

Mail: Menopause

mn118rer	Form Type: The WLS Mail Questionnaire page on women's health was administered in two forms. While the first version asked women to report on their feelings towards their menopause, the second version asked for additional information on reproductive organ surgery, hormone therapy, alternative menopausal treatment and information sources.
mn119rer-mn121rer	These variables designate where female respondents are in the menstrual/menopause process.
mn122rer-mn124rer	These items cover reproductive organ surgery. Information on timing and specific type of surgery is only available for respondents who completed the second version of the mail questionnaire (mn118rer = 2).
mn125rer-mn164rec	Items on hormone therapy.
mn125rer-mn126rec, mn164rec	These items on ever-hormone "replacement" therapy, the start of hormone "replacement" therapy, and current "replacement" therapy were asked directly or indirectly of female respondents, depending on which mail questionnaire version was completed.
mn127rer-mn163rec	These variables from the second version of the mail questionnaire cover the complete hormone "replacement" therapy history reported by respondents.
mn127rer-mn145rec	These are the essentially RAW variables on hormone "replacement" therapy history. They have been recoded chronologically into the next set of variables.
mn146rec-mn163rec	These are the chronologically ordered "best" variables on hormone "replacement" therapy history from the second version of the mail questionnaire.
mn165rer-mn171rer	These cover menopausal symptoms experienced by female respondents. These items appeared on both versions of the mail questionnaire.
mn172rer	This is a screening item for whether any other information on menopause was reported.
mn173rer-mn175rer	These cover female respondents' reports of their feelings about their menopause. These items appeared on the first version of the mail questionnaire only (mn118rer = 1).
mn176rer-mn182re	These items appeared on the second version of the mail questionnaire only (mn118rer = 2).
mn176rer	Women report whether they had enough information about their menopause.
mn177re-mn179re	Three coded mentions of women's alternative

(i.e. non-medical) strategies for their menopause.

mn180re-mn182re Three coded mentions of women's sources of information about menopause.

mn118rer: FORM TYPE: Were any of the menopause questions answered?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 13a, 13b, 13c, 13d, 13e, 14a, 14b, 15a, 15b, 16, 16a, 16b, 16c, 16bb, 16cc, idpriv

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED, SKIPPED ENTIRE MENOPAUSE SECTION	0	20	20
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES, ORIGINAL FORM	0	2029	2029
2	YES, UPDATED FORM	0	1634	1634

Note: If MN118RER = 9 then MN119RER through MN176RER are assigned Refused Codes.

mn119rer: Have you had a menstrual period in the last 12 months?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: 13a, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	93	93
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	1044	1044
2	NO	0	2546	2546

mn120rer: If you have not menstruated in the past 12 months, what age were you when you had your last period?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 13b, 13a, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	130	130
-2	Inappropriate INAP, (MALE or STILL MENSTRUATING)	3192	1044	4236
12 - 39		0	521	521
40 - 45		0	530	530
46 - 49		0	587	587
50 - 51		0	561	561
52 - 55		0	310	310

mn121rer: Have you gone or are you currently going through menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 13c, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	139	139
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	3040	3040
2	NO	0	504	504

Note: Item MN121RER was asked independently of MN119RER and MN120RER; that is, this item was asked of all women, regardless of their previous answers.

mn122rer: Have you ever had surgery to remove your uterus and/or ovaries?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 13d, RSEX

Frequencies				
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	357	357
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	1106	1106
2	NO	0	2220	2220

Note: Updated item wording (MN118RER = 2) is given above.
The original item wording (MN118RER = 1) was as follows:
"Was menopause induced or hastened by a hysterectomy
(surgical removal of your uterus and/or ovaries)?"

mn123rer: What type of surgery did you have to remove your uterus and/or ovaries?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 13d, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	47	47
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NO SURGERY; ORIGINAL FORM)	3192	3066	6258
1	ONE OVARY REMOVED	0	45	45
2	BOTH OVARIES REMOVED	0	42	42
3	UTERUS REMOVED	0	200	200
4	ONE OVARY AND UTERUS REMOVED	0	53	53
5	BOTH OVARIES AND UTERUS REMOVED	0	230	230

