

Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

This file combines parts of RICs BK and BN that were released in 1998 through 2000. These data provide the opportunity to quantify many of CMS's Strategic Plan objectives and to measure beneficiary information needs. Specifically, to involve the beneficiaries in defining their health care information needs by aggregating and using data for continuous policy and process improvement, to assess outreach by the Medicare program and general knowledge of the Medicare program (services and health care choices) by the beneficiaries. There is one record for each sample person who completes a community interview.

RIC	1	2			C Record Identification Code
VERSION	3	1			C Version Number
BASEID	4	8	\$BSIDFMT		C Unique SP Identification Number
				13,714	LOW-HIGH BASEID Count
KNOWMC	12	2	KNOWMC	KN1	N How easy is Mcare prog to understand
				3	-9 Not ascertained
				370	-8 Don't know
				36	-7 Refused
				2,337	1 Very easy
				6,633	2 Somewhat easy
				3,190	3 Somewhat difficult
				1,145	4 Very difficult

Note: First available in 2001

KCARKNOW	14	2	KNOWFMT	KN2	N What SP thinks they know about Mcare
				1	-9 Not ascertained
				63	-8 Don't know
				35	-7 Refused
				1,313	1 Just about everything necessary
				4,331	2 Most of what is necessary
				4,287	3 Some of what is necessary
				2,437	4 A little of what is necessary
				1,247	5 Almost none of what is necessary

Notes: See MCARKNOW in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KPYFIND	16	2	YES2FMT	KN3	N SP tried to find Medical paymt info
				1	-9 Not ascertained
				13	-8 Don't know
				33	-7 Refused
				949	1 Yes
				12,718	2 No

Notes: See MPYFIND in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KPYNOFND	18	2	IND1FMT	KN4	N Medicare payment information not found
				2	-8 Don't know
				12,765	-1 Inapplicable
				21	1 Indicated
				926	2 Not indicated

Notes: Applies only when KPYPYFIND = 1. See MPYNOFND in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KPYINSCO	20	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from insurance claims
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					103		1 Indicated
					844		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYINSCO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYMEDGP	22	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from Medigap/sup
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					76		1 Indicated
					871		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYMEDGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYMCOFF	24	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from Mcare/office hotln
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					219		1 Indicated
					728		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYSSOFF	26	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from SSA office
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					28		1 Indicated
					919		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYAARP	28	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from AARP/seniors org
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					16		1 Indicated
					931		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYFAMILY	30	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from family or friend
					2		-8 Don't know
					12,765		-1 Inapplicable
					28		1 Indicated
					919		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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KPYSRCTR	32	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from local Senior ctr
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				7			1 Indicated
				940			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYHOSP	34	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from local hospital
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				52			1 Indicated
				895			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYDOCTR	36	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from doctor office
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				321			1 Indicated
				626			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYCOUN	38	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from Mcare counseling
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				9			1 Indicated
				938			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYCOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYPUBL	40	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from Mcare pubs
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				77			1 Indicated
				870			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYTV	42	2	IND1FMT		KN4		N Mcare paymt info from TV
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				9			1 Indicated
				938			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							

