

2019 Stigma, Discrimination & Health Survey

Start of Block: Language Block

Q215 Please verify to continue the survey.
Por favor verifique para continuar con la encuesta.

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Q193 Welcome to the SPBP Stigma and Discrimination Survey! Please choose your preferred language. **SurveyLanguage**

English (1)

Español (2)

End of Block: Language Block

Start of Block: Eligibility Block



Q199 Do you receive services from the Special Pharmaceuticals Benefits Program (SPBP)? **eligible**

Yes (1)

No (0)

End of Block: Eligibility Block

Start of Block: Informed Consent



Q204 This anonymous survey is being conducted by the University of Pittsburgh's HIV Prevention and Care Project on behalf of the Pennsylvania Department of Health Division of HIV to research and understand your experiences of stigma and discrimination related to health care.

Stigma refers to being made to feel less than or inferior, being treated negatively or poorly, and/or being treated differently than others due to characteristics or circumstances in a person's life. This survey will ask about your experiences with stigma in healthcare settings.

The survey will last 15 to 20 minutes and you will receive a \$20 gift card code via email upon its completion. There are no direct benefits to you for study participation. Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. This survey is completely voluntary, and you may stop at any point. Risks of study participation include breach of confidentiality; however, we will not ask for your name, address, or any other personal information that can identify you and any information you provide will not be connected to any personal information. Your survey responses will be shared with the Pennsylvania Department of Health and the Pennsylvania HIV Planning Group; however, this information will be shared in an anonymous manner.

This survey will use Qualtrics to collect your survey responses and will include use of the "anonymize response" option, ensuring that IP addresses are not collected for responses. Although we will not be collecting any identifying information, computers can be monitored by other parties. If you are concerned about your privacy, it is suggested that you clear your browsing history upon completion of this survey. Once you've completed the survey, you will be provided with a link to be taken to a separate secure site to provide an email address for the \$20 gift card code to be sent. This ensures that your responses to this survey cannot be connected to a given email address and that your responses remain confidential.

If you have any questions or concerns about the survey, please call 412-624-4824 or email Corrine Bozich at cnb31@pitt.edu.

This form, DOH ID number HD002171 12/19, is an official DOH data collection instrument.

By clicking on the continue button below you consent to participate in this study. Are you still interested in continuing? **consent**

- Continue (1)
- I do not wish to continue. (2)

End of Block: Informed Consent

Start of Block: English Block

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Q97 Some questions in this survey may be triggering for some individuals. If you experience emotional distress at any point during this survey, please see the resources listed below.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:

1-800-273-8255

For deaf and hard of hearing:

1-800-799-4889

Crisis Text Line:

Text HOME to 741741

These resources will be repeated at the end of the survey. Click the continue button to begin the survey.

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Q219 Have you already completed this survey between February and July of 2020? (Your answer will not affect your eligibility to complete the survey again.) **previous**

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Not sure (3)

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Q216 Now we are going to ask you about how you have been treated by CASE MANAGERS. Case managers include medical case managers and social service providers.



Q2 Since your HIV diagnosis, have you been in contact with a case manager? **cm_contact**

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q13 If Since your HIV diagnosis, have you been in contact with a case manager? = No
Skip To: Q13 If Since your HIV diagnosis, have you been in contact with a case manager? = Prefer not to answer

Q3 Please answer the following statements about how you were treated by case managers since your HIV diagnosis.