Note: If R received the original form, then type of surgery was not requested.
(If MN118RER = 1 then INAP).

mn124rer: How old were you when you had surgery to remove your uterus and/or ovaries?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 13e, 13d, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	59	59
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NO SURGERY; ORIGINAL FORM)	3192	3066	6258
14 - 34		0	125	125
35 - 39		0	114	114
40 - 44		0	121	121
45 - 49		0	129	129
50 - 55		0	69	69

Note: If R received the original form, then age at surgery was not requested.
(If MN118RER = 1 then INAP).

mn125rer: Have you ever taken hormones or birth control pills for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14a, RSEX

Frequencies				
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	71	71
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	1759	1759
2	NO	0	1853	1853

mn126rec: At what age did you first start taking hormones for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14b, 14a, RSEX, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	99	99
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; DID NOT TAKE HORMONES)	3192	1853	5045
18 - 44		0	357	357
45 - 48		0	378	378
49 - 50		0	404	404
51 - 52		0	439	439
53 - 55		0	153	153

Note: The following variables MN127RER - MN145REC are essentially RAW and entirely recoded into MN146REC - MN163RER.

mn127rer: Were any of the menopausal or aging symptoms hormone drug questions answered?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14bu, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	40	40
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
1	YES	0	829	829
2	NO, SKIPPED DRUG QUESTIONS (NEW FORM AND TOOK SOME HORMONES)	0	2	2

Note: See mn128rer, mn132rer, mn136rer, mn141rer.
This was a SCREENING QUESTION.

mn128rer: Do or did you take Estrogen for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14ba, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
1	YES (CIRCLED)	0	393	393
2	NO (NOT CIRCLED)	0	436	436

mn129rer: At what age did you start taking Estrogen for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14a1, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	49	49
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3248	6440
22 - 41		0	88	88
42 - 46		0	80	80
47 - 50		0	122	122
51 - 53		0	92	92
54		0	4	4

mn130rer: At what age did you stop taking Estrogen for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14a2, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	373	373
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3248	6440
28 - 39		0	12	12
40 - 46		0	13	13
47 - 51		0	19	19
52 - 53		0	13	13
54		0	5	5

mn131rec: Why did you stop taking Estrogen for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	327	327
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3248	6440
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	47	47
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	16	16
2	DOCTOR RECOMMENDED STOPPING	0	6	6
3	CONTROVERSY OVER HORMONE THERAPY	0	1	1
4	RISK OF CANCER, CANCER IN FAMILY	0	4	4
5	CIRCULATION PROBLEMS, CLOTTING	0	3	3
6	WEIGHT GAIN, BLOAT	0	1	1
7	PROBLEMS WITH BREASTS, E.G. PAIN, TUMORS, CYSTS, CANCER	0	3	3
8	EXCESSIVE BLEEDING, PERIODS RESUMED	0	4	4
9	PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS, E.G. DEPRESSION	0	1	1
10	HEADACHES, MIGRAINES	0	1	1
11	NAUSEA	0	2	2
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	8	8
13	MISCELLANEOUS ILLNESS, N.E.C.	0	2	2
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	3	3
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	6	6

mn132rer: Do or did you take Estrogen and Progesterone for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14bb, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
1	YES (CIRCLED)	0	430	430
2	NO (NOT CIRCLED)	0	399	399

mn133rer: At what age did you start taking Estrogen and Progesterone for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14b1, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	54	54
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3211	6403
17 - 47		0	92	92
48 - 50		0	145	145
51 - 52		0	121	121
53 - 55		0	60	60

mn134rer: At what age did you stop taking Estrogen and Progesterone for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14b2, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	353	353
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3211	6403
24		0	1	1
34		0	1	1
35		0	1	1
38		0	1	1
40		0	5	5
43		0	2	2
44		0	1	1
46		0	3	3
47		0	3	3
48		0	3	3
49		0	5	5
50		0	17	17
51		0	10	10
52		0	25	25
53		0	30	30
54		0	11	11