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KPYRADIO	44	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from radio
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				946			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KPYZINE	46	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from newspaper or mag
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				9			1 Indicated
				938			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYOGOV	48	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from other govt agency
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				22			1 Indicated
				925			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYOGOV in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYEMPLR	50	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info frm crent/formr employ
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				2			1 Indicated
				945			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYEMPLR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYHMO	52	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from HMO
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				42			1 Indicated
				905			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYINET	54	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from internet
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				45			1 Indicated
				902			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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KPYSEMNR	56	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from HMO/ins co semnr
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				5			1 Indicated
				942			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYOSMNR	58	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from other semnr
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				5			1 Indicated
				942			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYOSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYMCBS	60	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from MCBS
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				947			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYMCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYOTHER	62	2	IND1FMT			KN4	N Mcare paymt info from other person/place
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,765			-1 Inapplicable
				27			1 Indicated
				920			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYOTHER in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYOTHOS	64	30				KN4	C Mcare paymt info from other specify
Notes: Applies only when KPYFIND = 1. See MPYOTHOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KPYANSW	94	2	YES3FMT			KN5	N Were Mcare paymt quest answered by info
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,786			-1 Inapplicable
				714			1 Yes
				93			2 No
				120			3 Some
Notes: Inapplicable when KPYNOFND = 1 or -1. See MPYANSW in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KWBFIND	96	2	YES2FMT		KN6		N SP tried to find new benefit/change info
					1		-9 Not ascertained
					18		-8 Don't know
					34		-7 Refused
					1,078		1 Yes
					12,583		2 No
Notes: See NWBFIND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBNOFND	98	2	IND1FMT		KN7		N New benefit info not found
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					31		1 Indicated
					1,046		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBNOFND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBINSO	100	2	IND1FMT		KN7		N New benefit info from insurance claims
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					44		1 Indicated
					1,033		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBINSO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBMEDGP	102	2	IND1FMT		KN7		N New benefit info from Medigap/sup
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					34		1 Indicated
					1,043		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBMEDGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBMCOFF	104	2	IND1FMT		KN7		N New benefit info from Mcare/office hotln
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					215		1 Indicated
					862		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBSSOFF	106	2	IND1FMT		KN7		N New benefit info from SSA office
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					31		1 Indicated
					1,046		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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KWBAARP	108	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from AARP/seniors org
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					64		1 Indicated
					1,013		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBFAMILY	110	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from family or friend
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					53		1 Indicated
					1,024		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBSRCTR	112	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from local senior ctr
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					12		1 Indicated
					1,065		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBHOSP	114	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from local hospital
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					10		1 Indicated
					1,067		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBDOCTR	116	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from doctor office
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					53		1 Indicated
					1,024		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBCOUN	118	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from Mcare counseling
					1		-8 Don't know
					12,636		-1 Inapplicable
					12		1 Indicated
					1,065		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBCOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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KWBPUBL	120	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from Mcare pubs
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				400			1 Indicated
				677			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBTM	122	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N Mcare paymt info from TV
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				84			1 Indicated
				993			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBTM in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KWBRADIO	124	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N Mcare paymt info from radio
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				6			1 Indicated
				1,071			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBRADIO in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KWBZINE	126	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from newspaper or mag
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				109			1 Indicated
				968			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBOGOVT	128	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from other govt agency
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				27			1 Indicated
				1,050			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBOGOVT in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBEMPLR	130	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info frm crent/formr employr
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				2			1 Indicated
				1,075			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See KWBEMPLR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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KWBHMO	132	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from HMO
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				30			1 Indicated
				1,047			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBINET	134	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from internet
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				109			1 Indicated
				968			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBSEMNR	136	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from HMO/ins co semnr
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				7			1 Indicated
				1,070			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBOSMNR	138	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from other semnr
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				6			1 Indicated
				1,071			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBOSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBCBS	140	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from MCBS
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				4			1 Indicated
				1,073			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KWBOTHER	142	2	IND1FMT			KN7	N New benefit info from other person/place
					1		-8 Don't know
				12,636			-1 Inapplicable
				56			1 Indicated
				1,021			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KWBFIND = 1. See NWBOTHER in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

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Notes: Applies only when KVRFIND = 1. See CVRMEDGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001																																															

