

CHS Year 18 Allstars Variable Information

CHS All Stars is an ancillary study of the Cardiovascular Health Study (CHS). The CHS All Stars Study focuses on reexamining the long term survivors of CHS. The first All Stars visit was completed in April 2006 (year 18) on 1674 participants. Phlebotomy was completed on 1100 participants.

Data Dictionary for year 18

Question	Variable
Personal history	
Participant ID	idno
hispanic	hisp
age	pptage
age group	agecat
age at All-Stars visit >=85	age85
age at All Stars visit	age18
age in 5 grps at All Stars visit	age18cat
marital status	marital
GENDER - CHS	gend01
RACE - CHS	race01
live alone	livewith
no. of people in household	people
live w/ spouse	spouse
live w/ other relatives	other
live w/ unrelated individuals	unrelated
what type of home do you live in	hometyp
specify other home type	homeoth
Health History	
health status	hlth1
no. of days spent in bed past 2 weeks	beddays1
involved in any other med studies	medstd
name of study	stdname
heart attack	mi
angina	angina
congestive heart failure	chf
int. claudication	legpain
stroke	stroke
mini stroke	tia
high blood pressure	hbp
atrial fibrillation	afib
deep vein thrombosis	dvt
rheumatic fever	rf
asthma	asthma

bronchitis
emphysema
pneumonia
diabetes
years with diabetes
diabetes treatment
other treatment
arthritis of the back
arthritis of the hip
arthritis of the knee
osteoporosis
liver disease
renal disease
breast cancer
blood cancer
colon cancer
lung cancer
melanoma
skin cancer
prostate cancer
pancreatic cancer
esophageal cancer
other cancer
specify other cancer
flu shot in past year
pneumonia vaccine
cardiac catheterization
location of catheterization
procedure to open leg arteries
procedure to open neck arteries
procedure to open heart arteries
fractured hip
broken leg
broken arm
vertebral fracture
other injury
specify other
fallen in the past year
no. of times fallen
fainted
fainted month
fainted year
don't know when fainting occurred
appetite status
gained/lost 10 lbs

bronch
emphysem
pneumon
diabetes
diabyear
trtdiab
othdiab
arthback
arthhip
arthknee
osteo
liver
kidney
breastca
bloodca
colonca
lungca
melanoma
skinca
prostca
pancrca
esophca
otherca
othcancr
flushot
pneumvax
cardcath
cathloc
artlegs
artneck
arthrt
brokhip
brokleg
brokarm
spfrac
otherinj
othinjur
fall
fallct
faint
faintmo
faintyr
faintdt
appetite
weight10

factor in weight change: diet
factor in weight change: illness
factor in weight change: exercise
trying to lose weight
body pain
days with pain
severity of pain
how often pain interfered
bone/joint pain
neck pain
shoulder pain
hand pain
wrist pain
lower back pain
hip pain
knee pain
specify other
lively
tired
energetic
Parkinson's disease

Sleeping

sleepy in daytime
groggy after waking
snore
stop breathing while sleeping
trouble falling asleep
wake up at night
wake up too early
sleeping pills
hrs in daytime spent asleep
no. of naps per week
hrs at night spent asleep
how weak
how sleepy

Vision

cataracts
which eye(s)
cataract surgery
which eye(s)
ever driven a car
currently drive a car
difficulty driving at day

diet
surgery
exercise1
trylose
bodypain
dayspain
severe
interfer
bonepain
neck
shoulder
hands
wrists
lowback
hips
knees
othpain
lively
tiredlvl
energy
parkins

sleepy
groggy
snoring
breath
fallslp
awake
wakeup
pills
dayhrs
timesnap
nitehrs
weaklvl
sleeplvl

cataract
cateye
catsurg
surgeye
everdrv
curdrv
drivday

difficulty driving at night
when did you stop driving
why stop driving

Smoking and Alcohol

smoking status
smoked cigarettes in past month
no. of cigarettes smoked/day
drink beer
how often drink beer
no. of beers drank per occasion
drink wine
how often drink wine
no. of glasses per occasion
drink liquor
how often drink liquor
no. of shots per occasion
weekly alcohol consumption (drinks)