mn135rec: Why did you stop taking Estrogen and Progesterone for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14b3, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	308	308
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3211	6403
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	47	47
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	18	18
2	DOCTOR RECOMMENDED STOPPING	0	7	7
3	CONTROVERSY OVER HORMONE THERAPY	0	1	1
4	RISK OF CANCER, CANCER IN FAMILY	0	4	4
5	CIRCULATION PROBLEMS, CLOTTING	0	1	1
6	WEIGHT GAIN, BLOAT	0	4	4
7	PROBLEMS WITH BREASTS, E.G. PAIN, TUMORS, CYSTS, CANCER	0	5	5
8	EXCESSIVE BLEEDING, PERIODS RESUMED	0	12	12
9	PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS, E.G. DEPRESSION	0	5	5
10	HEADACHES, MIGRAINES	0	4	4
11	NAUSEA	0	2	2
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	18	18
13	MISCELLANEOUS ILLNESS, N.E.C.	0	7	7
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	13	13
15	TOO EXPENSIVE	0	1	1
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	15	15

mn136rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, do or did you take an additional kind of hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14bc, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
1	YES (CIRCLED)	0	103	103
2	NO (NOT CIRCLED)	0	726	726

mn137rec: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, what is the additional hormone drug type you took for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14cc, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	52	52
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3538	6730
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	6	6
1	ESTROGEN ONLY	0	49	49
2	PROGESTIN ONLY	0	17	17
3	ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN	0	15	15
5	ESTROGEN AND ANDROGEN	0	1	1
6	UNCODEABLE DRUG SPECIFIED	0	5	5

mn138rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, at what age did you start this additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14c1, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	69	69
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3538	6730
25 - 40		0	15	15
42 - 48		0	15	15
49 - 50		0	16	16
51 - 52		0	19	19
53 - 54		0	11	11

mn139rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, at what age did you stop taking this additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14c2, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	129	129
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3538	6730
30		0	1	1
32		0	1	1
35		0	1	1
36		0	1	1
37		0	2	2
38		0	1	1
42		0	1	1
50		0	2	2
52		0	2	2
53		0	3	3
54		0	1	1

mn140rec: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, why did you stop taking this additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14c3, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	115	115
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS DRUG)	3192	3538	6730
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	13	13
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	2	2
5	CIRCULATION PROBLEMS, CLOTTING	0	1	1
8	EXCESSIVE BLEEDING, PERIODS RESUMED	0	1	1
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	2	2
13	MISCELLANEOUS ILLNESS, N.E.C.	0	1	1
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	1	1
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	9	9

mn141rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, do or did you take a second additional kind of hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14bd, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
1	YES (CIRCLED)	0	62	62
2	NO (NOT CIRCLED)	0	767	767

mn142rec: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, what is the second additional hormone drug type for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14dd, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	44	44
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3579	6771
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	3	3
1	ESTROGEN ONLY	0	30	30
2	PROGESTIN ONLY	0	18	18
3	ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN	0	4	4
5	ESTROGEN AND ANDROGEN	0	1	1
6	UNCODEABLE DRUG SPECIFIED	0	4	4

mn143rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, at what age did you start taking this second additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14d1, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	58	58
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3579	6771
27		0	1	1
31		0	1	1
33		0	2	2
36		0	1	1
37		0	1	1
39		0	3	3
41		0	1	1
45		0	3	3
46		0	3	3
48		0	5	5
49		0	3	3
50		0	8	8
51		0	3	3
52		0	4	4
53		0	6	6
54		0	1	1

mn144rer: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, at what age did you stop taking this second additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14d2, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	92	92
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS HORMONE)	3192	3579	6771
36		0	1	1
38		0	2	2
43		0	1	1
46		0	1	1
49		0	1	1
50		0	2	2
51		0	1	1
52		0	2	2
53		0	1	1

mn145rec: Other than Estrogen or Estrogen and Progesterone, why did you stop taking this second additional hormone drug for menopausal or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14d3, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	86	86
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; DID NOT TAKE THIS DRUG)	3192	3579	6771
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	7	7
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	4	4
2	DOCTOR RECOMMENDED STOPPING	0	1	1
6	WEIGHT GAIN, BLOAT	0	1	1
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	2	2
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	1	1
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	2	2

