, along with variable names and unique PhenX variable identifiers, are included in the PhenX Data Dictionary (DD) files.

The Working Group acknowledges that the following questions may gather sensitive information relating to the use of substances and/or illegal conduct. If the information is released it might be damaging to an individual's employability, lead to social stigmatization, or other consequences.

For information on obtaining a Certificate of Confidentiality, which helps researchers protect the privacy of human research participants, please go to the National Human Genome Research Institute's Institutional Review Board website.

Note to interviewer: Based on responses provided to earlier questions, the respondent may also be asked Questions 2, 3, and 4 (see interviewer notes before these questions).

1. Have you **ever** tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?

    1 [ ] Yes

    2 [ ] No

    -8 [ ] DON'T KNOW

    -7 [ ] REFUSED

If Question 1 is "Yes," then respondent is asked:

2. When was the last time you smoked a cigarette, even one or two puffs?

    1 [ ] Earlier today

    2 [ ] Not today but sometime in the past 7 days

    3 [ ] Not in the past 7 days but sometime in the past 30 days

    4 [ ] Not in the past 30 days but sometime in the past 6 months

    5 [ ] Not in the past 6 months but sometime in the past year

6 [ ] 1 to 4 years ago

7 [ ] 5 or more years ago

-8 [ ] DON'T KNOW

-7 [ ] REFUSED

If Question 2 is "1", "2", or "3" (Past 30-Day Smoker), then respondent is asked:

3. In the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

1 [ ] I__I__I DAYS

-8 [ ] DON'T KNOW

-7 [ ] REFUSED

Interpreting responses to assess smoking status of adolescents:

- If answer to Question 1 is "*No,*" then respondent is a "Never smoker."
- If answer to Question 1 is "*Yes*" and answer to Question 2 is "*DON'T KNOW*" or "REFUSED" then status is a "Ever-smoker."
- If answer to Question 1 is "*Yes*" and answer to Question 2 is ""*1,, "2", or "3*" then status is a "Past 30-day smoker."
- If answer to Question 2 is "*1", "2", or "3"* and Question 3 is "*30 days,*" then respondent is a "Past 30-day Every-Day Smoker."

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