Family History

father still alive
age at death
mother still alive
mothers age
mothers age at death
sibling1
still alive1
age 1
age at death1
sibling2
still alive2
age 2
age at death2
sibling3
still alive3
age 3
age at death3
sibling4
still alive4
age 4
age at death4
sibling5
still alive5
age 5
age at death5

drivnt
whenstop
whystop

smoking
cigaret
numcig
beer
beerf
beern
wine
winef
winen
liquor
liquof
liquon
alcoh

father
fdie
mother
mage
mdie
sib1sex
sib1liv
sib1age
sib1dth
sib2sex
sib2liv
sib2age
sib2dth
sib3sex
sib3liv
sib3age
sib3dth
sib4sex
sib4liv
sib4age
sib4dth
sib5sex
sib5liv
sib5age
sib5dth

sibling6
still alive6
age 6
age at death6
sibling7
still alive7
age 7
age at death7
sibling8
still alive8
age 8
age at death8
sibling9
still alive9
age 9
age at death9
sibling10
still alive10
age 10
age at death10
sibling1 lives nearby
sibling2 lives nearby
sibling3 lives nearby
sibling4 lives nearby
sibling5 lives nearby
sibling6 lives nearby
sibling7 lives nearby
sibling8 lives nearby
sibling9 lives nearby
sibling10 lives nearby
sibling1 - no. of children
sibling2 - no. of children
sibling3 - no. of children
sibling4 - no. of children
sibling5 - no. of children
sibling6 - no. of children
sibling7 - no. of children
sibling8 - no. of children
sibling9 - no. of children
sibling10 - no. of children
child1
child1 alive
child1 age
child1 lives nearby
child1 age at death

sib6sex
sib6liv
sib6age
sib6dth
sib7sex
sib7liv
sib7age
sib7dth
sib8sex
sib8liv
sib8age
sib8dth
sib9sex
sib9liv
sib9age
sib9dth
sib10sex
sib10liv
sib10age
sib10dth
lives1
lives2
lives3
lives4
lives5
lives6
lives7
lives8
lives9
lives10
chld1
chld2
chld3
chld4
chld5
chld6
chld7
chld8
chld9
chld10
adchld1
chaliv1
chage1
chliv1
chdth1

child2
child2 alive
child2 age
child2 lives nearby
child2 age at death
child3
child3 alive
child3 age
child3 lives nearby
child3 age at death
child4
child4 alive
child4 age
child4 lives nearby
child4 age at death
child5
child5 alive
child5 age
child5 lives nearby
child5 age at death
child6
child6 alive
child6 age
child6 lives nearby
child6 age at death
child7
child7 alive
child7 age
child7 lives nearby
child7 age at death
had/have any children
had/have any siblings

Psychosocial

3MSE score
correctly coded items
errors
TICS score
bothered
focus trouble
everything effort
depressed
hopeful about future
fearful
restless sleep

adchld2
chaliv2
chage2
chliv2
chdth2
adchld3
chaliv3
chage3
chliv3
chdth3
adchld4
chaliv4
chage4
chliv4
chdth4
adchld5
chaliv5
chage5
chliv5
chdth5
adchld6
chaliv6
chage6
chliv6
chdth6
adchld7
chaliv7
chage7
chliv7
chdth7
children
siblings

MSEscore
digcor
digerr
TICSscore
bother
troubl
effort
depres
future
fear
sleep

happy
lonely
couldnt get going
CES-D score
IQ score
functional by ADL, cognitive measures
function in 4 grps, using mmse history, IQ
QC grade

Physical Activity

use a cane
walk for exercise
how often: walk for exercise
household chores
how often: household chores
mowing the lawn
how often: mowing the lawn
raking the lawn
how often: raking the lawn
gardening in past 2 weeks
how often: gardening
hiking in past 2 weeks
how often: hiking
jogging in past 2 weeks
how often: jogging
biking in past 2 weeks
how often: biking
cycling in past 2 weeks
how often: cycling
dancing in past 2 weeks
how often: dancing
aerobics in past 2 weeks
how often: aerobics
bowling in past 2 weeks
how often: bowling
golf in past 2 weeks
how often: golf
singles tennis in past 2 weeks
how often: singles tennis
doubles tennis in past 2 weeks
how often: doubles tennis
raquetball in past 2 weeks
how often: raquetball
calisthenics in past 2 weeks
how often: calisthenics

happy
lonly
getgo
CESDscore
IQscore
functionnew
function4new
QCGrade

usecane
walk
walk2
chores
chores2
mowing
mowing2
raking
raking2
garden
garden2
hiking
hiking2
jogging
jogging2
biking
biking2
cycling
cycling2
dancing
dancing2
aerobics
aerobic2
bowling
bowling2
golf
golf2
stennis
stennis2
dtennis
dtennis2
racquet
racquet2
exercise
exercis2