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVRMCOFF	184	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from Mcare/office hotline
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					274		1 Indicated
					954		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRSSOFF	186	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from SSA office
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					29		1 Indicated
					1,199		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRAARP	188	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from AARP/seniors org
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					22		1 Indicated
					1,206		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVERFAMILY	190	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from family or friend
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					42		1 Indicated
					1,186		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVERSRCTR	192	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from local senior center
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					11		1 Indicated
					1,217		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVERHOSP	194	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from local hospital
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					34		1 Indicated
					1,194		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVRDOCTR	196	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from doctor office
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				203			1 Indicated
				1,025			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRCOUN	198	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from Mcare counseling
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				15			1 Indicated
				1,213			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRRCOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRPUBL	200	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from Mcare pubs
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				486			1 Indicated
				742			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRTV	202	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from TV
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				31			1 Indicated
				1,197			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRTRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KVRRADIO	204	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from radio
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				2			1 Indicated
				1,226			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRTRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KVRZINE	206	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from newspaper or mag
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				41			1 Indicated
				1,187			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVROGOVT	208	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from other govt agency
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					21		1 Indicated
					1,207		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVROGOVT in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVREMPLE	210	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from cren/former employer
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					7		1 Indicated
					1,221		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVREMPLE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRHMO	212	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from HMO
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					24		1 Indicated
					1,204		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRINET	214	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from internet
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					66		1 Indicated
					1,162		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRSEMNR	216	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from HMO/ins co semnr
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					5		1 Indicated
					1,223		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRSMNR	218	2	IND1FMT			KN10	N Coverage info from other semnr
					3		-8 Don't know
					12,483		-1 Inapplicable
					7		1 Indicated
					1,221		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVRMCBS	220	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from MCBS
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				1,229			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVRMCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVROTHER	222	2	IND1FMT		KN10		N Coverage info from other person/place
				3			-8 Don't know
				12,483			-1 Inapplicable
				42			1 Indicated
				1,186			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVROTHER in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVROTHOS	224	30			KN10		C Coverage info from other specified
Notes: Applies only when KVERFIND = 1. See CVROTHOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVRANSW	254	2	YES3FMT		KN11		N Were Coverage quest answered by info
				12,513			-1 Inapplicable
				898			1 Yes
				101			2 No
				202			3 Some
Notes: Inapplicable when KVRNOFND = 1 or -1. See CVRANSW in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVLFIND	256	2	YES2FMT		KN12		N SP tried to find Mcare HMO avail info
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				13			-8 Don't know
				34			-7 Refused
				450			1 Yes
				13,216			2 No
Notes: See AVLFIND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVLNOFND	258	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info not found
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				8			1 Indicated
				442			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVLFIND = 1. See AVLNOFND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KVLINSCO	260	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from insurance claims
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				51			1 Indicated
				399			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KVLFIND = 1. See AVLINSCO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVLMEDGP	262	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from Medigap/sup
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				40			1 Indicated
				410			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLMEDEGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLMCOFF	264	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from Mcare/office hotline
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				25			1 Indicated
				425			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLSSOFF	266	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from SSA office
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				8			1 Indicated
				442			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLAARP	268	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from AARP/seniors org
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				20			1 Indicated
				430			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLFAMILY	270	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from family or friend
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				30			1 Indicated
				420			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLSRCTR	272	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from local senior center
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				6			1 Indicated
				444			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLHOSP	274	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from local hospital
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				4			1 Indicated
				446			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001			

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVLDOCTR	276	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from doctor office
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				21			1 Indicated
				429			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLCOUN	278	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from Mcare counseling
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				7			1 Indicated
				443			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLCOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLPUBL	280	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from Mcare pubs
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				74			1 Indicated
				376			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLTV	282	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from TV
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				14			1 Indicated
				436			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002			
KVLRADIO	284	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from radio
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				449			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002			
KVLZINE	286	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from newspaper or mag
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				24			1 Indicated
				426			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLOGOVT	288	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from other govt agency
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				5			1 Indicated
				445			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLOGOVT in prior yrs. First available in 2001			

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVLEMPLR	290	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info frm crent/former employer
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				15			1 Indicated
				435			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLEMPLR in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLHMO	292	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from HMO
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				148			1 Indicated
				302			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLINET	294	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from internet
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				18			1 Indicated
				432			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLSEMNR	296	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from HMO/ins co semnr
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				30			1 Indicated
				420			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLOSMNR	298	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from other semnr
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				11			1 Indicated
				439			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLOSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLMCBS	300	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from MCBS
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				450			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLMCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001			
KVLOTHER	302	2	IND1FMT		KN13		N HMO avail info from other person/place
				13,264			-1 Inapplicable
				12			1 Indicated
				438			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only when KVLFINDD = 1. See AVLOTHER in prior yrs. First available in 2001			

