

**REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH – RHQ**  
**Target Group: Female SPs Ages 12+ (Audio-CASI)**

RHQ.010\_ The next series of questions is about your reproductive history. Help is available for many of the questions.

RHQ.010 How old were you when you had your **first** menstrual period?

**INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:**

Please enter an age or enter zero if you have not started your period.

**CAPI INSTRUCTION:**

**SOFT EDIT VALUES: AGE ≤8 YEARS.**

**ERROR MESSAGE:** "You reported 8 years or younger as the age of your first menstrual period. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and enter another age."

**SOFT EDIT VALUES: AGE ≥ 25 YEARS.**

**ERROR MESSAGE:** "You reported 25 years or older as the age of your first menstrual period. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and enter another age."

**HARD EDIT VALUES: AGE OF 1<sup>ST</sup> PERIOD CANNOT BE GREATER THAN CURRENT AGE.**

**ERROR MESSAGE:** "Your response is greater than your recorded age. Please press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and try again."

**SOFT EDIT: DISPLAY EDIT WHEN AGE OF SP IS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 20 AND RHQ.010 IS CODED '0'.**

**ERROR MESSAGE:** "You reported never starting your menstrual period. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and enter another age."

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ENTER AGE IN YEARS

REFUSED ..... 777  
DON'T KNOW ..... 999

**BOX 1**

**CHECK ITEM RHQ.015:**

- IF PERIODS HAVEN'T STARTED (CODED '0'), GO TO END OF SECTION.
- OTHERWISE, GO TO RHQ.031.

RHQ.031 Have you had **at least one menstrual period** in the **past 12 months**?

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select . . .

HELP TEXT: If you have had at least one very light period in the past 12 months because you use hormonal birth control, such as pills, injectables or IUDs, select "Yes."

If you have not had a period in the past 12 months, but you had bleeding due to medical conditions, hormone therapy, or surgeries, select "No."

SOFT EDIT: DISPLAY EDIT WHEN AGE OF SP IS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 60 AND RHQ.031 IS CODED YES.

ERROR MESSAGE: "If you have not had a period in the past 12 months, but you had bleeding due to medical conditions, hormone therapy, or surgeries, please press the "Back" button and select "No." Otherwise, press the "Next" button to continue."

- Yes ..... 1
- No ..... 2 (RHQ.043)
- REFUSED ..... 7 (RHQ.060)
- DON'T KNOW ..... 9 (RHQ.060)

**BOX 1A**

**CHECK ITEM RHQ.033:**

- IF SP < 20 YEARS OLD AND RHQ.031 = 1, GO TO BOX 5.
- IF SP 20+ YEARS OLD AND RHQ.031 = 1, GO TO RHQ.282.
- OTHERWISE, CONTINUE.

RHQ.043 What is the reason that you have not had **a period** in the past 12 months?

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select one of the following choices.

HELP TEXT: Select "some other reason" if you have not had a period in the past 12 months, for reasons including, but not limited to: hormonal birth control use; cancer; a thyroid condition; chemotherapy; excessive exercise; anorexia; low body weight.

SOFT EDIT: DISPLAY EDIT WHEN AGE OF SP IS YOUNGER THAN 45 AND RHQ.043 IS CODED 7 (MENOPAUSE/CHANGE OF LIFE).

ERROR MESSAGE: "You reported that the reason you have not had a period in the past 12 months is because of menopause, meaning your periods have completely stopped. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and select a different reason."

- Pregnancy ..... 1 (BOX 5)
- Breastfeeding ..... 2
- Hysterectomy..... 3
- Menopause or the change of life ..... 7
- Some other reason ..... 9
- REFUSED ..... 77
- DON'T KNOW ..... 99

RHQ.282 Have you had a hysterectomy, including a partial hysterectomy, that is, surgery to **remove** your uterus or womb?

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select . . .

CAPI INSTRUCTION:

IF RHQ.043 = 3, fill = 1

Yes .....	1
No .....	2
REFUSED .....	7
DON'T KNOW .....	9

RHQ.305 Have you had **both** of your ovaries removed {either when you had your uterus removed or at any other time}?

HELP TEXT: It is possible to have both ovaries removed, only one ovary removed, or only part of an ovary removed. Ovaries may be removed during a hysterectomy. Select "Yes" only if a surgeon completely removed both ovaries.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select . . .

