MBR: Cancer Awareness

2017 Documentation

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_Intro**

The next set of questions is about cancer awareness. The questions are being asked on behalf of Cancer Research UK.

(1) Press <1> to continue

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_1Intro**

There are many warning signs and symptoms of cancer. Please name as many as you can think of.

(1) Press <1> to continue

**ASK ALL:**

**SymTxt**

Can you tell me the next warning sign or symptom that you can think of?

*Only included from the second loop onwards*

**Enter the first warning sign or symptom that the respondent can think of.**

*Only included for first loop*

*If the respondent cannot think of any warning signs or symptoms, enter 'nothing'.
If the respondent refuses to answer the question, enter 'refused'.
STRING[50]*
ASK ALL:

SymCode

*Code for warning sign or symptom given at SymTxt* Uses coding frame CFMBR1

*Enter space bar to see codes.*

*If code not found, change the warning sign or symptom at the bottom of the lookup window to ‘other’ and select code for ‘other’.*

*Press Enter to select code and Enter again to continue.*

1..99

ASK IF: (SYMCode < 34)

MoreSym

Can you think of another warning sign or symptom? *If ‘yes’ then another loop begins from SymTxt*

(1) Yes
(2) No

ASK ALL:

MBR_2Int

Showcard BR1

The following may or may not be warning signs for cancer. We are interested in your opinion. For each question please choose your answer from this card. You may have already mentioned some of these warning signs in the previous question.

(1) Press <1> to continue

ASK ALL:

MBR_2a

Showcard BR1 *Random order question*

Do you think an unexplained lump or swelling could be a sign of cancer?

(1) Yes it could
(2) No it could not
(3) Don’t know/not sure
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2b**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think persistent unexplained pain could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could
2. No it could not
3. Don’t know/not sure

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2c**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think unexplained bleeding could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could
2. No it could not
3. Don’t know/not sure

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2d**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think a persistent cough or hoarseness could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could
2. No it could not
3. Don’t know/not sure

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2e**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think a persistent change in bowel or bladder habits could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could
2. No it could not
3. Don’t know/not sure
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2f**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think persistent difficulty swallowing could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could  
2. No it could not  
3. Don’t know/not sure  

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2g**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think a change in appearance of a mole could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could  
2. No it could not  
3. Don’t know/not sure  

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2h**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think a sore that does not heal could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could  
2. No it could not  
3. Don’t know/not sure  

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_2i**

Showcard BR1  
*Random order question*

Do you think unexplained weight loss could be a sign of cancer?

1. Yes it could  
2. No it could not  
3. Don’t know/not sure
ASK ALL:

MBR_3Int
Showcard BR2
Which of the following might put you off going to the doctor? Please choose your answer from this card.
(1) Press <1> to continue

ASK ALL:

MBR_3a
Showcard BR2
Random order question
I find it embarrassing talking to the doctor about my symptoms.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree

ASK ALL:

MBR_3b
Showcard BR2
Random order question
I would be worried about wasting the doctor’s time.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree

ASK ALL:

MBR_3c
Showcard BR2
Random order question
My doctor is difficult to talk to.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3d**

Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*

I find it difficult to get an appointment with a particular doctor.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3e**

Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*

I find it difficult to get an appointment with a doctor at a convenient time.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3f**

Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*

I would be too busy to make time to go to the doctor.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3g**

Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*

I have too many other things to worry about.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree
ASK ALL:

MBR_3h
Showcard BR2 Random order question
I would be worried about what they might find wrong with me.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree

ASK ALL:

MBR_3i
Showcard BR2 Random order question
I would be worried about what tests they might want to do.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree

ASK ALL:

MBR_3j
Showcard BR2 Random order question
I wouldn’t feel confident talking about my symptom(s) with the doctor.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree

ASK ALL:

MBR_3k
Showcard BR2 Random order question
I’ve had a bad experience at the doctor’s in the past.
(1) Strongly agree
(2) Agree
(3) Neither agree or disagree
(4) Disagree
(5) Strongly disagree
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3I**  
Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*  
I would be worried the doctor wouldn't take my symptom(s) seriously.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3m**  
Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*  
I don’t want to be seen as somebody who makes a fuss.