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KVLOTHOS	304	30				KN13	C HMO avail info from other specified
							Notes: Applies only when KVLFFIND = 1. See AVLOTHOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KVLANSW	334	2	YES3FMT			KN14	N Were HMO avail quest answered by info
				13,272			-1 Inapplicable
				338			1 Yes
				26			2 No
				78			3 Some
							Notes: Inapplicable when KVLNOFND = 1 or -1. See AVLANSW in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KGPFIND	336	2	YES1FMT			KN15	N SP tried to find Medigap/sup insure info
				14			-9 Not ascertained
				21			-8 Don't know
				18			-7 Refused
				5,056			-1 Inapplicable
				917			1 Yes
				7,688			2 No
							Notes: Asked only if SP has private insurance. See MGPFIND in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KGPNOFND	338	2	IND1FMT			KN16	N Medigap/sup info not found
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				15			1 Indicated
				901			2 Not indicated
							Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPNOFND in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KGPINSCO	340	2	IND1FMT			KN16	N Medigap/sup info from insurance claims
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				262			1 Indicated
				654			2 Not indicated
							Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPINSCO in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KGPMEDGP	342	2	IND1FMT			KN16	N Medigap/sup info from Medigap/sup
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				501			1 Indicated
				415			2 Not indicated
							Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See KGPMEDGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KGPMCOFF	344	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from Mcare/office hotln
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				17			1 Indicated
				899			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGSSOFF	346	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from SSA office
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				2			1 Indicated
				914			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPAARP	348	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from AARP/seniors org
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				42			1 Indicated
				874			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPFAMILY	350	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from family or friend
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				19			1 Indicated
				897			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPSRCTR	352	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from local Senior ctr
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				2			1 Indicated
				914			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPHOSP	354	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from local hospital
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				6			1 Indicated
				910			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KGPDOCTR	356	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from doctor office
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				38			1 Indicated
				878			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPCOUN	358	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from Mcare counseling
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				916			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPCOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPPUBL	360	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from Mcare pubs
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				12			1 Indicated
				904			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPTV	362	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from TV
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				3			1 Indicated
				913			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KGPRADIO	364	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from radio
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				916			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KGpzINE	366	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from newspaper or mag
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				8			1 Indicated
				908			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KGPOGOVT	368	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from other govt agency
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				7			1 Indicated
				909			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPOGOVT in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPEMPLR	370	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Mgap/sup info from crent/former emplr
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				34			1 Indicated
				882			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPEMPLR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPHMO	372	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from HMO
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				13			1 Indicated
				903			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPINET	374	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from internet
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				22			1 Indicated
				894			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGSEMNR	376	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from HMO/ins co semnr
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				20			1 Indicated
				896			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPOSMNR	378	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from other semnr
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				9			1 Indicated
				907			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPOSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KGPMCBS	380	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from MCBS
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				916			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPMCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPOther	382	2	IND1FMT		KN16		N Medigap/sup info from other person/place
				1			-8 Don't know
				12,797			-1 Inapplicable
				16			1 Indicated
				900			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPOther in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGPOTHOS	384	30			KN16		C Medigap/sup info from other specified
Notes: Applies only when KGPFIND = 1. See MGPOTHOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KGpanSW	414	2	YES3FMT		KN17		N Were Medigap/sup quest answ by info
				2			-8 Don't know
				12,812			-1 Inapplicable
				748			1 Yes
				57			2 No
				95			3 Some
Notes: Inapplicable when KGPNofND = 1 or -1. See MGPANSW in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDFIND	416	2	YES1FMT		KN18		N SP tried to find Medicaid info
				4			-9 Not ascertained
				8			-8 Don't know
				7			-7 Refused
				10,616			-1 Inapplicable
				158			1 Yes
				2,921			2 No
Notes: Applies only when SP has Medicaid coverage. See MCDNFIND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDNOFND	418	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info not found
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				7			1 Indicated
				149			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDNOFND in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KCDINSCO	420	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from insurance claims
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					3		1 Indicated
					153		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDINSCO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDMEDGP	422	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from Medigap/sup
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					8		1 Indicated
					148		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDMEDGP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDMCOFF	424	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from Mcare/office hotline
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					24		1 Indicated
					132		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDMCOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDSSOFF	426	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from SSA office
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					10		1 Indicated
					146		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDSSOFF in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDAARP	428	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from AARP/seniors org
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					1		1 Indicated
					155		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDAARP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDFAMILY	430	2	IND1FMT			KN19	N Medicaid info from family or friend
					2		-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
					13		1 Indicated
					143		2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDFAMILY in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KCDSRCTR	432	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from local senior center
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				3			1 Indicated
				153			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDSRCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDHOSP	434	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from local hospital
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				4			1 Indicated
				152			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDHOSP in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDDOCTR	436	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from doctor office
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				27			1 Indicated
				129			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDDOCTR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDCOUN	438	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from Mcare counseling
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				13			1 Indicated
				143			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDOUN in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDPUBL	440	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from Mcare pubs
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				18			1 Indicated
				138			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDPUBL in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDTV	442	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from TV
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				155			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDTVRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KCDRADIO	444	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from radio
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				156			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDTVTRAD in prior yrs. First available in 2002							
KCDZINE	446	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from newspaper or mag
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				3			1 Indicated
				153			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDZINE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDOGOVT	448	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from other govt agency
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				27			1 Indicated
				129			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDOGOVT in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDEMPLR	450	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from crent/former employer
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				155			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDEMPLR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDHMO	452	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from HMO
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				5			1 Indicated
				151			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDINET	454	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from internet
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				6			1 Indicated
				150			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDINET in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KCDSEMNR	456	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from HMO/ins co semnr
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				155			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDSEMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDOSMNR	458	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from other semnr
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				0			1 Indicated
				156			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDOSMNR in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDMCBS	460	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from MCBS
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				1			1 Indicated
				155			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDMCBS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDOTHER	462	2	IND1FMT		KN19		N Medicaid info from other person/place
				2			-8 Don't know
				13,556			-1 Inapplicable
				11			1 Indicated
				145			2 Not indicated
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDOTHER in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDOTHOS	464	30			KN19		C Medicaid info from other specified
Notes: Applies only when KCDFIND = 1. See MCDOTHOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KCDANSW	494	2	YES3FMT		KN20		N Were Medicaid quest answered by info
				13,563			-1 Inapplicable
				111			1 Yes
				14			2 No
				26			3 Some
Notes: Inapplicable when KCDNOFND = 1 or -1. See MCDANSW in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

