Interviewer Observations and Characteristics

2020 ILIAD Interviewer Observations and Characteristics Module

OVERVIEW

The interviewer observations module pertains to the short interview and includes information about the interaction between the interviewer and participant as well as information about the interviewers themselves.

Interviewers were asked whether the participant had difficulty hearing, whether the participant was confused or distracted, and whether they interacted with someone other than the participant during the call. Many of these telephone interviews occured when interviewers were working remotely because of the Covid-19 pandemic. Thus we also asked them if there were any techology issues during the interview.

Data were also collected by the UW Survey Center containing information about the interviewers themselves. We include the sex and age of the interviewer.

BRIEF VARIABLE DESCRIPTIONS

Variable ranges reference dataset/codebook order and are not necessarily alphabetical.
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q1a108re Did this R appear to have any difficulty hearing?
q1a107re Did this R appear to be easily confused, distracted or disrupted?
q1a181re Did you or the R interact with an informant at any time during the call?
q1a182re Were there any connectivity issues of any kind at any point in the interview?
q1a183re Were there any audio quality issues of any kind at any point in the interview?
q1a201re Interviewer ID
q1a204re Interviewer sex
q1a203re Age of interviewer

q1a108re: Did this R appear to have any difficulty hearing?

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: eval1

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3529	3458	6987
1	Yes	422	456	878
2	No	1033	1406	2439
9	Unable to evaluate	7	6	13

q1a107re: Did this R appear to be easily confused, distracted or disrupted?

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: eval2

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3529	3458	6987
1	Yes	113	147	260
2	No	1345	1717	3062
9	Unable to evaluate	4	4	8

q1a181re: Did you or the R interact with an informant at any time during the call?

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: eval3

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3529	3458	6987
1	Yes	372	230	602
2	No	1090	1638	2728

q1a182re: Were there any connectivity issues of any kind at any point in the interview?

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: eval4

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3743	3727	7470
1	Yes	108	120	228
2	No	1140	1474	2614
9	Unable to evaluate	0	5	5

q1a183re: Were there any audio quality issues of any kind at any point in the interview?

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: eval5

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3743	3727	7470
1	Yes	176	189	365
2	No	1072	1406	2478
9	Unable to evaluate	0	4	4

q1a201re: T1P1 Interviewer Number

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: ivid inum

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3520	3449	6969
1534 - 3188		494	699	1193
3189 - 3277		448	576	1024
3278 - 3533		376	373	749
3587 - 3757		153	229	382

q1a204re: Sex of T1P1 Interviewer

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: UWSC

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3520	3449	6969
-4	NOT ASCERTAINED	63	60	123
1	MALE	568	658	1226
2	FEMALE	840	1159	1999

q1a203re: Age of interviewer at time of T1P1 interview

Data source: Graduate Respondent   Collected in: 2020   Mode: In person & telephone
Source variables: UWSC

Frequencies

Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	3520	3449	6969
20 - 24		339	350	689
25 - 34		307	384	691
51 - 65		296	427	723
66 - 67		333	449	782
68 - 70		196	267	463

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