Note: Must be revised form (MN118RER = 2) and indicated hormone use (MN125RER = 1). ALL of the following variables (referenced, but not called, in sequence: MN148REC - MN165REC) are CONSTRUCTED.

mn146rec: Is there a hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES, I.E. NO HORMONE SPELLS)	3192	2812	6004
1	HAD A FIRST SPELL	0	829	829

mn147rec: At what age did the first hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms begin?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	63	63
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO FIRST SPELL)	3192	2812	6004
22 - 43		0	161	161
44 - 48		0	188	188
49 - 50		0	180	180
51 - 52		0	188	188
53 - 55		0	91	91

mn148rec: At what age did the first hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms stop, if stopped?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	711	711
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO FIRST SPELL)	3192	2812	6004
28 - 42		0	32	32
43 - 50		0	42	42
51 - 52		0	45	45
53		0	32	32
54		0	9	9

Note: STOP1 MUST BE >= START1

mn149rec: Are you still taking the hormone drug from the first drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO FIRST SPELL)	3192	2812	6004
0	NO	0	177	177
1	YES	0	652	652

Note: R's were not directly asked whether or not they were still taking a drug. R's are considered to be still taking an indicated drug if they did not indicate an age stopped (below) and they did not indicate a reason for stopping (below).

mn150rec: What kind of hormone drug did you take for the first drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	51	51
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO FIRST SPELL)	3192	2812	6004
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	5	5
1	ESTROGEN ONLY	0	397	397
2	PROGESTIN ONLY	0	13	13
3	ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN	0	400	400
5	ESTROGEN AND ANDROGEN	0	2	2
6	UNCODEABLE DRUG SPECIFIED	0	3	3

mn151rec: Why did you stop taking the drug from the first drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	62	62
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	2812	6004
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	652	652
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	31	31
2	DOCTOR RECOMMENDED STOPPING	0	8	8
3	CONTROVERSY OVER HORMONE THERAPY	0	2	2
4	RISK OF CANCER, CANCER IN FAMILY	0	8	8
5	CIRCULATION PROBLEMS, CLOTTING	0	4	4
6	WEIGHT GAIN, BLOAT	0	6	6
7	PROBLEMS WITH BREASTS, E.G. PAIN, TUMORS, CYSTS, CANCER	0	6	6
8	EXCESSIVE BLEEDING, PERIODS RESUMED	0	14	14
9	PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS, E.G. DEPRESSION	0	4	4
10	HEADACHES, MIGRAINES	0	4	4
11	NAUSEA	0	3	3
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	28	28
13	MISCELLANEOUS ILLNESS, N.E.C.	0	7	7
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	10	10
15	TOO EXPENSIVE	0	1	1
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	21	21

mn152rec: Is there a second hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES; NO FIRST SPELL)	3192	2812	6004
0	EMPTY SPELL (HAD A FIRST SPELL, BUT NO SECOND SPELL)	0	739	739
1	HAD A SECOND SPELL	0	90	90

Note: IF SPELL2 = 1 THEN SPELL1 MUST = 1

mn153rec: At what age did the second hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms begin?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	64	64
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO SECOND SPELL)	3192	3551	6743
17 - 42		0	13	13
44 - 47		0	15	15
48 - 49		0	14	14
50 - 51		0	14	14
52 - 54		0	12	12

Note: START2 >= STOP1

mn154rec: At what age did the second hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms stop, if stopped?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	85	85
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO SECOND SPELL)	3192	3551	6743
24		0	1	1
34		0	1	1
35		0	1	1
36		0	1	1
37		0	1	1
38		0	1	1
44		0	1	1
45		0	1	1
46		0	2	2
47		0	2	2
48		0	2	2
49		0	2	2
50		0	8	8
51		0	2	2
52		0	8	8
53		0	7	7
54		0	6	6

