

**Individual File: Detailed College
Major Code File 2019-2023**

Codebook

Number of Variables

12

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ICMJ1 "RELEASE NUMBER" NUM(1.0)

Release number

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
75,289	100.00	1	Release number 1, May 2025

ICMJ2 "YEAR" NUM(4.0)

Year of interview

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
26,084	34.65	2,019	College major detail information from the 2019 Individual File
24,669	32.77	2,021	College major detail information from the 2021 Individual File
24,536	32.59	2,023	College major detail information from the 2023 Individual File

ICMJ3 "INTERVIEW (ID) NUMBER" NUM(5.0)

Interview Number (ID Number)

This variable contains values for the individual interview number for each wave of College Major Detailed data. ICMJ2 (Year of Interview) must be used as a subset selector, since individual interview number values are not unique across waves. If the data are first subset using ICMJ2, then by using a combination of ICMJ3 (Interview Number) and ICMJ4 (Sequence Number) the values here are unique within the selected wave and link the College Major detail data with that wave's individual-level data.

For example, if one wanted to merge records with the 2019 Individual File, first subset ICMJ2=2019 then merge to the Individual file using ICMJ3 and ICMJ4 where ICMJ3 corresponds to ER34701 the 2019 Individual Interview (ID) number and ICMJ4 corresponds to the 2019 Sequence number (ER34702).

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
75,289	100.00	1 - 9,656	Actual Individual file interview number

ICMJ4 "SEQUENCE NUMBER" NUM(2.0)

Sequence number

This variable provides a means of identifying an individual's status with regard to the FU at the time of the interview.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
71,342	94.76	1 - 20	Individuals in the family at the time of the this wave's interview
1,013	1.35	51 - 59	Individuals in institutions at the time of this wave's interview
2,525	3.35	71 - 80	Individuals who moved out of the FU or out of institutions and established their own households between the prior wave and the current wave's interviews

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409 .54 81 - 89 Individuals who were living in prior wave but died by the
time of the current wave's interview

- - 0 Inap.: from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main
family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out
nonresponse by prior wave

ICMJ5 "BACHELOR DEGREE MAJOR MEN1"

CHR(7)

K55a/G88h3. What was (your/her/his) major or majors at the college or university from
which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) bachelor's degree?--MAJOR #1

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2010.csv) frame downloaded on 7/10/2019 from the National Center for Education Statistics
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formatted XX.XXXX.*

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
1,464	1.94	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
3,110	4.13	99.9999	DK; NA; refused
70,715	93.92	00.0000	Inap.: this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with the current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current wave; current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only or had no education; NA or RF where current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college; completed less than one year of college; did not receive a college degree; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree; received an Associate's degree or Bachelor's degree; DK, NA, or RF highest degree received

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ICMJ6 "BACHELOR DEGREE MAJOR MEN2"

CHR(7)

K55a/G88h3. What was (your/her/his) major or majors at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) bachelor's degree?--MAJOR #2

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
138	.18	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
-	-	99.9999	DK; NA; refused
75,151	99.82	00.0000	Inap.: no second mention; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with the current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current wave; current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only or had no education; NA or RF where current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college; completed less than one year of college; did not receive a college degree; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree; received an Associate's degree or Bachelor's degree; DK, NA, or RF highest degree received

ICMJ7 "HIGHEST DEGREE MAJOR MEN1"

CHR(7)

K55e/G88j. (And) What was (your/her/his) (major/area of study) at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) highest degree?--MAJOR #1

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
15,561	20.67	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame

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1,630	2.16	99.9999	DK; NA; refused
58,098	77.17	00.0000	Inap.: this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current year; current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only or had no education; NA or RF where current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college; completed less than one year of college; did not receive a college degree; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree

ICMJ8 "HIGHEST DEGREE MAJOR MEN2"

CHR(7)

K55e/G88j. (And) What was (your/her/his) (major/area of study) at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) highest degree?--MAJOR #1

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<u>Count</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Value/Range</u>	<u>Code Value/Range Text</u>
1,148	1.52	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
-	-	99.9999	DK; NA; refused

