General Population Cohort
R26 Adult Medical Survey Data Dictionary
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Variable name	Description	Format	Codes/Ranges	Notes
			Demographics	
cons	Consent obtained	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
reascons	Reasons for not consenting	text		
intcode	Interviewer code	numeric		
intdate	Date of interview	date		
ddexam	Date of interview:day	numeric	Range 1-31	
mdexam	Date of interview:month	numeric	Range 1-12	
ydexam	Date of interview: year	numeric	Range 2019-2021	
texam	Start time	time		
vno	Village code	numeric	Range 1-25 or 51	1-25=study village and 51=pilot village
hno	Household number	numeric		
gpsno	Gps number	numeric		
compno	Compound number	numeric		
fno	Family number	numeric		
idno	Identification number of participant	numeric		
sex	Participant sex	integer	1= Male 2=Female	
age	Age in complete years	numeric	Range 16-110	if female age>=16 and if male age>=18
psch	Are you in full time education	integer	1 = Yes 2=No 3=Don't know	
lev	Level of education	integer	1 = Primary school 2=Secondary school 3= Higher education 4=Vocational college	

HPV vaccination (For only females aged 16-21 years)				
vac	Have you ever been vaccinated against HPV	integer	1= Yes 2=No 3=Not sure	
agevac	Age when you received the first dose	numeric	Range 16-21	
dvac	How many doses did you receive	numeric	Range 1-4, 88	88 = Don't know
rdvac	Do you know if you received 1 or more doses	integer	1=Yes 2=No 88=Don't remember	
Sexual Behaiour (For only females aged 16-21 years)				
hsx	Have you ever had sexual intercourse	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
agesx	Age when you first had sex	numeric	Range 16-21, 88	88=Don't know
vacsx	If you were vaccinated, when did you have your first sexual intercourse	integer	1= Before vaccination 2= After vaccination 3= At the same time 4= Prefer not to answer	
Health and Lifestyle				
Tobacco use				
tobac1	Do you currently smoke any tobacco products	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
tobac2	How many sticks of cigarette do you smoke daily	integer	1= Less than 1 2= 1-5 3= 6-10 4= 11-20 5= 20 and above	
Alcohol consumption				
alc1	Have you ever consumed an alcoholic drink	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
alc2	Have you ever consumed an alcoholic drink in the past 12 months	integer	1 = Yes 2= No	

alc3	How frequently have you had at least one alcoholic drink	integer	1= daily 2= 5-6 days per week 3= 1-4 Days per week 4= 1-3 days per month 5= Less than once a month	
HIV knowledge				
khst	Do you know your current HIV status	integer	1 = Yes 2= No	
chst	Current HIV status	integer	1= Positive 2= Negative	
mtst	How long ago did you last test for HIV(months)	numeric	Range 0-72	
art	If HIV positive, are you on anti-retroviral therapy	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
yart	For how long have you been on ART(years)	numeric	Range 0-20	
cart	Have you ever had to change HIV(ART) treatment from MRC	integer	1=Yes 2= No 3= Not sure	
rart	Do you receive HIV(ART) treatment from MRC	integer	1= Yes 2= No	

hcart	Where do you receive HIV(ART) treatment from	integer	1=Kyamulibwa HC III(Munene) 2=Kyamulibwa HC IV(Musanya) 3=Kasambya HC 4=Kigasa HC 5=Villa Maria Hospital 6=Kalungu HC IV 7=Uganda Cares (Masaka Hospital) 8=Uganda Cares(Lukaya) 9=Kitovu Hospital 10=Others specify	
hcart_oth	Other health facility where participant receive ART treatment	text		
trv	On average, how often do you travel to obtain more treatment refills	integer	1= Less than a month 2= Monthly 3= 2 Monthly 4= 3 Monthly 5=4 monthly 6= 5 monthly 7= 6 monthly 88=Do not travel	
htrv	Time spent on return journey to receive treatment (hours)	numeric		