Note: STOP2 MUST BE >= START2

mn155rec: Are you still taking the hormone drug from the second drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

		Frequencies		
Value	Label	Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO SECOND SPELL)	3192	3551	6743
0	NO	0	48	48
1	YES	0	42	42

Note: R's were not directly asked whether or not they were still taking a drug. R's are considered to be still taking an indicated drug if they did not indicate an age stopped (below) and they did not indicate a reason for stopping (below).

mn156rec: What kind of hormone drug did you take from the second drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	43	43
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO SECOND SPELL)	3192	3551	6743
-1	DON'T KNOW	0	2	2
1	ESTROGEN ONLY	0	20	20
2	PROGESTIN ONLY	0	6	6
3	ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN	0	57	57
6	UNCODEABLE DRUG SPECIFIED	0	4	4

mn157rec: Why did you stop taking the drug for the second drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	45	45
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	3551	6743
0	NO REASON, STILL TAKING DRUG	0	42	42
1	NO NEED, NO LONGER NEEDED, DIDN'T HELP NO REASON	0	9	9
2	DOCTOR RECOMMENDED STOPPING	0	6	6
7	PROBLEMS WITH BREASTS, E.G. PAIN, TUMORS, CYSTS, CANCER	0	2	2
8	EXCESSIVE BLEEDING, PERIODS RESUMED	0	3	3
9	PSYCHOLOGICAL PROBLEMS, E.G. DEPRESSION	0	2	2
10	HEADACHES, MIGRAINES	0	1	1
12	MISCELLANEOUS SIDE EFFECTS	0	3	3
13	MISCELLANEOUS ILLNESS, N.E.C.	0	3	3
14	HAD HYSTERECTOMY	0	8	8
16	UNCODEABLE REASON	0	8	8

mn158rec: Is there a third hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail

Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NEVER TOOK HORMONE I.E. NO HORMONE SPELLS; FIRST SPELL BUT NOT A SECOND SPELL)	3192	3551	6743
0	EMPTY SPELL (HAD A FIRST & SECOND SPELL, BUT NO THIRD SPELL)	0	88	88
1	HAD A THIRD SPELL	0	2	2

Note: IF SPELL3 = 1 THEN BOTH SPELL1 AND SPELL2 MUST = 1

mn159rec: At what age did the third hormone drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms begin?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO THIRD SPELL)	3192	3639	6831
48		0	1	1
54		0	1	1

Note: START3 >= STOP2

mn160rec: Are you still taking the hormone drug from the third drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
 Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO THIRD SPELL)	3192	3639	6831
1	Still taking 3rd hormone drug	0	2	2

Note: R's were not directly asked whether or not they were still taking a drug. R's are considered to be still taking an indicated drug if they did not indicate an age stopped (below) and they did not indicate a reason for stopping (below).

ALL THOSE WITH A THIRD SPELL WERE STILL TAKING HORMONES.
 THEREFORE CASES FOR WHICH MN160REC = 1 HAVE NO AGE STOPPED TAKING HORMONES AND NO REASON FOR STOPPING HORMONES (AND THUS THOSE VARIABLES ARE NOT GIVEN FOR THE THIRD HORMONE SPELL.)

Variable MN161REC is purposefully omitted.

mn162rec: What kind of hormone drug did you take for the third drug spell for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
 Source variables: scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	42	42
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM; NO THIRD SPELL)	3192	3639	6831
1	ESTROGEN ONLY	0	1	1
3	ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN	0	1	1

Note: Variable MN163REC is purposefully omitted.

mn164rec: Are you currently taking hormone drugs for menopause or aging symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 14c, scn2, RSEX, 14bu, 14ba, 14bb, 14bc, 14bd, 14a1, 14b1, 14c1, 14d1, 14a2, 14b2, 14c2, 14d2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	89	89
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NEVER TOOK HORMONES)	3192	1853	5045
1	YES	0	1382	1382
2	NO	0	359	359

Note: See mn149rec, mn155rec, mn160rec.

