

WIHS Form 24BEH: Alcohol, Drug Use and Sexual Behavior
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The purpose of the F24BEH is to obtain information about the participant's cigarette, alcohol, and drug use in addition to sexual activity. Changes to this form include:

1. In Question B2, shade "NO" gray so that the interviewer will know to refer current cigarette smokers to a smoking cessation program.
2. Delete, "*Please answer in terms of the beverages you usually drink, not counting what you drank over holidays or at other rare celebrations*" from the instructions before Question B7a.
3. Add "*(both medical and recreational)*" to Question C0.
4. Add new Question C1b, "*Was your use of marijuana medical (meaning prescribed by a doctor) or recreational?*"
5. Add parentheses around "*Since your (MONTH) study visit*" in Questions C2 through C17.
6. Delete from the instructions for Section D, "*different types of*" and add the word "*and*" before "*prostitution.*" Delete "*and sex for money or drugs or shelter*" and "*Let me remind you that any answers you give me will have no effect on the care you receive, and all your answers are personal and confidential, meaning that your name is not associated with your answers. Do you have any questions before we go on?*"
7. Delete from Question D1, "*This first set of questions pertains only to the men you may have had sex with since your (MONTH) study visit. In this case, "sex" should include vaginal sex, both types of oral sex, and anal sex*" and add, "*By "sex," I mean vaginal sex, oral sex or anal sex.*"
8. Delete from Question E1, "*I am now going to ask you about sex you may have had with females. In this case "sex" should include vaginal sex, oral sex, or anal sex.*" Add, "*By "sex," I mean vaginal sex, oral sex or anal sex*"