**May 2012 Disability Supplement**

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PRESUP This month we would like to learn more about how people in different circumstances deal with labor market challenges.

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MLR = 1 or 2 AND (DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1)

SDIS1 Previously, you mentioned that (you/Name) had difficulty (hearing/seeing /concentrating, remembering or making decisions/walking or climbing stairs/dressing or bathing/doing errands alone such as going to the doctor’s office or going shopping).

How has this affected (your/his/her) ability to complete current work duties? Would you say this has caused no difficulty, a little difficulty, moderate difficulty, or severe difficulty?

 (1) No difficulty

(2) A little difficulty

(3) Moderate difficulty

(4) Severe difficulty

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS3

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(MLR = 4, 6 or 7) AND (DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1)

SDIS2 [(Have/Has)/( you/Name)] EVER worked for pay at a job or business?

1. Yes (go to SDIS3)
2. No (go to SDIS4)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS4)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS4)

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 SDIS1 = 1-4, D or R OR SDIS2 = 1 OR [(MLR = 3 OR 5) AND (DS1W or DS2W or

DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1)]

SDIS3 Earlier it was reported that (you/Name) had difficulty (hearing/seeing /concentrating, remembering or making decisions/walking or climbing stairs/dressing or bathing/doing errands alone such as going to the doctor’s office or going shopping). Did (you/he/she) ever leave or lose a job because of reasons related to (this difficulty /these difficulties)?

1. Yes
2. No

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

If SDIS2 =1 OR [(MLR = 3 OR 5) AND (DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W

or DS5W or DS6W = 1), go to SDIS4,

Else if (DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1), go to

SDIS6.

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MLR = 3 – 7 AND (DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1)

SDIS4 The purpose of this next question is to identify barriers to employment faced by persons with difficulties. (Do/Does) (Name/you) consider any of the following a barrier to employment for (you/him/her)?

 ♦ Read answer categories, wait for respondent to answer yes or no

 Mark all answers respondent says yes

(1) **Lack of education or training** (go to SDIS5)

(2) **Lack of job counseling** (go to SDIS5)

(3) **Lack of transportation**  (go to SDIS5)

(4) **Loss of government assistance** (go to SDIS5)

(5) **Need for special features at the job** (go to SDIS5)

(6) **Employer or coworker attitudes** (go to SDIS5)

(7) (**Your/NAME’s) difficulty (hearing/seeing/concentrating,**

**remembering or making decisions/walking or climbing**

**stairs/dressing or bathing, doing errands alone such as**

**going to the doctor’s office or going shopping)** (go to SDIS6a)

(8) Other - specify (go to SDIS4S)

(9) None (go to SDIS6a)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6a)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6a)

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SDIS4 = 8

SDIS4S Enter Verbatim Response

 (What is the Other barrier to employment for (you/Name)?)

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(If SDIS4 = 1-6 or 8, go to SDIS5; else, go to SDIS6a)

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SDIS4 = 1-6 or 8

SDIS5 If (this barrier/these barriers) could be removed, would (you/Name) be able to work?

1. Yes
2. No

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6a

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(DS1W or DS2W or DS3W or DW4W or DS5W or DS6W = 1)

SDIS6a The purpose of this next question is to find out if [(you/Name)(have/has)] taken advantage of any of the following sources that help people prepare for work or advance on the job. In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

Vocational Rehabilitation Centers

1. Yes (go to SDIS7a)
2. No (go to SDIS6b)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6b)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6b)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6b)

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SDIS6a = 1

SDIS7a How helpful was the Vocational Rehabilitation Centers?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6b

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SDIS6a = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6b In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

One Stop Career Centers

1. Yes (go to SDIS7b)
2. No (go to SDIS6c)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6c)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6c)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6c)

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SDIS6b = 1

SDIS7b How helpful was the One Stop Career Centers?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6c

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SDIS6b = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6c In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

The Ticket to Work Program

1. Yes (go to SDIS7c)
2. No (go to SDIS6d)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6d)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6d)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6d)

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SDIS6c = 1

SDIS7c How helpful was the Ticket to Work Program?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6d

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SDIS6c = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6d In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

The Assistive Technology Act Program

1. Yes (go to SDIS7d)
2. No (go to SDIS6e)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6e)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6e)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6e)

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SDIS6d = 1

SDIS7d How helpful was the Assistive Technology Act Program?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6e

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SDIS6d = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6e In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

The Center for Independent Living for Individuals with Disabilities

1. Yes (go to SDIS7e)
2. No (go to SDIS6f)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6f)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6f)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6f)

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SDIS6e = 1

SDIS7e How helpful was the Center for Independent Living for Individuals with Disabilities?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6f

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SDIS6e = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6f In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

The Client Assistance Program

1. Yes (go to SDIS7f)
2. No (go to SDIS6g)
3. Haven’t heard of this program (go to SDIS6g)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS6g)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS6g)

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SDIS6f = 1

SDIS7f How helpful was the Client Assistance Program?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 All go to SDIS6g

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SDIS6f = 1, 2, 3, D or R

SDIS6g In the past 5 years, [(have/has)(you/Name)] received assistance from:

Any other employment assistance program

1. Yes
2. No

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 If SDIS6g = 1, go to SDIS6S
Else if MLR = 1 or 2, go to SDIS8
Else, go to SDIS19

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SDIS6g = 1

SDIS6S Enter Verbatim Response (What is the other employment assistance program?)

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SDIS6g = 1

SDIS7g How helpful was the other employment assistance program?
Would you say it was not at all helpful, a little helpful,
somewhat helpful, or very helpful?