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. Case managers have not taken my needs seriously enacted_cmneeds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Case managers have discriminated against me enacted_cmdiscr	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Case managers have denied me services enacted_cmdeny	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q4 How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by case managers? **enacted_cmfreq**

- Always (1)
- Often (2)
- Sometimes (3)
- Seldom (4)
- Never (5)

Skip To: Q7 If How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by case managers? = Never



Q5 When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by **case managers since your HIV diagnosis**, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q5_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q5_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q5_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q5_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q5_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q5_6**
- Religion (7) **Q5_7**
- Language (8) **Q5_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q5_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q5_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q5_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q5_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q5_13**
- Age (14) **Q5_14**
- How much money I make (15)? **Q5_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q5_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q5_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q5_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q5__4**

Skip To: Q7 If When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by case managers since your HIV diagnosis,... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by case managers since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply: "



Q6 Now check the BIGGEST reason that you think these experiences happened to you (choose ONE):
enacted_cmmain

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **enacted_cmmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q7 By which of these case managers have you felt most stigmatized? **enacted_cmttype**

- Medical Case Managers (1)
- Social Service Providers (2)
- Does not apply (5)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

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Q8 Now we are going to ask you about how you expect to be treated by **case managers in the next year**. Case managers include medical case managers and social service providers.

Q9 How likely is it that **case managers** will treat you in the following ways **in the next year**?

	Very unlikely (1)	Unlikely (2)	Neither unlikely nor likely (3)	Likely (4)	Very likely (5)
a. Case managers will not take my needs seriously anticipated_cmneeds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Case managers will discriminate against me anticipated_cmdiscr	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Case managers will deny me services anticipated_cmdeny	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q10 Do you think you will be treated poorly by case managers **in the next year**? **anticipated_cmnextyr**

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q13 If Do you think you will be treated poorly by case managers in the next year? = No



Q11 When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by case managers in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q11_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q11_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q11_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q11_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q11_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q11_6**
- Religion (7) **Q11_7**
- Language (8) **Q11_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q11_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q11_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q11_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q11_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q11_13**
- Age (14) **Q11_14**
- How much money I make (15)? **Q11_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q11_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q11_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q11_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q11__4**

Skip To: Q13 If When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by case managers in the next year, what... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by case managers in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q12 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might be treated poorly by case managers in the next year (choose ONE): **anticipated_cmmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **anticipated_cmmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q13 Now we are going to ask you about how you have been treated by FRONT DESK STAFF. Front desk staff include receptionists and administrative staff.

Q14 Please answer the following statements about how you were treated by front desk staff since your HIV diagnosis.

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. Front desk staff have not taken my needs seriously enacted_frontneeds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Front desk staff have discriminated against me enacted_frontdiscr	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Front desk staff have denied me services enacted_frontdeny	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q15 How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by front desk staff? **enacted_frontfreq**

- Always (1)
- Often (2)
- Sometimes (3)
- Seldom (4)
- Never (5)

Skip To: Q18 If How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by front desk staff? = Never



Q16 When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by front desk staff since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q16_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q16_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q16_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q16_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q16_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q16_6**
- Religion (7) **Q16_7**
- Language (8) **Q16_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q16_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q16_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q16_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q16_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q16_13**
- Age (14) **Q16_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q16_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q16_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q16_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q16_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q16__4**

Skip To: Q18 If When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by front desk staff since your HIV diagnosi... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by front desk staff since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply: "



Q17 Now check the BIGGEST reason that you think these experiences happened to you (choose ONE):
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- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **enacted_frontmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q18 By which of these front desk staff have you felt most stigmatized? **enacted_fronttype**

- Receptionists (3)
- Administrative Staff (4)
- Does not apply (5)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Q19 Now we are going to ask you about how you expect to be treated by front desk staff in the next year. Front desk staff include receptionists and administrative staff.

Q20 How likely is it that front desk staff will treat you in the following ways in the next year?

