Assessment:

CDC Sexual Behavior Questions (CSBQ)

FIRST TIER QUESTIONS

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Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

[NHSDA]

2. During the past 12 months, with how many people have you had sex?

Number [...] Don't know / Not sure [enter 777] Refused [enter 999]

[BRFSS; NHSDA]

3. During the past 12 months, have you had sex with only males, only females, or with both males and females?

Only males [1] Only females [2] Both males and females [3] Refused [9]

[NHSDA]

4. Now, thinking back about the last time you had sex, did you or your partner use a condom?

Yes [1]

No [2]

Refused [9]

[NHSDA; BRFSS; YRBS]

- 5. I'm going to read you a list. When I'm done, please tell me if any of the situations apply to you. You don't need to tell me which one.
 - You have used intravenous drugs in the past year
 - You have been treated for a sexually transmitted disease or venereal disease in the past year
 - You tested positive for having HIV, the virus that causes AIDS
 - You have had more than one sex partner in the past year
 - During the past 12 months you have given or received money or drugs in exchange for sex

Do any of these situations apply to you?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[BRFSS, adapted]

END OF FIRST TIER QUESTIONS

ALTERNATE FIRST TIER QUESTIONS

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Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

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[BRFSS; NHSDA]

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Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[BRFSS, adapted]

The next questions are about sex with a main partner.

5. In the past 12 months have you had sex with someone who you consider to be your main sex partner, that is a partner who you feel committed to above anyone else?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 8 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 8

[NHSDA- Adapted]

If you had more than one main partner during the past 12 months, we would like you to think of the main partner you had last sex with.

6. Is this person a man or a woman?

Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9]

7. Now, thinking back about the last time you had sex, did you or your partner use a condom?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[NHSDA; BRFSS; YRBS]

8. In the past 12 months, have you had sex with someone who is not your main partner or whom you did not consider to be your main partner at the time?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

For the next series of questions, think back to the last time you had sex with someone who is/was not your main partner.

9. Is this person a man or a woman?

Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9]

10. Now, thinking back about the last time you had sex, did you or your partner use a condom?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[NHSDA; BRFSS; YRBS]

END OF ALTERNATE FIRST TIER QUESTIONS

SECOND TIER QUESTIONS

The next questions are about your sexual behavior. By sex we mean oral, vaginal, or anal sex, but NOT masturbation. When we talk about condoms, we mean both male as well as female condoms.

1. During the past 12 months, have you had sex?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

[NHSDA]

2. During the past 12 months, with how many people have you had sex?

Number [...] Don't know / Not sure [enter 777] Refused [enter 999]

[BRFSS; NHSDA]

3. During the past 12 months, have you had sex with only males, only females, or with both males and females?

Only males [1]
Only females [2]
Both males and females [3]
Refused [9]

[NHSDA]

4. During the past 12 months, has a doctor or other health professional told you that you had a sexually transmitted disease, or STD, for example, herpes, gonorrhea, chlamydia, genital warts?

Yes [1] No [2] Don't know / Not sure [7] Refused [9]

[HITS]

5. Have you ever been told by a doctor of other health professional that you were infected with HIV or that you have AIDS?

Yes [1] No [2] Don't know / Not sure [7] Refused [9] [RBA, adapted]

6. During the past 12 months, have you given drugs in exchange for sex or received drugs in exchange for sex? By sex we mean vaginal, oral, or anal sex.

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[NHSDA]

7. During the past 12 months, have you given money in exchange for sex or received money in exchange for sex? By sex we mean vaginal, oral, or anal sex.

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[NHSDA; Some surveys have combined questions 6 and 7, for example: In the past 12 months, have you given or taken money or drugs in exchange for sex? (NHIS-Supplement)]

If respondent is female: SKIP to SECOND TIER QUESTION 26

[MALE RESPONDENTS ONLY]

The next questions are about sex with a main partner.

8. In the past 12 months have you had sex with someone who you consider to be your main sex partner, that is a partner who you feel committed to above anyone else?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 42 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 42

[NHSDA- Adapted]

If you had more than one main partner during the past 12 months, we would like you to think of the main partner you had last sex with.

9. When was the first time you had sex with your main partner?
/ (month/year)
10. When was the last time you had sex with your main partner?
/ (month/year)
11. Is this person a man or a woman?
Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9]
**If partner is male (Question 11= 1), then SKIP to QUESTION 16
12. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have vaginal sex, where your penis entered your partner's vagina?
Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 14 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 14
13. Was a condom used?
Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]
14. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your mouth touched your partner's vagina?
Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 16 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 16
15. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used?
Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]
16. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your penis entered your partner's mouth?
Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 18 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 18

17. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

18. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have anal sex, where your penis entered your partner's anus (butt)?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 20 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 20

19. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

**If main partner is female (Question 11 = 2), then SKIP to QUESTION 24 **

20. The last time you had sex with your main partner did you have anal sex where your partner's penis entered your anus (butt)?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 22 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 22

21. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

22. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's penis entered your mouth?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 24 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 24

23. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

24. The last time you had sex with your main partner, were you under the influence of alcohol? Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9] [modified from NHSLS]
25. The last time you had sex with your main partner, had you been using drugs to get high before or during sex?
Yes [1] SKIP to QUESTION 42 No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 42 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 42
[modified from NHSLS]
[FEMALE RESPONDENTS]
The next questions are about sex with a main partner.
26. In the past 12 months have you had sex with someone who you consider to be your main sex partner, that is a partner who you feel committed to above anyone else?
Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 60 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 60
[NHSDA- Adapted]
27. When was the first time you had sex with your main partner?
/ (month/year)
28. When was the last time you had sex with your main partner?
/ (month/year)
29. Is this person a man or a woman?
Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9]
If partner is female (Question 29 = 2), then SKIP to QUESTION 36

30. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have vaginal sex, where your partner's penis entered your vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 32 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 32

31. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

32. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's penis entered your mouth?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 34 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 34

33. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

34. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have anal sex, where your partner's penis entered your anus (butt)?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 36 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 36

35. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

36. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's mouth touched your vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 38 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 38 37. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

If partner is male (Question 29 = 1), then SKIP to QUESTION 40

38. The last time you had sex with your main partner, did you have oral sex, where your mouth touched your partner's vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 60 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 60

39. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

40. The last time you had sex with your main partner, were you under the influence of alcohol?

Yes [1]

No [2]

Refused [9]

[modified from NHSLS]

41. The last time you had sex with your main partner, had you been using drugs to get high before or during sex?

Yes [1] SKIP to QUESTION 60 No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 60 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 60

[modified from NHSLS]

[MALE RESPONDENTS ONLY]

The next series of questions are about sex with someone who is/was not your main partner.

42. In the past 12 months, have you had sex with someone who is not your main partner or whom you did not consider to be your main partner at the time?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END is/was not your main partner. 43. When was the first time you had sex with this partner? ____/__ (month/year) 44. When was the last time you had sex with this partner? ___ __/__ __ (month/year) 45. Is this person a man or a woman? Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9] **If partner is male (Question 45 = 1), then SKIP to QUESTION 50** 46. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have vaginal sex, where your penis entered your partner's vagina? Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 48 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 48 47. Was a condom used? Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9] 48. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your mouth touched your partner's vagina? Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 50 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 50 49. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used? Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

For the next series of questions, think back to the last time you had sex with someone who

50. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your penis entered your partner's mouth?

Yes [1]

No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 52

Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 52

51. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2]

Refused [9]

52. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have anal sex, where your penis entered your partner's anus (butt)?

Yes [1]

No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 54

Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 54

53. Was a condom used?

Yes [1]

No [2]

Refused [9]

If partner is female (Question 45 = 2), then SKIP to QUESTION 58.

54. The last time you had sex with this partner did you have anal sex where your partner's penis entered your anus (butt)?

Yes [1]

No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 56

Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 56

55. Was a condom used?

Yes [1]

No [2]

Refused [9]

56. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's penis entered your mouth?

Yes [1]

No [2] SKIP to END

Refused [9] SKIP to END

57. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] SKIP to END No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

58. The last time you had sex with this partner, were you under the influence of alcohol? Yes [1]

No [2]

Man [1] Woman [2] Refused [9]

Refused [9]

[modified from NHSLS]

59. The last time you had sex with this partner, had you been using drugs to get high before or during sex?

Yes [1] SKIP to END No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END

[modified from NHSLS]

[FEMALE RESPONDENTS]

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60. In the past 12 months, have you had sex with someone who is not your main partner or whom you did not consider to be your main partner at the time?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to END Refused [9] SKIP to END
61. When was the first time you had sex with your main partner?
/ (month/year)
62. When was the last time you had sex with your main partner?/ (month/year)
63. Is this person a man or a woman?

If partner is female (Question 63 = 2), then SKIP to QUESTION 70.

64. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have vaginal sex, where your partner's penis entered your vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 66 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 66

65. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

66. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's penis entered your mouth?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 68 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 68

67. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

68. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have anal sex, where your partner's penis entered your anus (butt)?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 70 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 70

69. Was a condom used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

70. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your partner's mouth touched your vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 72 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 72 71. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

If partner is male (Question 63 =1), then SKIP to QUESTION 74.

72. The last time you had sex with this partner, did you have oral sex, where your mouth touched your partner's vagina?

Yes [1] No [2] SKIP to QUESTION 74 Refused [9] SKIP to QUESTION 74

73. Was a barrier (dental dam, plastic wrap, etc) used?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

74. The last time you had sex with this partner, were you under the influence of alcohol?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[modified from NHSLS]

75. The last time you had sex with this partner, had you been using drugs to get high before or during sex?

Yes [1] No [2] Refused [9]

[modified from NHSLS]