ERRATA SHEET

PIAAC 2012/2014 U.S. Household Sample Public-Use Data File (NCES 2016-667REV)

September 2017

In the original release (September 2016) of PIAAC 2012/2014 U.S. Household Sample Public-Use Data File (NCES 2016-667REV), errors were found in the values of derived earning variables for the 66-74 year olds, labels for some of the derived earning variables, and value description for a few variables. Below outlines these errors. The corrected data are provided in the current release of the PIAAC Public-Use Data files, codebook and background compendium tables, which can be found at: <https://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2016667>.

1. The following derived earning variables were missing for the 66-74 year olds in the Public-Use Data File originally released in September 2016. The values are provided for the 66-74 year olds in the current release of the Public-Use Data File.

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| Variable name | Variable label |
| EARNFLAG | Earnings including bonuses reporting method (derived) |
| EARNHRBONUSPPPUS\_C | Hourly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners, PPP corrected $US (topcoded) (derived from EARNHRBONUSPPP) |
| EARNHRBONUSUS\_C | Hourly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners (topcoded) (derived from EARNHRBONUS) |
| EARNHRPPPUS\_C | Hourly earnings excluding bonuses for wage and salary earners, PPP corrected $US (topcoded) (derived from EARNHRPPP) |
| EARNHRUS\_C | Hourly earnings excluding bonuses for wage and salary earners (topcoded) (derived from EARNHR) |
| EARNMTHALLPPPUS\_C | Monthly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners and self-employed, PPP corrected $US (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTHALLPPP) |
| EARNMTHALLUS\_C | Monthly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners and self-employed (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTHALL) |
| EARNMTHBONUSPPPUS\_C | Monthly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners, PPP corrected $US (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTHBONUSPPP) |
| EARNMTHBONUSUS\_C | Monthly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTHBONUS) |
| EARNMTHPPPUS\_C | Monthly earnings excluding bonuses for wage and salary earners, PPP corrected $US (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTHPPP) |
| EARNMTHSELFPPPUS\_C | Monthly earnings for self-employed, PPP corrected $US (tocoded) (derived from EARNMTHSELFPPP) |
| EARNMTHUS\_C | Monthly earnings excluding bonuses for wage and salary earners (topcoded) (derived from EARNMTH) |

1. The labels have been updated in the codebook and SAS dataset for the following variables to be consistent with other similar variables.

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| Variable name | Variable label |
| EARNFLAG | Earnings including bonuses reporting method (derived) |
| EARNHRBONUSDCL | Hourly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners, in deciles (derived) |
| EARNHRDCL | Hourly earnings excluding bonuses for wage and salary earners, in deciles (derived) |
| EARNMTHALLDCL\* | Monthly earnings including bonuses for wage and salary earners and self-employed, in deciles (derived) |

\*Only this variable (EARNMTHALLDCL) has label updated in the SAS dataset.

1. The description for the highest category of each variable below is corrected.

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| Variable name | Variable label |
| C\_Q08C2US\_C | Current status/work history - year when stopped working in last job (4 categories) (derived from C\_Q08c2) |
| D\_Q05A2US\_C | Current work - start of work for employer - year (4 categories) (derived from D\_Q05a2) |
| D\_Q05B2US\_C | Current work - start of work for business - year (4 categories) (derived from D\_Q05b2) |
| E\_Q05A2US\_C | Last job - start of work for employer - year (4 categories) (derived from E\_Q05a2) |
| E\_Q05B2US\_C | Last job - start of work for business - year (2 categories) (derived from E\_Q05b2) |
| J\_Q04C2US\_C | Background - year of immigration (4 categories) (derived from J\_Q04c2) |