	Very unlikely (1)	Unlikely (2)	Neither unlikely nor likely (3)	Likely (4)	Very likely (5)
a. Front desk staff workers will not take my needs seriously anticipated_frontneeds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Front desk staff will discriminate against me anticipated_frontdiscr	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Front desk staff will deny me services anticipated_frontdeny	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q21 Do you think you will be treated poorly by front desk staff in the next year?
anticipated_frontnextyr

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q24 If Do you think you will be treated poorly by front desk staff in the next year? = No



Q22 When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by front desk staff in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q22_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q22_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q22_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q22_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q22_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q22_6**
- Religion (7) **Q22_7**
- Language (8) **Q22_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q22_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q22_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q22_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q22_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q22_13**
- Age (14) **Q22_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q22_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q22_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q22_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q22_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q22__4**

Skip To: Q24 If When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by front desk staff in the next year, wh... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by front desk staff in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q23 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might be treated poorly by front desk staff in the next year (choose ONE): **anticipated_frontmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **anticipated_frontmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q24 Now we are going to ask you about how you have been treated by MEDICAL CARE TEAM MEMBERS. Medical care team members include nurses, and medical technicians, and DO NOT include doctors.

Q25 Please answer the following statements about how you were treated by medical care team members since your HIV diagnosis.

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. Medical care team members have not listened to my concerns enacted_mconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Medical care team members have avoided touching me enacted_mctouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Medical care team members have treated me with less respect enacted_mcrepect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q26 How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by medical care team members since your HIV diagnosis? **enacted_mcfreq**

- Always (1)
- Often (2)
- Sometimes (3)
- Seldom (4)
- Never (5)

Skip To: Q29 If How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by medical care team members s... = Never



Q27 When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by medical care team members since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q27_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q27_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q27_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q27_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q27_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q27_6**
- Religion (7) **Q27_7**
- Language (8) **Q27_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q27_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q27_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q27_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q27_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q27_13**
- Age (14) **Q27_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q27_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q27_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q27_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q27_18_TEXT**_____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q27__4**

Skip To: Q29 If When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by medical care team members since your HIV... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by medical care team members since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q28 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might have been treated poorly by medical care team members since your HIV diagnosis (choose ONE): **enacted_mcmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **enacted_mcmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q29 By which of these medical care team members have you felt the most stigmatized?
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- Nurses (1)
- Medical Technicians (2)
- Does not apply (3)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

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Q30 Now we are going to ask you about how you expect to be treated by medical care team members in the next year. Medical care team members include nurses, and medical technicians, and DO NOT include doctors.

Q31 How likely is it that medical care team members will treat you in the following ways in the next year?

	Very unlikely (1)	Unlikely (2)	Neither unlikely nor likely (3)	Likely (4)	Very likely (5)
a. Medical care team members will not listen to my concerns anticipated_mcconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Medical care team members will avoid touching me anticipated_mctouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Medical care team members will treat me with less respect anticipated_mcrestpect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q32 Do you think you will be treated poorly by medical care team members in the next year?
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- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q35 If Do you think you will be treated poorly by medical care team members in the next year? = No



Q33 When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by medical care team members in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q33_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q33_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q33_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q33_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q33_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q33_6**
- Religion (7) **Q33_7**
- Language (8) **Q33_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q33_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q33_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q33_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q33_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q33_13**
- Age (14) **Q33_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q33_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q33_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q33_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q33_18_TEXT**_____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q33__4**

Skip To: Q35 If When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by medical care team members in the next... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by medical care team members in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q34 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might be treated poorly by medical care team members in the next year (choose ONE): **anticiapted_mcmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **anticiapted_mcmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q35 Now we are going to ask you about how you have been treated by NON-HIV DOCTORS. Non-HIV doctors are any doctors you see OTHER THAN your HIV doctors, such as your PCP, cardiologist, or family doctor.

Q36 Please answer the following statements about how you were treated by non-HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis.

