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## Training Guide



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## I. Introduction

This training guide is intended to help you understand the coding procedures in the "Place of Residence 1 Year and 5 Years Ago - Inside Canada" procedures manual (Form MBI-1).

As an aid to learning, this guide contains exercises in coding procedures. The purpose of the exercises is not to determine whether you have memorized the procedures but to give you an opportunity to apply them. As you work through the exercises, you may refer to the procedures manual at any time.

When you have finished the exercises, you will review the questions and the answers with your supervisor.

## II. Introductory Exercises for the Variable "Place of Residence 1 Year and 5 Years Ago Inside Canada"

Read Chapter I, Introduction to the Coding Procedures for the "Place of Residence 1 Year and 5 Years Ago - Inside Canada" variable, in your procedures manual. Then, return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

## Exercise 1

Answer the following question:
When a Form 2B respondent marks circle 03 in Question 22 and circle 09 in Question 23, what is he supposed to specify?

## Exercise 2

Answer the next question by filling in the blanks.
This manual describes the $\qquad$ procedures for responses with place of residence $\qquad$ i.e. the $\qquad$ in each question.

## Exercise 3

Indicate whether each statement is true (T) or false (F).
(a) Questions 22 and 23 are identical.
(b) Question 23 asks about place of residence one year ago.
(c) The responses for inside Canada and outside Canada are treated as two different variables.
(d) Questions 22 and 23 tell us where people living in Canada are moving to and from within Canada, and from outside Canada.

## III. Exercises in Standard Coding Procedures

Read Chapter II, Standard Coding Procedures, in your procedures manual. Then, return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

## Exercise 1

Fill in the blank.

As a general coder, you are responsible for assigning a $\qquad$ to each response according to the instructions you are given.

## Exercise 2

Name the three categories of responses for the variable "Place of Residence 1 Year and 5 Years Ago Inside Canada".
(1) $\qquad$
(2) $\qquad$
(3) $\qquad$

## Exercise 3

Name the coding difficulties.
(1) $\qquad$ ;
(2) $\qquad$ ;
(3) $\qquad$

## Exercise 4

Mark the right answer $-\sqrt{ }$
When the system shows you a response, the first thing to do is:
( ) Check whether the ACTR system has returned a phrase or phrases.
( ) Check whether the response is in the MCB.
( ) Identify under which category it is found.

## Exercise 5

Mark the right answer $-\sqrt{ }$
When the system shows you a response and the ACTR system returns a phrase or phrases, you should:
( ) check the response in the MCB.
( ) code the response.
( ) select a phrase for coding.
A. The Codes

## Exercise 1

The two types of codes used to code this variable are:
(1)
(2)

## Exercise 2

In the following statements, circle the correct answer.
(1) SGCs consist of $(3,8,10,7)$ digits.
(2) The first two digits of an SGC represent the (city, province, country) and the next two digits represent the (region, province, CD).
(3) The last three digits of an SGC represent the (CSD, province, country).

## Exercise 3

Using the MCB, find the SGCs for the following responses:
QUEBEC CITY, QUEBEC:
CANMORE, ALBERTA:
SUDBURY, ONTARIO: $\qquad$
ALEXANDRIA, ONTARIO: $\qquad$
SHEDIAC CAPE, NB:

## Exercise 4

There are two types of temporary codes (TCs); name them.
(1) $\qquad$ ;
(2) $\qquad$ .

## Exercise 5

National TCs are used to identify places with the same name in different provinces. Assign a national TC to the following responses.
(a)


National TC: $\qquad$
(b)


National TC: $\qquad$
(c)

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National TC: $\qquad$

## Exercise 6

Provincial TCs are used to identify places with the same name in the same province. Assign a provincial TC to the following responses:
(a)


Provincial TC: $\qquad$
(b)


Provincial TC: $\qquad$
(c)


Provincial TC: $\qquad$
(d)


Provincial TC: $\qquad$

## B. Code Match

Code match is the phase where a code is assigned to each response displayed by the system.

## Exercise 1

On the basis of the procedures in the code match table in Chapter II of the procedures manual, connect each condition on the left to the appropriate action on the right using an arrow.
(a) IF the message "valid code - refer to valid code list" is displayed at the bottom of the screen, THEN
(b) IF the message "enter a code - code entered is not valid" is still displayed at the bottom of the screen, THEN
(c) IF the message "enter a code - code entered is not valid" is displayed at the bottom of the screen, THEN
(1) refer the response to the next level of coding.
(2) verify whether the code corresponds to the appropriate Census subdivision as it appears on the Valid Codes List.
(3) verify whether the code was input correctly. If an error has been made, correct the code and repeat STEPS 1 and 2.

