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Questionnaire: MEC

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND PHYSICAL FITNESS – PAQ

Target Group: SPs 12-15

PAQ.605 Next I am going to ask you about the time {you spend/SP spends} doing different types of physical activity in a typical week.

Think first about the time {you spend/SP spends} doing work. Think of work as the things that {you have/SP has} to do such as paid or unpaid work, household chores, and yard work.

Does {your/SP's} work involve **vigorous**-intensity activity that causes **large increases** in breathing or heart rate like carrying or lifting heavy loads, digging or construction work for **at least 10 minutes continuously**?

- YES 1
- NO 2 (PAQ.620)
- REFUSED 7 (PAQ.620)
- DON'T KNOW 9 (PAQ.620)

PAQ.610 In a typical week, on how many days {do you/does SP} do **vigorous**-intensity activities as part of {your/his/her} work?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Vigorous-intensity activity causes large increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

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 ENTER NUMBER OF DAYS

- REFUSED 77 (PAQ.620)
- DON'T KNOW 99 (PAQ.620)

PAQ.615
Q/U

How much time {do you/does SP} spend doing **vigorous**-intensity activities at work on a typical day?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Think about a typical day when you do vigorous-intensity activities during your work.

PROBE IF NEEDED: Vigorous-intensity activity causes large increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

SOFT EDIT: >4 hours.

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PAQ.620

Does {your/SP's} work involve **moderate**-intensity activity that causes **small increases** in breathing or heart rate such as brisk walking or carrying light loads for **at least 10 minutes continuously**?

YES 1

NO 2 (PAQ.635)

REFUSED 7 (PAQ.635)

DON'T KNOW 9 (PAQ.635)

PAQ.625

In a typical week, on how many days {do you/does SP} do **moderate**-intensity activities as part of {your/his/her} work?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Moderate-intensity activity causes small increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

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PAQ.630
Q/U

How much time {do you/does SP} spend doing **moderate**-intensity activities at work on a typical day?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Think about a typical day when you do moderate-intensity activities during your work.

PROBE IF NEEDED: Moderate-intensity activity causes small increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

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PAQ.635

The next questions exclude the physical activities at work that you have already mentioned. Now I would like to ask you about the usual way {you travel/SP travels} to and from places. For example to school, for shopping, to work.

{Do you/Does SP} walk or use a bicycle for **at least 10 minutes continuously** to get to and from places?

YES 1

NO 2 (PAQ.650)

REFUSED 7 (PAQ.650)

DON'T KNOW 9 (PAQ.650)

PAQ.640

In a typical week, on how many days {do you/does SP} walk or bicycle for **at least 10 minutes continuously** to get to and from places?

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PAQ.645
Q/U

How much time {do you/does SP} spend walking or bicycling for travel on a typical day?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Think about a typical day when you walk or bicycle for travel.

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PAQ.650

The next questions exclude the work and transport activities that you have already mentioned. Now I would like to ask you about sports, fitness and recreational activities.

{Do you/Does SP} do any **vigorous**-intensity sports, fitness, or recreational activities that cause **large increases** in breathing or heart rate like running or basketball for **at least 10 minutes continuously**?

YES 1

NO 2 (PAQ.665)

REFUSED 7 (PAQ.665)

DON'T KNOW 9 (PAQ.665)

PAQ.655

In a typical week, on how many days {do you/does SP} do **vigorous**-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Vigorous-intensity activity causes large increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

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PAQ.660 Q/U How much time {do you/does SP} spend doing **vigorous**-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities on a typical day?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Think about a typical day when you do vigorous-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities.

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PAQ.665 {Do you/Does SP} do any **moderate**-intensity sports, fitness, or recreational activities that cause a **small increase** in breathing or heart rate such as brisk walking, bicycling, swimming, or volleyball for **at least 10 minutes continuously**?

YES 1

NO 2 (PAQ.680Q)

REFUSED 7 (PAQ.680Q)

DON'T KNOW 9 (PAQ.680Q)

PAQ.670 In a typical week, on how many days {do you/does SP} do **moderate**-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities?

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DON'T KNOW 99 (PAQ.680Q)

PAQ.675 How much time {do you/does SP} spend doing **moderate**-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities
Q/U on a typical day?

PROBE IF NEEDED: Think about a typical day when you do moderate-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities.

PROBE IF NEEDED: Moderate-intensity sports, fitness or recreational activities cause small increases in breathing or heart rate and is done for at **least 10 minutes continuously**.

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PAQ.680 The following question is about sitting at school, at home, getting to and from places, or with friends
Q/U including time spent sitting at a desk, traveling in a car or bus, reading, playing cards, watching television, or
 using a computer. Do not include time spent sleeping.

How much time {do you/does SP} usually spend sitting on a typical day?

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HARD EDIT: 24 hours or more.

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