mn165rer: Were any menopausal symptom questions answered?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED (SKIPPED ENTIRE PAGE)	0	20	20
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	3579	3579
2	NO	0	84	84

Note: See mn166rer, mn167rer, mn168rer, mn169rer, mn170rer, mn171rer.

mn166rer: To what extent do or did you experience hot flushes/flushes as a symptom of menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15aa, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	249	249
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	645	645
1	A LITTLE	0	1014	1014
2	SOMEWHAT	0	942	942
3	A LOT	0	833	833

mn167rer: To what extent do or did you experience depression as a symptom of menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15ab, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	762	762
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	1416	1416
1	A LITTLE	0	848	848
2	SOMEWHAT	0	489	489
3	A LOT	0	168	168

mn168rer: To what extent do or did you experience sleep disturbance as a symptom of menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15ac, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	626	626
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	1091	1091
1	A LITTLE	0	902	902
2	SOMEWHAT	0	688	688
3	A LOT	0	376	376

mn169rer: To what extent do or did you experience bone pains as a symptom of menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15ad, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	916	916
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	1615	1615
1	A LITTLE	0	596	596
2	SOMEWHAT	0	384	384
3	A LOT	0	172	172

mn170rer: To what extent do or did you experience night sweats as a symptom of menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15ae, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	508	508
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	1015	1015
1	A LITTLE	0	846	846
2	SOMEWHAT	0	687	687
3	A LOT	0	627	627

mn171rer: To what extent are you currently experiencing any menopausal symptoms?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 15, 15b, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	181	181
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
0	NOT AT ALL	0	1504	1504
1	A LITTLE	0	1299	1299
2	SOMEWHAT	0	558	558
3	A LOT	0	141	141

mn172rer: Were any additional questions about menopause answered?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 16, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED (SKIPPED ENTIRE PAGE)	0	20	20
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE)	3192	0	3192
1	YES	0	3523	3523
2	NO	0	140	140

Note: See mn173rer, mn174rer, mn175rer, mn176rer, mn177rer, mn178rer, mn179rer, mn180rer, mn181rer, mn182rer.

mn173rer: In what way has going through menopause affected or how is menopause likely to affect your family life?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 16, 16a, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	104	104
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NEW FORM)	3192	1634	4826
1	IN A POSITIVE WAY	0	147	147
2	BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE	0	389	389
3	IN A NEGATIVE WAY	0	75	75
4	NO EFFECT	0	1334	1334

mn174rer: In what way has going through menopause affected or how is menopause likely to affect your work life?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 16, 16b, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	119	119
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NEW FORM)	3192	1634	4826
1	IN A POSITIVE WAY	0	131	131
2	BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE	0	252	252
3	IN A NEGATIVE WAY	0	75	75
4	NO EFFECT	0	1472	1472

mn175rer: In what way has going through menopause affected or how is menopause likely to affect your feelings about being a woman?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 16, 16c, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	86	86
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; NEW FORM)	3192	1634	4826
1	IN A POSITIVE WAY	0	160	160
2	BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE	0	349	349
3	IN A NEGATIVE WAY	0	51	51
4	NO EFFECT	0	1403	1403

mn176rer: During menopause, did you have enough information about the changes you were experiencing?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: 16, 16bb, RSEX

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED	0	163	163
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP (MALE; OLD FORM)	3192	2029	5221
1	YES	0	1130	1130
2	NO	0	361	361

mn177re: What is the first treatment or strategy you are using or have used to control your menopausal symptoms.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16aa1