1. Not at all helpful
2. A little helpful
3. Somewhat helpful
4. Very helpful

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

If MLR = 1 or 2, go to SDIS8

Else, go to SDIS19

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 MLR = 1 or 2

SDIS8 (Have/Has)(you/NAME) ever requested any change in (your/his/her) current workplace to help (you/him/her) do (your/his/her) job better? For example, changes in work policies, equipment, or schedules.

1. Yes (go to SDIS9)
2. No (go to SDIS11)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS11)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS11)

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SDIS8 = 1

SDIS9 What changes did (you/Name) request?

 ♦ Read and Mark all that apply

 ♦ Separate by commas

1. **New or modified equipment**
2. **Physical changes to the workplace**
3. **Policy changes to the workplace**
4. **Changes in work tasks, job structure or schedule**
5. **Changes in communication or information sharing**
6. **Changes to comply with religious beliefs**
7. **Accommodations for family or personal obligations**
8. **Training**
9. Other changes

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 If SDIS9 = 9, go to SDIS9S

 Else, go to SDIS10

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 SDIS9 = 9

SDIS9S Enter Verbatim Response (What other changes did (you/Name) request?)

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 SDIS8 = 1

SDIS10 (Was/Were) the (change/changes) granted?

1. Yes (go to SDIS11)
2. No (go to SDIS11)
3. Partially (go to SDIS11)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS11)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS11)

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 MLR = 1 or 2

SDIS11 How [(do/does)(you/Name)] typically commute to work?

 ♦ Mark all that apply

 ♦ Separate by commas

1. Bus
2. Specialized bus or van service for people with disabilities
3. Train/subway
4. Taxi
5. Own vehicle
6. Passenger in a friend or family member's car
7. Carpool
8. Bicycle
9. Walk
10. Other
11. Work from home

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 If SDIS11 = 10, go to SDS11S

 If SDIS11 = 11, fill SDIS12 = 1 and go to SDIS13

Else, go to SDIS12

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 SDIS11 = 10

SDS11S Enter Verbatim Response

 What Other way (do/does)(you/Name) typically commute to work?

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If SDIS11 = 11, fill SDIS12 = 1 and go to SDIS13

Else, go to SDIS12

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SDIS12 (Do/Does)(you/Name) do any work at home for (your/his/her) job or business?

1. Yes (go to SDIS13)
2. No (go to SDIS17)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS17)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS17)

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 SDIS12 =1

If SDIS11 = 11, fill “When (you/he/she)(work/works) at home, how”

Else, fill “How”

SDIS13 [When (you/he/she) (work/works) at home, how/How] many hours per week (do/does) (you/he/she) usually work at home as part of this job?

 ♦ Enter number of hours (0-99)

 ♦ (V) Hours vary

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[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS14)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS14)

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 SDIS12 = 1

SDIS14 Are those hours worked at home usually considered paid work hours?

1. Yes (go to SDIS15)
2. No (go to SDIS15)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS15)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS15)

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 SDIS12 = 1 AND IO1COW = 1-5 or empty

SDIS15 (Do/Does)(you/he/she) have a formal arrangement with (your/his/her) employer

to be paid for the work that (you/he/she) (do/does) at home, or (were/was) (you/he/she) just taking work home from the job?

1. Paid (go to SDIS16)
2. Taking work home (go to SDIS16)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS16)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS16)

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 SDIS12 = 1

SDIS16 What are the reasons why (you/Name)(work/works) at home?

 ♦ Do not read answer categories.

 Mark all that apply, separate by commas

1. Less commuting
2. Reduce expenses for transportation, food, clothing, etc.
3. Coordinate work schedule with work and family needs
4. More control over own life
5. Illness, disability, health reasons
6. Mandated by employer to reduce employer costs
7. Mandated by employer to meet local transportation management and pollution abatement requirement
8. More productive
9. Self employed/Business at home
10. Other - specify

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 If SDIS16 = 10, go to SDIS16S

Else, go to SDIS17

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 SDIS16 = 10

SDIS16S Enter Verbatim Response

 What is the Other reason (you/Name)(work/works) at home?

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 MLR = 1 or 2

SDIS17 (Do/Does)(you/Name) have flexible work hours that allow (you/him/her) to vary or make changes in the time [(you/he/she)(begin and end/begins and ends)] work?

1. Yes (go to SDIS18)
2. No (go to SDIS18)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS18)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS18)

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 MLR = 1 or 2

SDIS18 Some people are in temporary jobs that last only for a limited time or until the completion of a project. Is (your/Name’s) job temporary?

1. Yes (go to SDIS19)
2. No (go to SDIS19)

[blind] (D) Don't Know (go to SDIS19)

[blind] (R) Refused (go to SDIS19)

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SDIS19 There are a variety of programs designed to provide financial assistance to people. In the PAST YEAR did (you/Name) receive assistance from any of the following programs?

 ♦ Read and select all that apply

1. **Workers Compensation**
2. **Social Security Disability Income**
3. **Supplemental Security Income**
4. **Veterans Disability compensation**
5. **Disability Insurance Payments**
6. **Other disability payments**
7. **Medicaid**
8. **Medicare**
9. Other program
10. None

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 If SDIS19 = 1-5, 7 or 8, go to SDIS20

 If SDIS19 = 6 or 9, go to SDS19S

 Else, go to next available person or end interview

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 SDIS19 = 6 or 9

SDS19S Enter Verbatim Response

What (Other disability payments/Other programs) did (you/Name) receive assistance from?

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(go to SDIS20)

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 SDIS19 = 1-9

SDIS20 Some financial assistance programs include limitations on the amount of work you can do. Did (this program/any of these programs) cause (you/Name) to work less than (you/he/she) would otherwise?

1. Yes
2. No

[blind] (D) Don't Know

[blind] (R) Refused

 Go to next available person or end interview

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