

Health Survey for England
1998
(White British)

Health Survey for England
1999
(Other ethnic groups)

	N	%	%
Total names issued HSE	7009	100	
Not eligible	738	10.5	
Total in scope	6271	89.4	100
Refusal	1473		23
No contact	241		3.8
Other non response	276		4.4
Total EMPIRIC sample	4281		68.2

Linked survey questions used in this study

HSE (1998/9)

Ethnic group
Physical inactivity
Physical illnesses

EMPIRIC (2000)

Age, Gender, Employment, Education
CIS-R questions: CFS (N=108); CF (N=881)
CIS-R measures anxiety & depression
Perceived discrimination
Social Strain & Social Support