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_3n**  
Showcard BR2  
*Random order question*  
I don’t like having to talk to the GP receptionist about my symptom(s).

(1) Strongly agree  
(2) Agree  
(3) Neither agree or disagree  
(4) Disagree  
(5) Strongly disagree

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_4**  
Is there anything else that would put you off going to the doctor?

(1) Yes  
(2) No
ASK IF: \( (MBR_4 = \text{YES}) \)

**MBR\_4Sp**

Please specify.

*Record verbatim.*

STRING[255]

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ASK ALL:

**MBR\_5Int**

What things do you think affect a person's chance of developing cancer? Please name as many as you can think of.

(1) Press <1> to continue

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ASK ALL:

**CauTxt**

Can you tell me the next thing that you can think of? 

*Enter the first thing that the respondent has thought of.*

*If the respondent cannot think of anything, enter 'nothing'.*

*If the respondent refuses to answer the question, enter 'refused'.*

STRING[70]

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ASK ALL:

**CauCode**

*Code for factor given at CauTxt.*

*Enter space bar to see codes.*

*If code not found, change the factor given at the bottom of the lookup window to 'other' and select code for 'other'.*

*Press enter to select code and enter again to continue.*

1..99 Use coding frame CFMBR5
ASK IF: \textit{(CAUCODE < 38)}

MoreCau
Can you think of anything else that could affect a person's chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes
(2) No If 'Yes' then another loop begins from CauTxt

ASK ALL:

MBR_6Int
Showcard BR3
The following may or may not increase a person's chance of developing cancer. We are interested in your opinion. For each question please choose your answer from this card. You may have already mentioned some of these factors in the last question.
(1) Press <1> to continue

ASK ALL:

MBR_6a
Showcard BR3 Random order question
Do you think that smoking can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

MBR_6b
Showcard BR3 Random order question
Do you think that not eating many fruits or vegetables can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure
ASK ALL:

MBR_6c
Showcard BR3  Random order question
Do you think that being overweight can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

MBR_6d
Showcard BR3  Random order question
Do you think that having a close relative with cancer can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

MBR_6e
Showcard BR3  Random order question
Do you think that drinking alcohol can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

MBR_6f
Showcard BR3  Random order question
Do you think that not doing much physical activity can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure
ASK ALL:

**MBR_6g**
Showcard BR3
Random order question
Do you think that getting sunburnt can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

**MBR_6h**
Showcard BR3
Random order question
Do you think that eating too much red or processed meat can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

**MBR_6i**
Showcard BR3
Random order question
Do you think that exposure to another person’s smoking can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure

ASK ALL:

**MBR_6j**
Showcard BR3
Random order question
Do you think that being older can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?
(1) Yes it could
(2) No it couldn’t
(3) Don’t know/not sure
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_6k**

Showcard BR3  
*Random order question*

Do you think that infection with HPV (human papillomavirus) can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?

(1) Yes it could  
(2) No it couldn’t  
(3) Don’t know/not sure

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_6l**

Showcard BR3  
*Random order question*

Do you think that not eating enough fibre can increase a person’s chance of developing cancer?

(1) Yes it could  
(2) No it couldn’t  
(3) Don’t know/not sure

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_7**

Showcard BR4

Looking at the options on the card, who do you think is most likely to develop cancer?

(1) Someone in their twenties  
(2) Someone in their thirties  
(3) Someone in their forties  
(4) Someone in their fifties  
(5) Someone on their sixties  
(6) Someone in their seventies  
(7) Someone in their eighties  
(8) Cancer is unrelated to age  
(9) Don’t know

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**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_8**

As far as you’re aware, is there an NHS bowel cancer screening programme?

(1) Yes  
(2) No  
(3) Don’t know
ASK IF: \((\text{MBR}_8 = \text{YES})\)

\textbf{MBR}_9

At what age are people invited for bowel cancer screening?

\textit{Record age verbatim or code as don't know.}

1..120

\textbf{SIGNAL}

\textbf{IF} \((\text{MBR}_9 < 10) \text{ OR } (\text{MBR}_9 > 90)) \text{ THEN}

“That age seems unlikely. Please check.”