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74,141 98.48 00.0000 Inap.: no second mention; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current year; current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only or had no education; NA or RF where current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college; completed less than one year of college; did not receive a college degree; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree

ICMJ9 "UP: BACHELOR DEGREE MAJOR MEN1"

CHR(7)

K78f2/G88x2. What was (your/her/his) major or majors at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) bachelor's degree?--MAJOR #1

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247	.33	01.0000 - 60.0602			Detailed CIP frame
13	.02	99.9999	DK;	NA;	refused

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75,029 99.65 00.0000 Inap.: this person was a new Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM this wave; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before the prior year or OFUM moved in in current year; has not attended regular school since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended regular school since last interview; returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only; NA or RF where returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college since last interview; less than one year of college; has not received a college degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree since last interview; received an Associate's degree or Bachelor's degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF what college degree received since last interview

ICMJ10 "UP: BACHELOR DEGREE MAJOR MEN2"

CHR(7)

K78f2/G88x2. What was (your/her/his) major or majors at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) bachelor's degree?--MAJOR #2

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
25	.03	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
-	-	99.9999	DK; NA; refused

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75,264 99.97 00.0000 Inap.: no second mention; this person was a new Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM this wave; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by current wave or mover-out nonresponse by prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before the prior year or OFUM moved in in current year; has not attended regular school since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended regular school since last interview; returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only; NA or RF where returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college since last interview; less than one year of college; has not received a college degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree since last interview; received an Associate's degree or Bachelor's degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF what college degree received since last interview

ICMJ11 "UP: HIGHEST DEGREE MAJOR MEN1"

CHR(7)

K78g/G88y. (And) What was (your/her/his) (major/area of study) at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) highest degree since our last interview on [PY IW DATE]?--MAJOR #1

This variable was coded using the Classification of Instructional Programs (CIPCode 2010.csv) frame downloaded on 7/10/2019 from the National Center for Education Statistics page: <https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/resources.aspx?y=55>.

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Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
747	.99	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
35	.05	99.9999	DK; NA; refused

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74,507 98.96 00.0000 Inap.: this person was a new Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM this wave; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by the current wave or mover-out nonresponse by the prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current wave; has not attended regular school since last interview ; DK, NA, or RF whether attended regular school since last interview; returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only; NA or RF where returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college since last interview; has not received a college degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree since last interview

ICMJ12 "UP: HIGHEST DEGREE MAJOR MEN2"

CHR(7)

K78g/G88y. (And) What was (your/her/his) (major/area of study) at the college or university from which (you/she/he) received (your/her/his) highest degree since our last interview on [PY IW DATE]?--MAJOR #2

This variable was coded using the Classification of Instructional Programs (CIPCode 2010.csv) frame downloaded on 7/10/2019 from the National Center for Education Statistics page: <https://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/cipcode/resources.aspx?y=55>.

This variable contains the full code for the detailed course description which is formatted XX.XXXX.

Count	%	Value/Range	Code Value/Range Text
42	.06	01.0000 - 60.0602	Detailed CIP frame
-	-	99.9999	DK; NA; refused

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75,247	99.94	00.0000	Inap.: no second mention; this person was a new Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM this wave; this person was not a current Reference Person/Spouse/Partner in the current wave; from Latino sample (ER30001=7001-9308); main family nonresponse by the current wave or mover-out nonresponse by the prior wave; individual was alive at the time of the prior wave's interview but passed away by the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM in an institution in both prior wave and current wave; OFUM age 15 or younger or age 50 or older and the time of the current wave's interview; OFUM associated with current wave's FU but moved out before prior year or OFUM moved in in current wave; has not attended regular school since last interview ; DK, NA, or RF whether attended regular school since last interview; returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM educated outside the U.S. only; NA or RF where returning Reference Person/Spouse/Partner/eligible OFUM received education; has not attended college since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether attended college since last interview; has not received a college degree since last interview; DK, NA, or RF whether received a college degree since last interview
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