KUYINPRG 496 2 YES2FMT KN22 N Heard of Medicare buy-in programs
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 72 -8 Don't know
 35 -7 Refused
 2,860 1 Yes
 10,745 2 No

Notes: See BUYINPRG in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KUYINBEN 498 2 YES1FMT KN23 N Aware of Medicare buy-in benefits
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 68 -8 Don't know
 2,895 -1 Inapplicable
 1,798 1 Yes
 8,951 2 No

Notes: Asked only if KUYINPRG = 2, -8, or -9. See BUYINBEN in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNTOPIC1 500 2 TOPICFMT KN24 N Topic most important to have info about
 1 -9 Not ascertained
 68 -8 Don't know
 37 -7 Refused
 3,309 1 What services Medicare does/doesn't cove
 876 2 How much SP would have to pay for med sv
 352 3 Supplemental or Medigap insurance
 280 4 Avail/benefits of Mcare managed care pla
 486 5 Choosing/finding a dr or othr med provid
 1,493 6 Staying healthy
 256 7 Medicaid
 674 8 QMB,SLMB,QI, or buy-in/savings programs
 506 9 Qual. of care provided in area (eff. 00)
 151 10 Choosing a nursing home (eff. 03)
 5,225 96 Doesn't want/need any of this informatio

Notes: See BNTOPIC1 in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNTOPIC2 502 2 TOPICFMT KN24 N Topic 2nd most important 2 have info abt
 1 -9 Not ascertained
 7,196 -1 Inapplicable
 677 1 What services Medicare does/doesn't cove
 1,587 2 How much SP would have to pay for med sv
 419 3 Supplemental or Medigap insurance
 397 4 Avail/benefits of Mcare managed care pla
 597 5 Choosing/finding a dr or othr med provid
 1,168 6 Staying healthy
 307 7 Medicaid
 420 8 QMB,SLMB,QI, or buy-in/savings programs
 722 9 Qual. of care provided in area (eff. 00)
 223 10 Choosing a nursing home (eff. 03)
 0 96 Doesn't want/need any of this informatio