\textbf{ENDIF}

ASK ALL:

\textbf{MBR}_\text{Intro2}

Please answer the next question using the laptop. Read the question and follow the instructions on screen. Please ask me if you need any help in using the laptop.

(1) Proceed to self-completion
(2) Skip self-completion

ASK IF: \(((\text{MBR}_\text{Intro2} = 1) \text{ AND } (\text{SELF-COMPLETION NOT ACCEPTED PREVIOUSLY IN THE QUESTIONNAIRE}))\)

\textbf{MBR}_\text{Pract1}

This is the first time I’ve used a computer.

\textit{Type the number that applies and then press Enter (the key with the yellow sticker)}.

(1) Press <1> to continue

ASK IF: \(((\text{MBR}_\text{Intro2} = 1) \text{ AND } (\text{SELF-COMPLETION NOT ACCEPTED PREVIOUSLY IN THE QUESTIONNAIRE}))\)

\textbf{MBR}_\text{Pract2}

On which days of the week do you watch television?

\textit{Type the number of each answer that applies, pressing the space bar between each one. Then press Enter (the key with the yellow sticker)}.

(1) Monday
(2) Tuesday
(3) Wednesday
(4) Thursday
(5) Friday
(6) Saturday
(7) Sunday
(8) I do not have a television/don’t watch television
(9) I mostly only listen to the radio
**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_10**

Have you, or any of your friends or family, had cancer?

*Code all that apply.*

(1) You
(2) Your partner
(3) Close family member
(4) Other family member
(5) Close friend
(6) Other friend
(7) None of these
(8) Prefer not to say

CHECK

IF (7 in MBR_10 AND MBR_10.CARDINAL <> 1) THEN

“You cannot use ‘none of these’ alongside other codes. Please amend as appropriate.”

ENDIF

CHECK

IF (8 in MBR_10 AND MBR_10.CARDINAL <> 1) THEN

“You cannot use ‘prefer not to say’ alongside other codes. Please amend as appropriate.”

ENDIF

**ASK IF: (MBR_INTRO2 = 1)**

**SelfEnd**

Thank you. Please type 1 and press Enter. Then hand the laptop back to the interviewer to finish the survey.

(1) Press <1> to continue

**ASK ALL:**

**MBR_11Int**

The next two questions are similar to questions asked earlier in this survey, however, Cancer Research have asked us to include these tailored versions.

(1) Press <1> to continue
ASK ALL:

MBR_11

Showcard BR5

Please tell us which one of the following options best describes the sort of work you do. (If you are
not working now, please tell us what you did in your last job.)

(1) Professional or higher technical work - work that requires at least degree-level qualifications (e.g. 
doctor, accountant, schoolteacher, university lecturer, social worker, systems analyst)
(2) Manager or Senior Administrator (e.g. company director, finance manager, personnel manager, 
senior sales manager, senior local government officer)
(3) Clerical (e.g. clerk, secretary)
(4) Sales or Services (e.g. commercial traveller, shop assistant, nursery nurse, care assistant, 
paramedic)
(5) Foreman or Supervisor of Other Workers (e.g building site foreman, supervisor of cleaning 
workers)
(6) Skilled Manual Work (e.g. plumber, electrician, fitter, train driver, cook, hairdresser)
(7) Semi-Skilled or Unskilled Manual Work (e.g. machine operator, assembler, postman, waitress, 
cleaner, labourer, driver, bar-worker, call centre worker)
(8) Other (Please specify)
(9) Have never worked
Ask IF: MBR_11=Other

MBR_11Spec

Please tell us what other sort of work you do or have done

Ask ALL:

MBR_12
Showcard BR6

How often, if ever, do you access the internet for leisure (non-work) purposes? This should include access from any device (Desktop, Laptop, Tablet or Mobile) and from any location (Home, work, internet café or any other location).

1. Several times a day
2. Once a day
3. 4-6 days a week
4. 2-3 days a week
5. Once a week
6. Less often than once a week
7. Never
8. Don’t know (Spontaneous only)