

Italy
ISSP 2011 – Health
Study Description

2015-05-01

ISSP Study Description Form

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Study title: Disuguaglianze sociali

Fieldwork dates: 18.10.2012 - 04.02.2013

Principal investigators: Institute of Social Research – University of Eastern Piedmont

Sample type: 4-stage stratified. The stratification occurs in the first stage, where municipalities are selected; the second stage uses the GIS methodology to randomly generate a set of coordinates for each primary sampling unit and find the closest address; the third stage consists of household selection at the address; the final stage concerns respondent selection within the household.

Fieldwork institute: Marker srl - via Felisati 65 – 30171 Mestre (Venice)
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Fieldwork methods: Self completion, paper and pencil; questionnaire delivered by interviewer, returned by mail

N. of respondents: number of respondents in the final ISSP file: 1163 (+23 incomplete)

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| <i>Details about issued sample:</i> Please follow the standards laid down in AAPOR/WAPOR, Standard Definitions: http://www.aapor.org/uploads/standarddefs_4.pdf . The numbers in the parentheses are those used in Tables 2 and 3 of Standard Definitions. | 1. Total number of starting or issued names/addresses (gross sample size) * | ...5062..... |
| | 2. Interviews (1.0) | ...1163..... |
| | 3. Eligible, Non-Interview | |
| | A. Refusal/Break-off (2.10) | ...283..... |
| | B. Non-Contact (2.20) | ...3101..... |
| | C. Other | |
| | i. Language Problems (2.33) | ...6..... |
| | ii. Miscellaneous Other (2.31, 2.32, 2.35) | ...37..... |
| | 3. Unknown Eligibility, Non-Interview (3.0) | ...188..... |
| | 4. Not Eligible | |
| A. Not a Residence (4.50) | ...193..... | |
| B. Vacant Residence (4.60) | ...82..... | |
| C. No Eligible Respondent (4.70) | ...0..... | |
| D. Other (4.10,4.90) | ...9..... | |

* When new sample units are added during the field period via a new dwelling units list or other standard updating procedure, these additional issued units are added to the starting number of units to make up the total gross sample size. Also, when substitution is used, the total must include the originally drawn cases plus all substitute cases. See AAPOR/WAPOR Standard Definitions, pp. 9-10 for further clarification.

Language(s): Italian

Weight present: yes

Weighting procedure:

- Age (18 groups) × Place of residence (14 geo-types) × gender = 504 cells (ijk)
- Weight=proportion of national population in the ijk cell / proportion of cases in the sample in the ijk cell
- Resized to keep the actual sample size (N=1163)

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*Known systematic
properties of sample:*

Due to self-selection, the low educated are less represented, as well as people living in Southern Italy and people out of labor force or unemployed.

*Deviations from ISSP
questionnaire:*

None in the core module (some in the BVs)

Publications:

None