swimming in past 2 weeks
how often: swimming
specify other
other frequency
other activity 2
specify other 2
other frequency 2
blocks walked in last week
miles walked in last week
how often: crossword puzzle
how often: jigsaw puzzle
how often: read newspaper
how often: read novel
how often: read nonfiction
how often: play board or card game
how often: use computer
how often: go to library
how often: play an instrument
how often: play recreational games
how often: write
how often: travel > 100 miles
how often: handcrafts
how often: woodwork
how often: artwork
how often: attend a movie
how often: attend a concert
how often: visit a museum
how often: attend a sporting event
how often: take a class
how often: attend a lecture
how often: community activity
how often: socialize w/ friends
how often: socialize w/ family

ADL/IADL

difficulty in walking 1/2 mile (yes/no)
how much difficulty in walking 1/2 mile
how easy to walk 1/2 mile
difficulty in walking one mile
easy to walk one mile
difficulty in walking around home (yes/no)
how much difficulty in walking around home
difficult to get out of bed (yes/no)
how much difficulty in getting out of bed
difficult to climb 10 steps (yes/no)

swimming
swim2
othertxt
other2tm
other2
oth2txt
other2tm
blocks
miles
puzzle
jigsaw
readnews
fiction
nonfict
playgame
computer
library
music
games
write
travel
sewing
woodwork
artwork
movie
concert
museum
sports
class
lecture
church
friends
relatives

whmile
whmdif
howeasy
diffwalk
easywalk
whome
whodif
bed
beddif
steps

how much difficulty in climbing 10 steps
ease in climbing 10 steps
difficult to climb 20 steps (yes/no)
ease in climbing 20 steps
difficult to do heavy housework (yes/no)
how much difficulty in doing heavy housework
difficult to do light housework (yes/no)
how much difficulty in doing light housework
difficult to shop (yes/no)
how much difficulty in shopping
difficult to prepare meals (yes/no)
how much difficulty in preparing meals
difficult to manage money (yes/no)
how much difficulty in managing money
difficult to use the phone (yes/no)
how much difficulty in using the phone
difficult to eat (yes/no)
how much difficulty in eating
difficult to dress yourself (yes/no)
how much difficulty in dressing yourself
difficult to bathe (yes/no)
how much difficulty in bathing
difficult to use to toilet (yes/no)
how much difficulty in using the toilet
difficult to lift 10 lbs (yes/no)
how much difficulty in lifting 10 lbs
ease in carrying a bag of groceries
difficult to lift 20 lbs
ease in carrying 20 lbs
difficult to reach out
how much difficulty in reaching out
difficult to grip hands
how much difficulty in gripping hands
Activ of daily living score
Instrumental IADL score

Performance based variables

complete the walk
distance of the walking course?
Specify other distance.
Time to complete walk (sec)
Number of steps taken.
lift arm to the table independently? Left arm
lift arm to the table independently? Right arm
recent worsening of pain in your wrist?

stpdif
step10
step20
easy20
hhwork
hhwdif
lhwork
lhwdif
shop
shpdif
prepar
prpdif
pay
paydif
phone
phndif
eat
eatdif
dress
drsdif
bathe
bthdif
toilet
tldif
liftng
lftdif
carrybag
lift20
carry20
reach
rchdif
gripng
grpdif
ADL
IADL

wlkdon
distwalk
othdist
wlktime
stepsper
llarm
larm
painhd

safely squeeze this as hard as you can?

hand surgery

Was grip strength test done?

Specify other reason

safe for you to stand up?

could try to stand up?

Reason task not performed

Specify other reason

Number of chair rises.

Rises

safe to stand up five times?

Reason task was not performed.

Specify other reason.

Number of chair rises.

Number of seconds.

side-by-side stand

Number of seconds if < 10

semi-tandem

Number of seconds if < 10

tandem

Number of seconds if < 10

grip strength: mean of 3 trys of dominant hand

short physical performance battery

gait speed (m/sec)

Physical Range of Motion / Physical Strength

Which leg tested for isometric

Height in cm

seat depth (mm)

length lower leg (meters)

which leg was tested?