Notes: Applies only if SP needs more info on more than one topic/program.
 First available in 2001

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KNTOPIC3	504	2	TOPICFMT			KN24	N Topic 3rd most important 2 have info abt
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				8,920			-1 Inapplicable
				395			1 What services Medicare does/doesn't cove
				513			2 How much SP would have to pay for med sv
				387			3 Supplemental or Medigap insurance
				280			4 Avail/benefits of Mcare managed care pla
				466			5 Choosing/finding a dr or othr med provid
				867			6 Staying healthy
				282			7 Medicaid
				384			8 QMB,SLMB,QI, or buy-in/savings programs
				923			9 Qual. of care provided in area (eff. 00)
				296			10 Choosing a nursing home (eff. 03)
				0			96 Doesn't want/need any of this informatio

Notes: Applies only if SP needs more info on more than two topics/programs.
 First available in 2001

KNUPBROC	506	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare development info brochure/pamphlet
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				25			-8 Don't know
				35			-7 Refused
				9,350			1 Indicated
				4,303			2 Not indicated

Notes: See KPUPBROC in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNUPINET	508	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare developments info from internet
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				25			-8 Don't know
				35			-7 Refused
				1,365			1 Indicated
				12,288			2 Not indicated

Notes: See KPUPINET in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNUPNEWS	510	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare development info-- newsp/magazine
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				25			-8 Don't know
				35			-7 Refused
				3,256			1 Indicated
				10,397			2 Not indicated

Notes: See KPUPNEWS in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNUPNONE	512	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare development info not want/needed
				1			-9 Not ascertained
				25			-8 Don't know
				35			-7 Refused
				1,392			1 Indicated
				12,261			2 Not indicated

Notes: See KPUPNONE in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KNUPOS	514	30				KN25	C Other source Mcare developments info
							Notes: See KPUPOS in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KNUPOTH	544	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare development info-- other specify
							1 25 35 110 13,543
							-9 Not ascertained -8 Don't know -7 Refused 1 Indicated 2 Not indicated
							Notes: See KPUPOTH in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KNUPTALK	546	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare development info--talk w/ others
							1 25 35 5,606 8,047
							-9 Not ascertained -8 Don't know -7 Refused 1 Indicated 2 Not indicated
							Notes: See KPUPTALK in prior yrs. First available in 2001
KNUPTV	548	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare developments info from TV
							1 25 35 3,807 9,846
							-9 Not ascertained -8 Don't know -7 Refused 1 Indicated 2 Not indicated
							Notes: See KPUPTVRD in prior yrs. First available in 2002
KNUPRAD	550	2	IND2FMT			KN25	N Mcare developments info from radio
							1 25 35 905 12,748
							-9 Not ascertained -8 Don't know -7 Refused 1 Indicated 2 Not indicated
							Notes: See KPUPTVRD in prior yrs. First available in 2002
KNFOSATI	552	2	SATISFY			KN26	N SP Satisfac w/ Mcare info availability
							2 102 36 2,200 9,980 580 170 644
							-9 Not ascertained -8 Don't know -7 Refused 1 Very satisfied 2 Satisfied 3 Dissatisfied 4 Very dissatisfied 5 No applicable experience
							Notes: See INFOSATI in prior yrs. First available in 2001

 Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

KBOKRECD 554 2 YES2FMT KN27 N SP received Mcare & You book
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 550 -8 Don't know
 33 -7 Refused
 11,144 1 Yes
 1,985 2 No

Notes: See BOOKRECD in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KBOKREAD 556 2 BOOKREAD KN28 N Amount of book read by SP
 7 -8 Don't know
 2,570 -1 Inapplicable
 623 1 Read it thoroughly
 5,156 2 Read parts of it
 5,358 3 Have not read it at all