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. Non-HIV doctors have not listened to my concerns enacted_nonhivconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Non-HIV doctors have avoided touching me enacted_nonhivtouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Non-HIV doctors have treated me with less respect enacted_nonhivrespect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q37 How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by non-HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis? **enacted_nonhivfreq**

- Always (1)
- Often (2)
- Sometimes (3)
- Seldom (4)
- Never (5)

Skip To: Q40 If 17. How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by non-HIV doctors since y... = Never



Q38 When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by non-HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q38_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q38_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q38_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q38_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q38_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q38_6**
- Religion (7) **Q38_7**
- Language (8) **Q38_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q38_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q38_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q38_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q38_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q38_13**
- Age (14) **Q38_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q38_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q38_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q38_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q38_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q38__4**

Skip To: Q40 If When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by non-HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by non-HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q39 Now check the BIGGEST reason that these experiences happened to you (choose ONE):
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- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
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 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **enacted_nonhivmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q40 Now we are going to ask you about how you expect to be treated by non-HIV doctors in the next year. Non-HIV doctors are any doctors you see OTHER THAN your HIV doctors, such as your PCP, cardiologist, or family doctor.

Q41 How likely is it that non-HIV doctors will treat you in the following ways in the next year?

	Very unlikely (1)	Unlikely (2)	Neither unlikely nor likely (3)	Likely (4)	Very likely (5)
a. Non-HIV doctors will not listen to my concerns anticipated_nonhivconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Non-HIV doctors will avoid touching me anticipated_nonhivtouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Non-HIV doctors will treat me with less respect anticipated_nonhivrespect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q42 Do you think you will be treated poorly by non-HIV doctors in the next year?

anticipated_nonhivnextyr

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q45 If Do you think you will be treated poorly by non-HIV doctors in the next year? = No



Q43 When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by non-HIV doctors in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q43_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q43_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q43_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q43_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q43_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q43_6**
- Religion (7) **Q43_7**
- Language (8) **Q43_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q43_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q43_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q43_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q43_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q43_13**
- Age (14) **Q43_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q43_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q43_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q43_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q43_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q43__4**

Skip To: Q45 If When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by non-HIV doctors in the next year, wha... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by non-HIV doctors in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q44 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might be treated poorly by non-HIV doctors in the next year (choose ONE): **anticipated_nonhivmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **anticipated_nonhivmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q45 Now we are going to ask you about how you have been treated by your HIV DOCTORS. This DOES NOT include other non-HIV doctors you may be seeing.

Q46 Please answer the following statements about how you were treated by HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis.

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. HIV doctors have not listened to my concerns enacted_hivconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. HIV doctors have avoided touching me enacted_hivtouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. HIV doctors have treated me with less respect enacted_hivrespect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Q47 How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by HIV doctors? **enacted_hivfreq**

- Always (1)
- Often (2)
- Sometimes (3)
- Seldom (4)
- Never (5)

Skip To: Q50 If How often have you felt stigmatized (treated negatively or poorly) by HIV doctors? = Never



Q48 When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q48_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q48_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q48_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q48_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q48_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q48_6**
- Religion (7) **Q48_7**
- Language (8) **Q48_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q48_9**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q48_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q48_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q48_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q48_13**
- Age (14) **Q48_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q48_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q48_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q48_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q48_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q48__4**

Skip To: Q50 If When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis, is... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you were treated poorly by HIV doctors since your HIV diagnosis, is that treatment because of any of the following reasons? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q49 Now check the BIGGEST reason that these experiences happened to you (choose ONE):
enacted_hivmain

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **enacted_hivmainopen** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-

Q50 Now we are going to ask you about how you expect to be treated by HIV doctors in the next year. This DOES NOT include other non-HIV doctors you may be seeing.

Q51 How likely is it that HIV doctors will treat you in the following ways in the next year?