tp	Form of transport used to travel for treatment	integer	1=Walking 2=Bicycle 3=Motorcycle(Private) 4=Boda Boda(Hired motorcycle) 5=Taxi 6=Private car	
amt	On average how much does a return journey cost	numeric		
mis	Do you have to miss work or arrange for someone	integer	1=Always 2=Sometimes 3=Never	
misapt	Ever missed appointment with the service that provides HIV medication	integer	1 = Yes 2= No 88= Can't remember	
enmed	Not had enough HIV medication to last to next appointment	integer	1=Yes 2=No 88=Can't remember	
kv	Would you like to know the result of this HIV test	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
reaskv	Reason why participant doesn't want to know HIV test result	integer	1-Not interested 2-Knows status 3-Fear to know HIV status	
PHYSICAL MEASUREMENTS				
consphys	Consent obtained for physical measurements	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
Blood pressure and pulse				
bpt	Time blood pressure taken	time		
bparm	Blood pressure measured on right arm	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
reasnarm	If no, and left arm used, state reason why	text		

ac	Arm circumference (cm)	numeric	Range 1-52	888= not done
syst1	1st systolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 62-240	888= not done
diast1	1st diastolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 40-190	888= not done
pls1	1st pulse measurement (bpm)	numeric	Range 35-160	888= not done
syst2	2nd systolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 62-240	888= not done
diast2	2nd diastolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 40-190	888= not done
pls2	2nd pulse measurement (bpm)	numeric	Range 35-160	888= not done
syst3	3rd systolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 62-240	888= not done
diast3	3rd diastolic blood pressure (mmHg)	numeric	Range 40-190	888= not done
pls3	3rd pulse measurement (bpm)	numeric	Range 35-160	888= not done
systavg	Average of 2nd and 3rd systolic	numeric	Range 62-240	888= not done
distavg	Average of 2nd and 3rd diastolic	numeric	Range 40-190	888= not done
plsavg	Average of 2nd and 3rd pulse	numeric	Range 35-160	888= not done
bpcom	Blood pressure comment	text		
Anthropometry				
ht	Height (cm)	numeric	Range 126-192	888= not done
htcom	Height comment	text		
wt	Weight (kg)	numeric	Range 31-145	888= not done
Blood sample				
consbld	Consent obtained for taking blood for screening for HIV and Haemoglobin level testing	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
conbldg	Consent obtained for taking blood for future use and storage of blood samples	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
Urine sample				
consurn	Consent obtained for taking urine sample for testing for HPV and storage for future use	integer	1= Yes 2= No 3= Not applicable	

GPC Survey additional Covid-19 questions (Asked only on a sample of respondents n=2468)				
Covid-19 symptoms				
fever	Currently experienced fever/ in the last 2 weeks	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
resp	Any new or worsening respiratory symptom	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
cough	Had cough in the last 2 weeks/ currrently	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
brtdif	Had shortness of breath/ difficulty breathing in the last 2 weeks	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
snee	Had runny nose or sneezing in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
nscon	Had nasal congestion/stuffy nose in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
hvce	Had hoarse voice in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
sothr	Had sore throat/ painful swallowing in the last 2 weeks/ currenlty	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
dswa	Found it difficult to swallow in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2=No	
Any new onset of atypical symptoms				
chils	Had chills in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
jache	Had muscle/Joint aches in the last 2 weeks/currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
vomit	Had nausea/vomiting/diarrhoea/unexplained loss of appetite in the last 2 weeks/currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
fatg	Was feeling unwell/ fatigued/severe exhaustion in the last 2 week/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
hedc	Had headache in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	

smell	Had loss of sense of smell or taste in the last 2 weeks/currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
conj	Had conjunctivitis (red eyes) in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
menst	Had altered mental status in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
stomac	Had stomach-ache in the last 2 weeks/ currently	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
mensoth	Other (specify)	text		
datesy	If had any of the sysptom, what date did they first appear	date		
smpyl	Length of the symptoms	numeric		
dosmpy	Do you still have the symptoms	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
medatt	Did you receive medication attention for the symptoms	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
Medical attention				
phnem	Phoned national emergency number	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
phndoc	Phoned doctor or health care provider	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
vht	Visited a community healthcare provider	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
vgov	Visited a government hospital/clinic	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
phsp	Visited a private hospital/clinic	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
ngohsp	Visited an NGO hospital/clinic	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
trad	Visited a traditional doctor or herbalist	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
dshop	Visited a drug shop	integer	1=Yes 2= No	