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	867	867
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2055	5247
0	NONE	0	370	370
1	DIET (LOWER FAT, CHOLESTEROL, SALT, SUGAR, CAFFEINE; MORE FRUITS, FIBER; WEIGHT CONTROL, ETC...)	0	90	90
2	REDUCED OR CUT OUT ALCOHOL	0	3	3
3	STOPPED SMOKING	0	1	1
4	VITAMIN SUPPLEMENTS (A, Bs, E, ETC)	0	45	45
5	EXERCISE OR INCREASED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY OF ANY TYPE.	0	177	177
6	HERBAL TREATMENTS (GINSENG, ETC)	0	21	21
7	ATTITUDE (MIND OVER MATTER, BOOKS, SUPPORT GROUPS, FEMINISM, PRAYER, ETC)	0	7	7
8	PRACTICAL AND/OR IMMEDIATE STRATEGIES (BLANKETS, HEATING AND COOLING, MANNER OF DRESS, MORE SLEEP OR REST, CHANGE PACE OF LIFE, ETC)	0	13	13
12	LIFESTYLE CHANGE (UNSPECIFIED, N.E.C)	0	9	9
50	MEDICAL (HORMONES, OTHER MEDICATION, OR SURGERY)	0	24	24
96	UNCODABLE	0	1	1

Note: UP TO THREE ANSWERS TO MAIL QUESTIONNAIRE ITEM 16aa WERE CODED. THESE THREE MENTIONS ARE REPORTED IN VARIABLES MN177RE THROUGH MN179RE.

mn178re: What is the second treatment or strategy you are using or have used to control your menopausal symptoms.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16aa2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	867	867
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2056	5248
0	NONE	0	590	590
1	DIET (LOWER FAT, CHOLESTEROL, SALT, SUGAR, CAFFEINE; MORE FRUITS, FIBER; WEIGHT CONTROL, ETC...)	0	46	46
2	REDUCED OR CUT OUT ALCOHOL	0	3	3
4	VITAMIN SUPPLEMENTS (A, Bs, E, ETC)	0	17	17
5	EXERCISE OR INCREASED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY OF ANY TYPE.	0	77	77
7	ATTITUDE (MIND OVER MATTER, BOOKS, SUPPORT GROUPS, FEMINISM, PRAYER, ETC)	0	7	7
8	PRACTICAL AND/OR IMMEDIATE STRATEGIES (BLANKETS, HEATING AND COOLING, MANNER OF DRESS, MORE SLEEP OR REST, CHANGE PACE OF LIFE, ETC)	0	6	6
12	LIFESTYLE CHANGE (UNSPECIFIED, N.E.C)	0	5	5
50	MEDICAL (HORMONES, OTHER MEDICATION, OR SURGERY)	0	9	9

mn179re: What is the third treatment or strategy you are using or have used to control your menopausal symptoms.

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16aa3

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	867	867
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2056	5248
0	NONE	0	716	716
1	DIET (LOWER FAT, CHOLESTEROL, SALT, SUGAR, CAFFEINE; MORE FRUITS, FIBER; WEIGHT CONTROL, ETC...)	0	8	8
2	REDUCED OR CUT OUT ALCOHOL	0	1	1
4	VITAMIN SUPPLEMENTS (A, Bs, E, ETC)	0	3	3
5	EXERCISE OR INCREASED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY OF ANY TYPE.	0	10	10
6	HERBAL TREATMENTS (GINSENG, ETC)	0	3	3
7	ATTITUDE (MIND OVER MATTER, BOOKS, SUPPORT GROUPS, FEMINISM, PRAYER, ETC)	0	5	5
8	PRACTICAL AND/OR IMMEDIATE STRATEGIES (BLANKETS, HEATING AND COOLING, MANNER OF DRESS, MORE SLEEP OR REST, CHANGE PACE OF LIFE, ETC)	0	4	4
12	LIFESTYLE CHANGE (UNSPECIFIED, N.E.C)	0	9	9
50	MEDICAL (HORMONES, OTHER MEDICATION, OR SURGERY)	0	1	1

mn180re: Who and what were your first sources of information about the changes you were experiencing during menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16cc1