Notes: Applies only if KBOKRECD = 1. See BOOKREAD in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KBOKUNDR 558 2 EASYDIFF KN29 N Book understood by SP
 34 -8 Don't know
 7,935 -1 Inapplicable
 1,540 1 Very easy
 3,260 2 Somewhat easy
 812 3 Somewhat hard
 133 4 Very hard

Notes: Applies only if KBOKREAD = 1 or 2. See BOOKUNDR in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KBOKLOOK 560 2 YES1FMT KN29a N Ever looked at plan information chart
 32 -8 Don't know
 7,935 -1 Inapplicable
 1,348 1 Yes
 4,399 2 No

Notes: Applies only when KBOKREAD = 1 or 2.
 First available in 2002

KBOKUNST 562 2 EASYDIFF KN29b N How easy is plan information chart
 15 -8 Don't know
 12,366 -1 Inapplicable
 407 1 Very easy
 716 2 Somewhat easy
 158 3 Somewhat hard
 52 4 Very hard

Notes: Applies only when KBOKLOOK = 1.
 First available in 2002

 Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

KBOKRTGS 564 2 YES1FMT KN29c N Ever looked at ratings in plan info char
 22 -8 Don't know
 12,425 -1 Inapplicable
 606 1 Yes
 661 2 No

Notes: Applies only when KBOKLOOK = 1 and state demographic satisfied.
 First available in 2002

KBOKUSFL 566 2 USEFUL KN29d N How useful was quality measure info
 6 -8 Don't know
 13,108 -1 Inapplicable
 190 1 Very useful
 313 2 Somewhat useful
 97 3 Not at all useful

Notes: Applies only when KBOKRTGS = 1.
 First available in 2002

KBOKHAVE 568 2 YES1FMT KN30 N SP still has Mcare & You Book
 179 -8 Don't know
 2,570 -1 Inapplicable
 10,622 1 Yes
 343 2 No

Notes: Applies only if KBOKRECD = 1. See BOOKHAVE in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNPLNOPT 570 2 TRUE3FMT KN34a N Mcare offers diff hlth plans to choose
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 43 -7 Refused
 7,688 1 True
 1,221 2 False
 4,760 3 Not sure

Note: First available in 2004

KNMAMGRM 572 2 TRUE3FMT KN34 N Medicare covers yrly mammogram for women
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 43 -7 Refused
 9,493 1 True
 576 2 False
 3,600 3 Not sure

Notes: See BKMAMGRM in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNFLUSHT 574 2 TRUE3FMT KN35 N Medicare covers an annual flu shot
 2 -9 Not ascertained
 42 -7 Refused
 11,261 1 True
 454 2 False
 1,955 3 Not sure

Notes: See BKFLUSHT in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KNBLDTST	576	2	TRUE3FMT		KN36		N Medicare covers annual PSA test for men
				2			-9 Not ascertained
				42			-7 Refused
				7,799			1 True
				363			2 False
				5,508			3 Not sure
Notes: See BKBLDTST in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KNELIG	578	2	TRUE3FMT		KN36a		N Eligible for Mcare bcause low/mod income
				2			-9 Not ascertained
				42			-7 Refused
				2,633			1 True
				8,587			2 False
				2,450			3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2004							
KNEYEAR	580	2	TRUE3FMT		KN42a		N Mcare HMOs offer more cov than non-sup
				2			-9 Not ascertained
				44			-7 Refused
				4,112			1 True
				1,936			2 False
				7,620			3 Not sure
Notes: See KNHMOCOV in prior yrs. First available in 2004							
KNANYDOC	582	2	TRUE3FMT		KN43		N MHMO covers routine MD/hosp care in US
				2			-9 Not ascertained
				43			-7 Refused
				1,746			1 True
				5,548			2 False
				6,375			3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2001							
KNCOVORG	584	2	TRUE3FMT		KN45		N If your MHMO quits Mcare covered by FFS
				3			-9 Not ascertained
				43			-7 Refused
				4,688			1 True
				1,218			2 False
				7,762			3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2001							
KNRAISE	586	2	TRUE3FMT		KN46		N MHMO can raise fees/change benefit ea yr
				3			-9 Not ascertained
				43			-7 Refused
				6,855			1 True
				659			2 False
				6,154			3 Not sure
Notes: See BKRAISE in prior yrs. First available in 2001							

