



Statistics Canada
Licence Agreement for Free Public Use Microdata Files

((current date))

BETWEEN:

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN in right of Canada represented by the Minister of Industry, having been designated as the Minister for the purposes of the Statistics Act (referred to herein as "Owner"),

AND:

(Name of the Other Party),

(referred to herein as the "Licensee").

WHEREAS Her Majesty the Queen in right of Canada is the lawful owner of the Microdata to be licensed;

AND WHEREAS the Licensee wishes to use the licensed Microdata;

NOW THEREFORE the Parties agree as follows:

DEFINITION

1. "Microdata file" means a non-identifiable data set containing characteristics pertaining to surveyed units as described in section 2.

DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT

2.
 - (1) The Microdata file referred to in this Agreement relates to the Canadian Community Health Survey Public Use Microdata File, on CD-ROM (Catalogue number 82M0013XCB-200900).
 - (2) This Microdata file is being provided for statistical and research purposes and shall not be used for any other purposes without the prior written consent of the Owner.

CONTACT AND CUSTODIAN

3.
 - (1) The Licensee hereby nominates _____ as the contact person to whom all further communication shall be addressed by the Owner on any matter concerning this Agreement.
 - (2) The contact person referred to in subsection (1) may only be changed upon written notice delivered to the Owner.



- (3) The Licensee hereby nominates _____ as the designated custodian of the Microdata file with responsibility for ensuring its proper use and custody pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

DELIVERY OF PRODUCT

4. (1) The Owner shall provide to the Licensee's contact person as soon as practically possible one copy of the Microdata file on the medium agreed to by the Parties.
- (2) The Owner shall also provide to the Licensee such documentation related to the Microdata file provided pursuant hereto as is reasonably necessary for the use of the Microdata file.

OWNERSHIP

5. The Microdata file and related documentation shall at all times be and remain the sole and exclusive property of the Owner, it being mutually agreed that this Agreement involves a licence for the use of the Microdata file and related documentation and that nothing contained herein shall be deemed to convey any title or ownership interest in the Microdata file or the related documentation to the Licensee.

LICENCE

6. (1) The Owner hereby grants to the Licensee a non-exclusive, non-assignable and non-transferable licence to use the Microdata file and related documentation provided pursuant to section 4 for statistical and research purposes.
- (2) Use of this product is limited to the licensee and its employees. The product cannot be reproduced and transmitted to any person or organization outside of the licensee's organization.
- (3) The Licensee shall not match the records on the Microdata file to any other data files so as to re-identify the survey units on the files.
- (4) It shall be the responsibility of the Licensee to ensure that the utilization of this data product conforms to the terms and conditions of the "Corporate End-use Licence Agreement for Free Public Use Microdata Files" as outlined in Appendix A of this agreement.

REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

7. The Owner warrants the medium containing the Microdata file provided to the Licensee shall be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of 90 days from the date of receipt. The Owner's sole obligation and the Licensee's sole remedy with respect to the foregoing warranty shall be for the Owner to replace such defective media at no charge to the Licensee upon its return to the Owner. Except as stated herein, the Owner makes no representations or warranties, expressed or implied, as to merchantability, fitness for any particular purpose or otherwise with respect to the



Microdata file or the related documentation provided.

PUBLICATION BY THE LICENSEE

8. (1) In any publication of any information based on the Microdata file provided pursuant to this Agreement, the Licensee shall use the following form of accreditation:

"This analysis is based on Statistics Canada's Canadian Community Health Survey Microdata File which contains anonymized data collected in the 2007-2008 Canadian Community Health Survey. All computations on these microdata were prepared by *(Name of user organization)* and the responsibility for the use and interpretation of these data is entirely that of the author(s)".
- (2) The Licensee shall provide to Statistics Canada a copy of published research or other results based on the use of the Microdata file.

LIABILITY

9. The Owner shall not be liable to the Licensee for any design, performance, other fault or inadequacy or unauthorized use of the Microdata file or related documentation provided pursuant hereto or for damages of any kind arising out of or in any way related to or connected with such fault, inadequacy or unauthorized use of the Microdata file.

INDEMNIFICATION

10. The Licensee shall at all times indemnify and save harmless the Owner and her officers, servants and agents from and against all claims, losses, damages, costs, expenses, actions and other proceedings made, sustained, brought, prosecuted, threatened to be brought or prosecuted, in any manner based upon, caused by, or in any way attributable to the use of the Microdata file and related documentation provided pursuant hereto.

TERM

11. This Agreement comes into force when signed by both Parties and shall continue in force until terminated in accordance herewith.

TERMINATION

12. (1) The Owner may, by providing 10 days written notice to the Licensee, terminate this Agreement in the event the Licensee fails to observe any of the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- (2) The Owner may, by providing 10 days written notice to the Licensee, terminate this Agreement without cause.



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- (3) Where this Agreement is terminated pursuant to subsections 12(1) or 12(2) after the Licensee has been sent the Microdata file, the Licensee shall return the Microdata file and related documentation provided pursuant hereto, as well as any copies, to the Owner.
13. Any notice to be given to the Owner or the Licensee shall be sent by registered mail to:
- Canadian Community Health Survey (Address of the Licensee)
Health Statistics Division
Tunney's Pasture
Ottawa, Ontario
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14. Sections 9 and 10 hereof survive the termination of this Agreement pursuant to section 12.

AMENDMENT

16. No amendment to this Agreement shall be valid unless it is reduced to writing and signed by the Parties hereto.

ENTIRE AGREEMENT

17. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all previous negotiations, communications and other agreements unless they are incorporated by reference in this Agreement.

APPROPRIATE LAW

18. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws in force in the Province/Territory of _____ and any federal laws applicable thereto.

This Agreement has been executed on behalf of the Owner and the Licensee by:

FOR THE OWNER:

Director, Health Statistics Division, Statistics Canada

Date

FOR THE LICENSEE:

(Title for Other Party)

Date



Appendix A

Corporate End-use Licence Agreement for Free Public Use Microdata Files

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7. The Licensee agrees not to merge or link the data product with any other databases in such a fashion that gives the appearance that the Licensee may have received, or had access to, information held by Statistics Canada about any identifiable individual, family, household, organization or business.
8. Any violation of this licence renders it void and of no effect. This agreement will terminate automatically without notice if the Licensee fails to comply with any of the terms of this agreement. In the event of termination, the Licensee must immediately return the data product to Statistics Canada or destroy it and certify this destruction in writing to Statistics Canada.

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