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	104	104
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2150	5342
0	NONE	0	20	20
1	PHYSICIAN, DOCTOR, GYNECOLOGIST, OB-GYN, (OTHER THAN SELF)	0	638	638
2	OTHER HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL(S) (E.G. NURSE, CLINIC, HOSPITAL), NOT SELF	0	6	6
3	FEMALE RELATIVE (MOTHER, SISTER, IN-LAWS)	0	63	63
4	FRIENDS, OTHER NON-SELF	0	131	131
5	SELF, DUE TO OCCUPATION (R IS DOCTOR, NURSE, OTHER HEALTH CARE WORKER)	0	30	30
11	JOURNAL ARTICLES, (MEDICAL) BOOKS, PERIODICALS, LIBRARY RESEARCH	0	63	63
12	NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES	0	372	372
13	PAMPHLETS, BROCHURES	0	13	13
14	TV, RADIO, VIDEO	0	5	5
19	WRITTEN OR PUBLISHED MATERIALS N.E.C.	0	77	77
21	SUPPORT GROUPS	0	1	1
22	HEALTH FAIR, SEMINAR, CLASSES	0	4	4
31	COMMON SENSE, "OLD WIVES TALES"	0	1	1
41	OTHER, MISC. (N.E.C)	0	5	5

Note: UP TO THREE ANSWERS TO MAIL QUESTIONNAIRE ITEM 16cc WERE CODED. THESE THREE MENTIONS ARE REPORTED IN VARIABLES MN180RE THROUGH MN181RE.

mn181re: Who and what were your second sources of information about the changes you were experiencing during menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16cc2

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	104	104
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2155	5347
0	NONE	0	600	600
1	PHYSICIAN, DOCTOR, GYNECOLOGIST, OB-GYN, (OTHER THAN SELF)	0	221	221
2	OTHER HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL(S) (E.G. NURSE, CLINIC, HOSPITAL), NOT SELF	0	5	5
3	FEMALE RELATIVE (MOTHER, SISTER, IN-LAWS)	0	96	96
4	FRIENDS, OTHER NON-SELF	0	188	188
5	SELF, DUE TO OCCUPATION (R IS DOCTOR, NURSE, OTHER HEALTH CARE WORKER)	0	9	9
11	JOURNAL ARTICLES, (MEDICAL) BOOKS, PERIODICALS, LIBRARY RESEARCH	0	32	32
12	NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES	0	140	140
13	PAMPHLETS, BROCHURES	0	13	13
14	TV, RADIO, VIDEO	0	22	22
19	WRITTEN OR PUBLISHED MATERIALS N.E.C.	0	81	81
21	SUPPORT GROUPS	0	2	2
22	HEALTH FAIR, SEMINAR, CLASSES	0	11	11
31	COMMON SENSE, "OLD WIVES TALES"	0	1	1
41	OTHER, MISC. (N.E.C)	0	3	3

mn182re: Who and what were your third sources of information about the changes you were experiencing during menopause?

Data source: Graduate Respondent Collected in: 1992-93 Mode: mail
Source variables: m16cc3

Value	Label	Frequencies		
		Male	Female	Total
.	System missing - NR	1799	1643	3442
-3	REFUSED/NOT ASCERTAINED	0	104	104
-2	INAPPROPRIATE INAP	3192	2158	5350
0	NONE	0	1047	1047
1	PHYSICIAN, DOCTOR, GYNECOLOGIST, OB-GYN, (OTHER THAN SELF)	0	110	110
2	OTHER HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL(S) (E.G. NURSE, CLINIC, HOSPITAL), NOT SELF	0	8	8
3	FEMALE RELATIVE (MOTHER, SISTER, IN-LAWS)	0	27	27
4	FRIENDS, OTHER NON-SELF	0	113	113
5	SELF, DUE TO OCCUPATION (R IS DOCTOR, NURSE, OTHER HEALTH CARE WORKER)	0	1	1
11	JOURNAL ARTICLES, (MEDICAL) BOOKS, PERIODICALS, LIBRARY RESEARCH	0	21	21
12	NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES	0	53	53
13	PAMPHLETS, BROCHURES	0	7	7
14	TV, RADIO, VIDEO	0	7	7
19	WRITTEN OR PUBLISHED MATERIALS N.E.C.	0	23	23
21	SUPPORT GROUPS	0	2	2
22	HEALTH FAIR, SEMINAR, CLASSES	0	1	1
31	COMMON SENSE, "OLD WIVES TALES"	0	1	1

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