CARDIA V ORAL CONTRACEPTIVE HISTORY

IF SUBJECT ANSWERED "YES" TO QUESTION 42 OR 43 ON FORM 8, COMPLETE THIS FORM.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING CARDIA OC USE CALENDAR

- 1. Age at the beginning of the year of onset of menarche should be written above the first X.
- 2. Identify the year and month that any children were born. Each pregnancy should hav an outcome code of MIS, AB, ECT, SB or LB which is coded for the last month of pregnancy. Double check the number of months pregnant, should be 8,9, or 10. If more than 10, have the interviewer double check.
- 3. Determine the onset of OC use until date of interview. The first month of new OC use should have a code number written above it and a box around the number and letters "OC." When OC type changes, new code should be written above OC letters and the number and letters boxed in again. The total number of months of OC use should be written in the right margin for each year.
- 4. If applicable, ascertain the month(s)/year(s) the participant used I = IUD, H = other hormone, IN = injection (e.g. Depo-Provera), NO = Norplant, TS = tubal sterilization, V = Vasectomy, and W = womb (uterus) removed.
- 5. Interviewer may code X in beginning of line with an arrow to the end of the year if no pregnancy, abortion, or contraceptive use occurred during that year.
- 6. All comments should be written in the left margin only.
- 7. Refer to your OC code book for OC codes.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE OC CALENDAR ABSTRACT

1. Age at the beginning of the year when menstrual function began.

- 2. OC status on date of visit.
 - 1. Current User = Participant presently using OC.
 - 2. Recent User = Participant who uses OC within past month, but not using OC at the time of visit.
 - 3. Past User = Participant with 3 or more months of OC use.
 - 4. Short Term
 - Past User = Participant with 1-2 months of OC
 - 5. Never User = No OC use at all.
- 3. Add the total number of months of OC use.
- 4. Year started taking OC.
- 5. The longest duration (in months) of continuous OC use without a break (break is more than one month).
- 6. Code $\underline{1}$ for any OC use in the last three months. Code $\underline{2}$ for none.
- 7. Past Users: The number of months from the last OC use until the date of visit.
- 8. Current Users: The number of months of most recent OC use.
- 9. As stated.

CARDIA V

CARDIA ORAL CONTRACEPTIVE (OC) CALENDAR ABSTRACT E09EXDAT E09ABSDT

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- **E09MENAG** 1. What is the age at menarche? years
- **E090CNOW** 2. What is patient's OC use status as of exam date?
 - (1) Current user
 - (2) Recent user (within past month, but not current)
 - (3) Past user (3 or more months of use)
 - (4) Short -term past user (1-2 months of use)
 - (5) Never user
- **E090CTOT** 3. What is the total number of months of OC use? months
- 19**E090CYR** 4. What year did she begin using OC?
- **E090CLNG** 5. What is the duration (in months) of the longest continuous interval of OC use without a break (break is more than one month)?
- **E090C3MO** 6. Has she used OCs anytime in the three months before the index date?

1 = No

2 = Yes

- **E090CLST** 7. For past users: How many months since the last episode of use?
- **E090CCUR** 8. For current OC users: What is the duration of the most recent episode of use (in months)?
- **E090CCD** 9. Code of most recent OC used for any past/current user?