	Very unlikely (1)	Unlikely (2)	Neither unlikely nor likely (3)	Likely (4)	Very likely (5)
a. HIV doctors will not listen to my concerns anticipated_hivconcerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. HIV doctors will avoid touching me anticipated_hivtouch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. HIV doctors will treat me with less respect anticipated_hivrespect	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q52 Do you think you will be treated poorly by HIV doctors in the next year? **anticipated_hivnextyr**

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

Skip To: Q55 If Do you think you will be treated poorly by HIV doctors in the next year? = No



Q53 When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by HIV doctors in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:

- HIV Status (1) **Q53_1**
- Gender Identity (2) **Q53_2**
- Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3) **Q53_3**
- Race/Ethnicity (4) **Q53_4**
- Sexual behavior (5) **Q53_5**
- Sex work (6) **Q53_6**
- Religion (7) **Q53_7**
- Language (8) **Q53_8**
- Mental health (9) **Q53_8**
- Missing previous appointments (10) **Q53_10**
- Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11) **Q53_11**
- The amount of services I use (12) **Q53_12**
- Substance use (13) **Q53_13**
- Age (14) **Q53_14**
- How much money I make (15) **Q53_15**
- Housing status (16) **Q53_16**
- Citizenship or national origin (17) **Q53_17**
- Other (please specify): (18) _____ **Q53_18_TEXT** _____
- Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q53__4**

Skip To: Q55 If When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by HIV doctors in the next year, what ar... = Prefer not to answer

Carry Forward Selected Choices from "When you think about the ways you could feel stigmatized by HIV doctors in the next year, what are some possible reasons you might be treated poorly? Please check ALL reasons that apply:"



Q54 Now check the BIGGEST reason you think you might be treated poorly by HIV doctors in the next year (choose ONE): **anticiapted_hivmain**

- HIV Status (1)
 - Gender Identity (2)
 - Sexual orientation (how you identify sexually) (3)
 - Race/Ethnicity (4)
 - Sexual behavior (5)
 - Sex work (6)
 - Religion (7)
 - Language (8)
 - Mental health (9)
 - Missing previous appointments (10)
 - Not taking medications or keeping up with treatment (11)
 - The amount of services I use (12)
 - Substance use (13)
 - Age (14)
 - How much money I make (15)
 - Housing status (16)
 - Citizenship or national origin (17)
 - Other (please specify): (18) _____ **anticiapted_hivmain** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
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Q55 Now we are going to ask you some general questions about you and your healthcare-related experiences.

Q56 What is your age? _____

age = original string

age_cat = categorical variable, 10 categories



Q58 What is your current gender identity? *(please choose all that apply)*

- Male (1) **Q58_1**
 - Female (2) **Q58_2**
 - Non-binary/third gender (3) **Q58_3**
 - Prefer to self-describe (please specify): (4) _____ Q58_4_TEXT _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q58__4**
-



Q59 What sex were you assigned at birth on your original birth certificate? (Please check one.) **sex**

- Male (1)
 - Female (2)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q195 Do you identify as transgender? **transgender**

- Yes (1)
 - No (0)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q60 Do you consider yourself to be: *(please choose one)* **sexualorientation**

- Bisexual (1)
 - Gay or lesbian (2)
 - Straight (3)
 - Prefer to self-describe (please specify): (4) _____ **sexualorientation_describe** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q61 Please specify your race/ethnicity. *(please choose all that apply)*

- White (1) **Q61_1**
 - Hispanic or Latino/a (2) **Q61_2**
 - Black or African American (3) **Q61_3**
 - Native American or American Indian (4) **Q61_4**
 - Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (5) **Q61_5**
 - Asian (6) **Q61_6**
 - Other (please specify): (7) _____ **Q61_7_TEXT** _____
 - Prefer not to answer (-4) **Q61__4**
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Q62 In the past 7 days, how often have you:

	Never (Less than 1 day) (1)	Rarely (1-2 days) (2)	Sometimes (3-4 days) (3)	Often (5-6 days) (4)	Always (More than 6 days) (5)
a. Felt worthless mh_worthless	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Felt helpless mh_helpless	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. Felt depressed mh_depressed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
d. Felt hopeless mh_hopeless	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
e. Had little interest or pleasure in doing things mh_interest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
f. Felt that everything you did was an effort mh_effort	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q63 Have you ever been diagnosed with depression by a doctor? **mh_diagnosis**

- Yes (1)
- No (0)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)