Maximum torque1 (Nm)

Max rate torque1 (Nm/sec)

Reaction time1 (msec)

Time to 50% MVTD1(msec)

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - max torque (Nm) - right leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - max torque rate (Nm/sec) - right leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - reaction time (msec) - right leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - time to 50% MVTD (msec) right leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - max torque (Nm) - left leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - max torque rate (Nm/sec) - left leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - reaction time (msec) - left leg

mean of 2nd and 3rd trials - time to 50% MVTD (msec) - left leg

dominant hand

did participant have knee pain?

safsqz

surghd

grip

griprsn

safe

trystd

notat1

reason20

attmp1

risety

safe5

notat2

othrsn24

rises

ctime

side

sidetm

semi

semitm

tand

tandtm

gripstr

sppb

gaitspeed

whichleg

heightiso

depth

length

testleg

maxtorq1

maxrate1

reaction1

mvtd1

maxtorqR

maxrateR

reactionR

mvtdR

maxtorqL

maxrateL

reactionL

mvtdL

rhanded

pain1

Maximum torque2 (Nm)	maxtorq2
Max rate torque2 (Nm/sec)	maxrate2
Reaction time2 (msec)	reaction2
Time to 50% MVTD2 (msec)	mvtd2
Did participant have knee pain?	pain2
Maximum torque3 (Nm)	maxtorq3
Max rate torque3 (Nm/sec)	maxrate3
Reaction time3 (msec)	reaction3
Time to 50% MVTD3 (msec)	mvtd3
size connecting rod	rodsiz
complete isometric strength test	complete
Not eligible: bilateral knee replacement	kneerepl
Knee pain	kneepain
Equipment problems	problems
Participant refused	refusediso
Participant fatigue	fatigue
Other	otheriso
Specify other reason	othertxtiso
numb	numb
pain	pain
sore	sore
open sore	opensore
which toe	whichtoe
refused	refusedperi
amputation of both toes	amput
other	otherperi
specify other	othrsn
detect light touch 4.17	detect1
detect light touch 5.07	detect2
assistive device for walking	device
What type of device	devtyp
Specify other device	othspec
lower extremity orthosis	ortho
missing any limbs?	limb
Which limbs? Left arm	mlarm
Which limbs? Right arm	mrarm
Which limbs? Left leg	mlleg
Which limbs? Right leg	mrleg
prosthesis	prothe
Which limbs? Left arm	plarm
Which limbs? Right arm	prarm
Which limbs? Left leg	plleg
Which limbs? Right leg	prleg
paralysis of an extremity or side of the body	paral
Which side of the body?	parsid

Medications

Total Medications	totmed06
Angiotensin type 2 antagonists	A2A06
Combinations of angiotensin II antagonists plus diuretics	A2AD06
ACE Inhibitors without diuretics	ACE06
ACE Inhibitors with diuretics	ACED06
Inhibitors of ADP-induced platelet aggregation	ADPI06
alpha-Glucosidase Inhibitors	AGDI06
Alpha-blockers without diuretics	ALPHA06
Alpha-blockers with diuretics	ALPHAD06
Acetylcholine esterase inhibitors for Alzh`s	ALZH06
Amlodipine	AMLOD06
Anti-arrhythmics, class 1A	ANAR1A06
Anti-arrhythmics, class 1B	ANAR1B06
Anti-arrhythmics, class 1C	ANAR1C06
Anti-arrhythmics, class 3	ANAR306
Anti-psychotic medications	APSY06
Aspirin from 280804 (anti-inflam agents)	ASA06
Bile-acid sequestrants	BASQ06
Benzodiazepines	BENZOD06
Beta-blockers without diuretics	BETA06
Beta-blockers with diuretics	BETAD06
Biguanides	BGND06
Any calcium-channel blocker = CCIR or CCBSR or CCBT	CCB06
Immediate-release CCBs = NIFIR or DIHIR or VERIR or DLTIR	CCBIR06
Slow-release CCBs = NIFSR or DIHSR or VERSR or DLTSR or AMLOD	CCBSR06
t-type calcium-channel blocker	CCBT06
Cox-2 inhibitors (NSAID agents); seperate from NSAID variable	COX206
Digitalis preparations	DIG06
Immediate-release dihydropyridines other than nifedipine	DIHIR06
Slow-release dihydropyridines other than nifedipine or amlodipine	DIHSR06
Immediate-release diltiazem	DLTIR06
Slow-release diltiazem	DLTSR06
Erectile dysfunction drugs	EDD06
Estrogens, excluding vaginal creams	ESTRGN06
Fibrates	FIBR06
H-2 Blockers	H2B06
Thiazide diuretics without k-sparing agents	HCTZ06
Thiazide diuretics with k-sparing agents	HCTZK06
Heparins	HPRNS06
Insulins	INSLN06
Anticholinergics + combination with beta2-agonist (121200)	IPRTR06
Inhaled steroids for asthma	ISTRD06

