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.

Employment Questions from the American Community Survey

For employed people, the data refer to the person's job during the previous week. For those who worked two or more jobs, the data refer to the job where the person worked the greatest number of hours. For unemployed people and people who are not currently employed but report having a job within the last five years, the data refer to their last job.

1. What was this person's main occupation?

(For example: 4th grade teacher, entry-level plumber) (Fill-in-the-blank field)

2. Describe this person's most important activities or duties. (For example: instruct and evaluate students and create lesson plans, assemble and install pipe sections and review building plans for work details) (Fill-in-the-blank field)

Prestige Scores from the General Social Survey

In the OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION DISTRIBUTIONS codebook, the U.S. Census Bureau assigned a three-digit number code to each occupational title. These codes appear under the column headed "Punch, Occupation". Match the user response to the job title. The respective occupational 'Prestige Score' can be found in the same row (e.g. Accountants have a prestige score of 57).

Access to the code book can be found here:

http://gss.norc.org/documents/codebook/GSS_Codebook_AppendixF.pdf

Protocol source: https://www.phenxtoolkit.org/protocols/view/270501