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Q64 What are you most worried about in your next healthcare-related experience? (Please specify): **healthseeking_worried**

Q65 What are you most looking forward to in your next healthcare-related experience? (Please specify): **healthseeking_forward**

Q66 What are some concerns you may have about your future healthcare needs and options? (Please specify): **healthseeking_concerns**

Q67 When seeking healthcare, where do you feel the most comfortable and the least stigmatized?
(Please specify): **healthseeking_comfort**

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Q68 Now we are going to ask you some questions about accepting your HIV status. Recently, research has confirmed that a person living with HIV whose virus is completely suppressed by treatment (virally suppressed) will not sexually transmit the virus to an HIV-negative partner. This confirmation has inspired the "Undetectable = Untransmittable (U=U)" campaign.

Q69 How do you feel about being HIV-positive?

	Strongly Agree (1)	Agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Disagree (4)	Strongly Disagree (5)
a. Knowing that U=U makes it easier for me to accept my HIV status internal_accept	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
b. Knowing that U=U makes me feel like my HIV is manageable internal_manage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
c. U=U puts too much pressure on me to attain/maintain an undetectable viral load. internal_pressure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
d. Knowing I cannot transmit HIV if my viral load is undetectable makes me feel more confident about my sexual choices. internal_confident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
e. Even though I know U=U, I still feel ashamed when I think about disclosing my HIV status to a sexual partner. internal_ashamed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



Q71 In what year did you first test positive?

diagnosis_year = original string

diagnosis_cat = categorical variable, 5 categories

- Enter year (yyyy). (1) _____
- Not sure (2)
- Prefer not to answer (-4)



Q72 In what month did you first test positive? **diagnosis_month**

Enter month (number from 1-12). (1)

Not sure (2)

Prefer not to answer (-4)



Q73 Have you seen an HIV doctor in the last six months? **adhr_visit**

Yes (1)

No (0)

Not sure (3)

Prefer not to answer (-4)



Q74 Are you currently taking anti-retroviral medicines to treat your HIV infection? **adhr_meds**

Yes (1)

No (0)

Not Sure (3)

Prefer not to answer (-4)



Q75 What were the results of your most recent HIV lab tests? (Viral load) **viral_labresults**

- Undetectable (1)
 - Detectable, but under 10,000 (2)
 - 10,000 - 100,000 (3)
 - Higher than 100,000 (4)
 - Not sure (5)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q76 In what year did you receive these lab results? **viral_labyear**

- Enter year (yyyy) (1) _____
 - Not sure (2)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-

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Q77 What county do you live in?

county_res = original numeric

county_resnew = variable with Adams as missing

county_resregion = residence according to 7 regions

▼ Prefer not to answer (-4) ... York (67)



Q78 What county do you receive medical care in?

county_med = original numeric

county_mednew = variable with Adams as missing

county_medregion = residence according to 7 regions

▼ Prefer not to answer (-4) ... York (67)



Q79 Please indicate the type of community/neighborhood you live in. **neighborhood**

- Urban (1)
 - Suburban (2)
 - Rural (3)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q80 Are you currently (*please choose all that apply*): **employ**

- Employed full-time (30+ hours a week) (1)
 - Employed part-time (less than 30 hours per week) (2)
 - Self-employed (3)
 - Unemployed (4)
 - Disabled (5)
 - Retired (6)
 - Student (7)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q81 What is your annual income before taxes? **income**

- Less than \$13,000 (1)
 - \$13,000 to \$29,000 (2)
 - \$30,000 to \$49,000 (3)
 - \$50,000 to \$69,000 (4)
 - \$70,000 to \$99,000 (5)
 - \$100,000 or more (6)
 - Prefer not to answer (-4)
-



Q207 Did anyone help you complete this survey? **assist**

Yes (1)

No (0)

Skip To: Q197 If Did anyone help you complete this survey? = No

Q208 Who helped you complete this survey? *(Please specify).*

_____ **assist_who** _____

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Q197

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