Variable	Col	Len	Format	Frequency	ComQues#	FacQues#	Variable Type & Label
KNRPTHMO	588	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49		N Can report poor Mcare HMO/suppl plan
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					43		-7 Refused
					8,646		1 True
					804		2 False
					4,218		3 Not sure
Notes: See BKRPTHMO in prior yrs. First available in 2001							
KNSUPPAY	590	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49a		N Mcare w/o suplemntl does pay all expense
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					42		-7 Refused
					797		1 True
					10,526		2 False
					2,346		3 Not sure
Notes: See BKSUPPAY in prior yrs. See KN39 in prior years. First available in 2001							
KNORIGAP	592	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49b		N Orig. Mcare plan, right to appeal decisi
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					42		-7 Refused
					9,438		1 True
					759		2 False
					3,472		3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2004							
KNOUTPOC	594	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49c		N Out-of-pocket costs same each Mcare opti
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					42		-7 Refused
					1,594		1 True
					6,826		2 False
					5,249		3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2004							
KNDDCARD	596	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49d		N Mcare-approved drug discount card
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					42		-7 Refused
					9,366		1 True
					900		2 False
					3,403		3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2004							
KNRXPLAN	598	2	TRUE3FMT		KN49e		N Mcare drg plan help cover cost of presc.
					3		-9 Not ascertained
					42		-7 Refused
					9,175		1 True
					406		2 False
					4,088		3 Not sure
Note: First available in 2004							

 Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

KNHAVCOM 600 2 YES2FMT KN50 N SP has personal computer in home
 4 -9 Not ascertained
 4 -8 Don't know
 23 -7 Refused
 5,709 1 Yes
 7,974 2 No

Notes: See BNHAVCOM in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNETACCS 602 2 YESNONET KN51 N Does SP have internet access
 4 -9 Not ascertained
 11 -8 Don't know
 23 -7 Refused
 5,555 1 Yes
 8,003 2 No
 118 3 Never heard of the internet

Notes: See INETACCS in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KNETUSED 604 2 YES1FMT KN52 N SP has used internet/other online svc.
 6 -8 Don't know
 149 -1 Inapplicable
 5,044 1 Yes
 8,515 2 No

Notes: Applies only if prev internet use indicated. See INETUSED in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KVISITWEB 606 2 YES1FMT KN53 N Has SP visited website for Medicare info
 1 -9 Not ascertained
 12 -8 Don't know
 155 -1 Inapplicable
 777 1 Yes
 12,769 2 No

Notes: Applies only if KNETUSED = 1 or 2. See VISITWEB in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KCHIHELP 608 2 KCHIHELP KN54 N Who makes SP health insurance decisions
 3 -9 Not ascertained
 37 -8 Don't know
 12 -7 Refused
 1,490 -1 Inapplicable
 8,371 1 Makes decisions on own
 3,312 2 Gets help on decisions
 489 3 Someone else makes decisions

Notes: Inapplicable if proxy interview (PROXY = 2.) See MCHIHELP in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

Variable Col Len Format Frequency ComQues# FacQues# Variable Type & Label

KREELINE 610 2 YES2FMT KN56 N Before today, SP aware of 800-MEDICARE
 4 -9 Not ascertained
 23 -8 Don't know
 16 -7 Refused
 3 -1 Missing
 8,359 1 Yes
 5,309 2 No

Notes: See FREELINE in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KCPHINFO 612 2 YES1FMT KN57 N SP has called 1-800-Medicare for info
 20 -8 Don't know
 5,355 -1 Inapplicable
 2,880 1 Yes
 5,459 2 No

Notes: Applies only if KREELINE = 1. See MCPHINFO in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001

KCSUGGST 614 2 KCSUGGST KN58 N Does SP have concerns/suggest for CMS
 5 -9 Not ascertained
 23 -8 Don't know
 15 -7 Refused
 8,226 1 Doesn't have any suggestions/concerns
 5,445 91 Does have suggestions/concerns

Notes: See MCSUGGST in prior yrs.
 First available in 2001