Accessing Disability Data

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Background

- Disability Network is a collective of 15 community-based organizations federally established as Centers for Independent Living
- Served 43,000 people with disabilities last year
- Educated 70,000 people
- Purpose: Assist people with disabilities live independently in their community, fully participate, be treated equally and have opportunities to achieve economic self-sufficiency





Objective



Data Sources

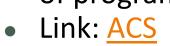
- CPS-ASEC
- ACS
- NHIS
- SIPP
- Disability Network
- General Population Data

Current Population Survey- Annual Social and Economic Supplement -CPS-ASEC

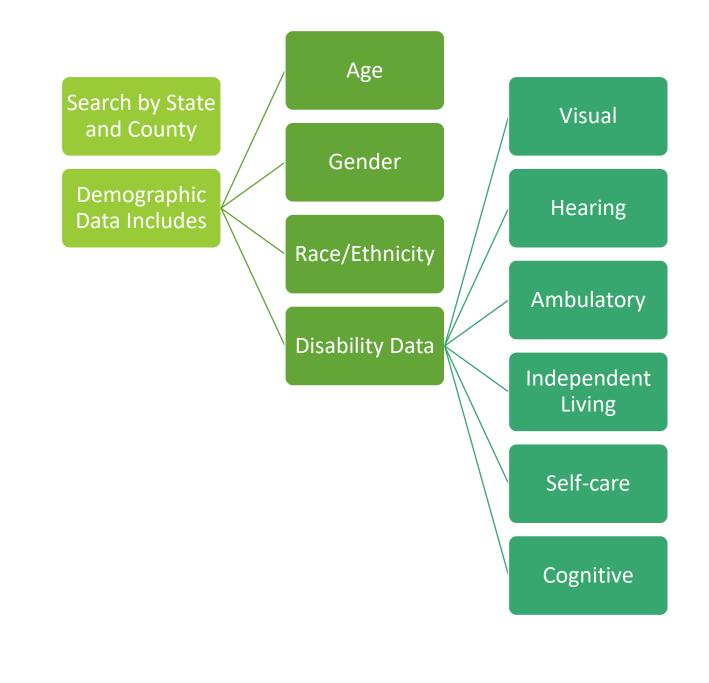
- Main source of official employment and income stats in US
- 50,000 households (150,000 non-institutionalized households)
- "Does anyone in the household have a health problem or disability that prevents them from working or which limits the the kind or amount of they can do?"
- Major Advantage-allows for state-level estimates and length of time the disability question has been asked (since 1981)
- Link: <u>CPS-ASEC</u>

American Community Survey-ACS

- Continuous Data Effort by the US Census Bureau which started in 2005
- Provides annual information on demographics, housing, social, and economic statistics
- Data is comparable across states, communities and population
- Main purpose is to provide governments with an information base for the administration and evaluation of programs.



American Community Survey





- Conducted by CDC
- Been used since 1957
- Cross-sectional survey of 100,000 noninstitutionalized people
- Conducted via in-person interviews
- Monitors trends in illness, analyzes access to
- healthcare & health insurance and evaluates federal health programs

Data & Reports



Mental Health & Disability



Women & Disability



Disability & Work



Disability in the US

Survey of Income and Program Participation (SIPP)

- Conducted by US Census Bureau
- Longitudinal survey of 14,000-36,700 households
- Same people are followed monthly for 2 ½ years
- Dynamic analysis of employment and program participation
- Daily activities, work limitations and limited health condition and impairment categories

Disability Network Demographic Data Disability type

Age

Gender

Service needs

City & County



General Population Data

- General Population Data by County
 - General population data
 - Housing data
 - General demographic data
 - Disability status
 - Veteran status
 - Education Attainment

How We Can Help

- People with disabilities have unique needs during a crisis or emergency
- Emergency preparedness plans
 - Individual
 - Community
- Disability Network support
 - Local emergency preparedness planning
 - Connection to people with disabilities in the community
 - Participate in planning events and training exercises
 - Find your local organization at <u>www.dnmichigan.org</u>



Thank you!

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