K-channel blockers to enhance insulin secretion for diabetics	KBLKR06
Potassium supplements	KCL06
Potassium-sparing agents alone	KSPR06
Loop diuretics	LOOP06
MAO Inhibitors	MAOI06
Miscellaneous lipid-lowering drugs	MLPD06
Niacin and nictotinic acid	NIAC06
Immediate-release nifedipine	NIFIR06
Slow-release nifedipine	NIFSR06
Non-steriodal anti-inflammatory agents, excluding aspirin	NSAID06
Non-tricyclic antidepressants other than MAOI	NTCA06
Nitrates	NTG06
Oral anti-inflammatory asthma drugs leukotriene receptor antagonists and inhibitors of lipo-oxygenase	OAIA06
Oral hypoglycemic agents	OHGA06
Oral steroids	OSTRD06
Over-the-counter H-2 blockers	OTCH2B06
Phosphodiesterase inhibitors	PDEI06
Proton pump inhibitors	PPI06
Progestins	PRGSTN06
Drugs used to treat Parkinson`s	PRKNSN06
Premarin (conjugated estrogens)	PRMRN06
Probucol	PROB06
Peripheral vasodilators, exclude dipyridamole	PVDL06
First generation sulfonylureas	SLF106
Second generation sulfonylureas	SLF206
HMG CoA reductase inhibitors (statins)	STTN06
Sympathomimetics, oral and inhaled	SYMPH06
Tricyclic anti-depressants	TCA06
Tri-cyclic anti-depressants plus anti-psychotics	TCAP06
Thyroid agents	THRY06
Thiazolidinediones	THZD06
Uricosurics	URCOS06
Vasodilators, a mixed group	VASO06
Vasodilators with diuretics, a mixed group	VASOD06
Immediate-release verapamil	VERIR06
Slow-release verapamil	VERSR06
Oral anticoagulants	WARF06
Weight loss drugs	WTLS06
Xanthine oxidase inhibitors	XOI06
Any diuretic	DIUR06
Any lipid-lowering medication	LIPID06
Any hypertension medication	HTNMED06
ANY DIURETIC	ANYDIUR
ANY BETA BLOCKER	ANYBETA

ANY VASO DILATOR
ANY ACE INHIBITOR

Pulmonary Function

forced exp volume in 1 sec (l)
forced exp volume in 6 sec (l)
force vital capacity (l)
peak exp flow (l/s)
forced exp. time (s)
forced exp flow 25-75% (l/s)
fev1/fev6 percent
fev1/fvc percent

Lab Data

bleed easily
clotting disorder
date of draw
fever in past 2 weeks
white blood cell count
red blood cell count
HGB (G/DL)
HCT (%)
MCV (FL)
MCH (PG)
MCHC (%)
platelets
platelet units
RDW-CV (%)
vein collapse
hematoma
excess duration
multiple sticks
difficulty getting vein
leakage
Cholesterol (mg/dL)
Triglycerides (mg/dL)
HDL Cholesterol (mg/dL)
LDL Cholesterol (mg/dL)
total/HDL cholest ratio
serum glucose (mg/dL)
C Reactive protein (ug/mL)
25 OH Vit DTotal ng/ml
Creatinine mg/dl
Cystatin C mg/L

ANYVASO
ANYACE

FEV1_max
FEV6_max
FVC_max
PEF_max
FET_max
FEF2575_max
fev1fev6ratio
fev1fvcratio

bleed
clot
blooddt
fever
wbc
rbc
hgb
hct
mcv
mch
mchc
plt
pltunit
rdw
veincol
hematoma
exdur
multstk
harddraw
leakage
chol
trig
hdlc
ldl
chhdlr
glucose
crp
VitDTotalngml@25OH
Creatininemgdl
CystatinCmgL

Blood Pressure and Anthropometry

blood pressure interview date
time of day blood pressure taken
Hrs since last meal
Heart rate: Beats/30 sec
Average seated bp Systolic
Average seated bp Diastolic
Standing height in cm
Weight in lb
Waist circumference in cm

Study variables

follow-up status: detailed
proxy
visit location
final visit status, year 18
alive all stars
TIME SINCE ENTRY (DAYS)

intdat
time
timeat
beat
avesys
avedia
height
weight
waist

status
datacl
location
status18
aliveas
stdytime