CAPI INSTRUCTION: IF RHQ.282 = 1 DISPLAY {either when you had your uterus removed or at any other time}"

Yes .....	1
No .....	2 (BOX 1B)
REFUSED .....	7 (RHQ.060)
DON'T KNOW .....	9 (RHQ.060)

RHQ.332 How old were you when you had your ovaries removed or last ovary removed if removed at different times?

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please enter an age.

CAPI INSTRUCTION:

HARD EDIT: RHQ.332 MUST BE EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN AGE OF SP.

ERROR MESSAGE: "Your response is greater than your recorded age. Please press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and try again."

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ENTER AGE IN YEARS

REFUSED .....	7777
DON'T KNOW .....	9999

**BOX 1B**

**CHECK ITEM RHQ.334:**

- IF RHQ.031 = 1 AND RHQ.282 = 2 AND RHQ.305 = 2, GO TO BOX 5.
- OTHERWISE, CONTINUE.

RHQ.060 About how old were you when you had your **last** menstrual period?

**INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:**

Please enter an age.

SOFT EDIT: DISPLAY EDIT WHEN RHQ.060 IS GREATER THAN 59.

ERROR MESSAGE: "You reported your last menstrual period after age 59. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and try again."

SOFT EDIT: RHQ.060 MUST BE LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO RHQ.332.

ERROR MESSAGE: "You reported the age of your last menstrual period after the age that both of your ovaries were removed. If that is correct, please press the "Next" button to continue. If that is not correct, press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and try again."

HARD EDIT: RHQ.060 MUST BE EQUAL TO OR LESS THAN AGE OF SP.

ERROR MESSAGE: "Your response is greater than your recorded age. Please press the "Back" button, press "Clear," and try again."

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ENTER AGE IN YEARS

REFUSED ..... 777  
DON'T KNOW ..... 999

**BOX 5**

**CHECK ITEM RHQ.086:**

- IF SP IS 12-17 YEARS OLD, GO TO RHQ.131\_.
- IF SP IS 18-59 YEARS OLD, CONTINUE.
- OTHERWISE, END OF SECTION.

RHQ.078 Have you ever been treated for an infection in your fallopian tubes, uterus or ovaries, also called a pelvic infection, pelvic inflammatory disease, or PID?

**INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:**

Please select . . .

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
REFUSED ..... 7  
DON'T KNOW ..... 9

RHQ.131\_ The next questions are about your pregnancy history.

RHQ.131 Have you **ever** been pregnant? Please include current pregnancy, live births, miscarriages, stillbirths, tubal pregnancies and abortions.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select . . .

HELP TEXT:

**Miscarriage** is the loss of a baby before the 20<sup>th</sup> week of pregnancy.

**Stillbirth** is the loss of a baby at or after 20 weeks of pregnancy.

**Tubal Pregnancy** is a pregnancy that occurs in the fallopian tube.

**Abortion** is the termination of a pregnancy using induced methods.

Yes .....	1
No .....	2 (END OF SECTION)
REFUSED .....	7 (END OF SECTION)
DON'T KNOW .....	9 (END OF SECTION)

<b>BOX 6</b>
<b>CHECK ITEM RHQ.136:</b>
■ IF THE SP HAS EXPERIENCED MENOPAUSE (RHQ.043 = 7), GO TO RHQ.167.
■ IF THE SP HAD HYSTERECTOMY (RHQ.043 = 3 OR RHQ.282 = 1), GO TO RHQ.167.
■ OTHERWISE, CONTINUE.

RHQ.143 Are you pregnant **now**?

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please select . . .

Yes .....	1
No .....	2
REFUSED .....	7
DON'T KNOW .....	9

RHQ.167 How many vaginal or Cesarean deliveries have you had? Please count all stillbirths as well as live births.

If you delivered twins or had any other multiple birth, count it as one delivery.

INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:

Please enter the total number of deliveries.

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ENTER NUMBER

REFUSED .....	777
DON'T KNOW .....	999

**BOX 7B**

**CHECK ITEM RHQ.170A:**

- IF THE NUMBER OF DELIVERIES IN RHQ.167 EQUALS ZERO, GO TO END OF SECTION.
- OTHERWISE, CONTINUE.

RHQ.200 Are you **now** breastfeeding a child?

**INSTRUCTIONS TO SP:**

Please select . . .

Yes .....	1
No.....	2
REFUSED .....	7
DON'T KNOW .....	9