othrv	Other (specify)	text		
cntflu	Close contact with someone who is ill with cough/ fever in the last 14 days	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
cntcov	Close contact with an investigated or comfirmed case of covid-19 in the last 14 days	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
ctcov	Close contact with known or suspect of covid-19	integer	1= Yes, with a comfirmed case 2= Yes, with suspected case 3= No, not to my knowledge	
Pre-eisting chronic health conditions				
diab	Ever been told that you have diabetes	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
heart	Ever been told that you have heart disease	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
hbp	Ever been told that you have hypertension	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
owt	Ever been told that you are overweight	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
stk	Ever been told that you have stroke	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
ckd	Ever been told that you have kidney disease	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
hep	Ever been told that you have chronic hepatitis B or C	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
anem	Ever been told that you have anaemia	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
astm	Ever been told that you have asthma	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
lung	Ever been told that you have other lung conditions	integer	1=Yes 2= No	

cancer	Ever been told that you have cancer	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
dement	Ever been told that you have a condition affecting the brain and nerves	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
hiv	Ever been told that you have HIV	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
tb	Ever been told that you have TB	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
cond	Ever been told that you have other conditions weakening the immune system	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
mntprb	Ever been told that you have mental health problems	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
alco	Ever been told that you have alcohol or other substance misuse	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
cmed	Currently do you take any medication for long term condition	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
romed	Did you run out of any of these medications during the lockdown	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
medi	Which medications did you run out of	integer	1= Anti-diabetic 2= Anti-TB 3= Anti-hypertensive 4= Septrin 5= Statin 6= Pain killers 7= Cough medication 8= Inhaler 9= Anti-cancer 10= Antimalarial 11= Antivirals 12= Vitamins 13= Herbal medicines 15= Other	
otmedi	Other medications specify	text		

resro	Main reason for medication running out	integer	1= Lockdown restricted me from going out 2= Afraid to go out to get drugs because of fear of covid-19 3= Unable to afford 4= Pharmacy out of stock 5= Government medicine out of stock 6= Other reason	
otresro	Other main reason specify	text		
hprob	Have health problems that limit daily activities	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
nhlp	Need someone to help on regular basis	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
hphme	Having any health problems that require one to stay at home		1=Yes 2= No	
seehw	Did you try to see a healthcare provider during lockdown	integer	1=Yes 2= No	
rehw	Main reason for wanting to see healthcare provider	integer	1= Treatment of a pre-existing condition 2= Pregnacy 3= Vaccination or well-child care 4= Treatment of a new condition 5= Advice or evaluation for possible covid-19 6= Other reason	

othrehw	Other main reason specify	text		
shc	Were you successful in seeing a healthcare provider	integer	1=No - tried but could not be seen 2= Yes, by telemedicine 3= Yes, in person	
rnhc	Main reason for not being able to see a healthcare provider	integer	1= Lockdown/control measures restricted me from going out 2= Afraid to go out due to fear of covid-19 infection 3= Unable to go out for other reasons 4= Unable to afford 5= Clinic closed 6= Other reason	
otrnhc	Other main reaon specify	text		
Vaccination for child				
ndvac	Did you have any child that needed vaccination during lockdown	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
mvac	Did your child miss any vaccination visit during the lockdown	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
Pregnacy (For only females aged 15-49)				
deliv	Deliver a baby during the lock down	integer	1= Yes 2= No	
pldelv	Place where delivery took place	integer	1= Health care facility 2= Traditional birth attendant 3= Home	

rhme	Main reason for home delivery	integer	1= Lockdown restricted me from going out 2= Afraid to go out due to fear of covid-19 infection 3= Unable to go out for other reasons 4= Unable to afford 5= Clinic closed 6= Other reason	
otrhm	Other main reason specify	text		
Perceptions of impact of covid on community				
vwom	Observed violence against women in the community	integer	1= Increased 2= Stayed same 3= Decreased 4= Don't know	
vman	Observed violence against men in the community	integer	1= Increased 2= Stayed same 3= Decreased 4= Don't know	
vchild	Observed violence against children in the community	integer	1= Increased 2= Stayed same 3= Decreased 4= Don't know	
cldneg	Observed child neglect in the community	integer	1= Increased 2= Stayed same 3= Decreased 4= Don't know	

mtprob	Observed marital problems in the community	integer	1= Increased 2= Stayed same 3= Decreased 4= Don't know	