## Exercise 2

Fill in the blanks, consulting the MCB or selecting one of the numbered code match steps.
(a) The system shows the response "OTTAWA ONTARIO". You look it up in the MCB and the code is $\qquad$ . The next two steps you must carry out are $\qquad$ . Following these steps, the system displays the following message "valid code - refer to valid code list" at the bottom of the screen. You will then $\qquad$ . If the code correspond you $\qquad$ -
(b) The system shows the response "RED DEER ALBERTA" You look it up in the MCB and the code is $\qquad$ . The next two steps you perform are $\qquad$ . Following these steps, the system displays at the bottom of the screen the message "enter a code - code entered is not valid"; what do you do? $\qquad$ . Following this step the message "enter a code - code entered is not valid" still appears at the bottom of the screen; what do you do? $\qquad$ -
(1) Validate the code.
(2) Verify whether the valid code corresponds to the appropriate census subdivision found in the Valid Codes List.
(3) Type the code.
(4) The message "valid code - refer to valid code list" is displayed at the bottom of the screen.
(5) Refer the response to the next level of coding.
(6) Commit the code.
(7) Verify whether the code was input correctly. If an error has been made, correct the code and repeat steps 1 and 2.

## IV. Exercises in Processing the Three Categories of Responses

## A. Processing responses containing both the place name and the province

Read Chapter III-A, Processing responses containing both the place name and the province, in your procedures manual. Then, return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

The system shows you a response consisting of a place name and a province. Use this response for exercises 1,2 and 3 .


## Exercise 1

Circle the correct answer. You have identified the response as a place name and a province. What is your next step?
(a) examine the response
(b) consult the MCB
(c) consult the phrases returned by the ACTR system
(d) none of the above

## Exercise 2

Circle the correct answer.
What exactly are you looking for when you consult the MCB?
(a) the response "FREDERICTON NEW BRUNSWICK" only
(b) a code for the response "FREDERICTON NEW BRUNSWICK"
(c) neither of the above

## Exercise 3

What code did you find in the MCB for the response "FREDERICTON NEW BRUNSWICK"? $\qquad$

## Exercise 4

Use the standard-coding-procedures flowchart or the situation/condition/action table in Chapter III-A of the procedures manual to code the following sample responses.
(a)


Code: $\qquad$
(b)


Code: $\qquad$
(c)


Code: $\qquad$
(d)


Code: $\qquad$

## B. Processing responses containing the place name only

Read Chapter III-B, Processing responses containing the place name only, in the procedures manual. Then, return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

The system sends you a response consisting of the place name only. Use this response to complete exercises 1 and 2.

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## Exercise 1

Circle the correct answer.
The code for the response "LA RONGE" is:
(a) 4718041
(b) 4178041
(c) 4818041
(d) none of the above

## Exercise 2

When you have found the code for the response "LA RONGE", the next stage is code match. Put the following steps in order:
(a) validate the code
(b) type the code
(c) commit the code
(d) verify whether the valid code corresponds to the appropriate census subdivision found in the Valid Codes List

## Exercise 3

Use the standard-coding-procedures flowchart or the situation/conditions/action table in Chapter III-B of the procedures manual to code the following sample responses.
(a)


Code: $\qquad$
(b)


Code: $\qquad$
(c)


Code: $\qquad$
(d)


Code: $\qquad$

## C. Processing responses containing the name of the province only

Read Chapter III-C, Processing responses containing the name of the province only, in the procedures manual. Then, return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

The system shows you a write-in response containing the name of the province only. Use this response to complete exercises 1 and 2 below.


## Exercise 1

Indicate whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F).
(a) The response "NEW BRUNSWICK" is in the MCB and the code is 1300000 .
(b) The response "NEW BRUNSWICK" should be referred to the next level of coding.
(c) The response "NEW BRUNSWICK" is in the MCB and the code is 9913000 .
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$\qquad$

## Exercise 2

Answer the following question. When you have found the code for a province, what is the next step?

## Exercise 3

Use the standard-coding-procedures flowchart or the situation/condition/action table in Chapter III C of the procedures manual to code the following sample responses.
(a)


Code: $\qquad$
(b)


Code: $\qquad$
(c)


Code: $\qquad$
(d)


Code: $\qquad$

## V. Exercises in Processing Responses Containing Difficulties

## A. Processing misspelled responses

Read Chapter IV-A, Processing misspelled responses, in the procedures manual. Then return to this guide and complete the exercises below.

The system shows you a misspelled response. Use this response to complete exercises 1 and 2 .


## Exercise 1

Circle the correct answer.
The correct spelling is:
(a) BLACKFOOT ALBERTA
(b) BLACKFEET ALBERTA
(c) BLACK FEET ALBERTA
(d) BLOCK FOOT ALBERTA

## Exercise 2

Circle the correct answer. Under which category of response does "BLACK FOOT ALBERTA" fall, when correctly spelled?
(a) Place name only
(b) Name of province only
(c) Place name and province
(d) Other type of response
(e) Misspelled response

## Exercise 3

Use the standard-coding-procedures flowchart or the situation/condition/action table in Chapter IV-A of the procedures manual to code the following sample responses.
(a)


Code: $\qquad$
(b)


Code: $\qquad$
(c)


Code: $\qquad$
(d)


Code: $\qquad$

## B. Processing multiple responses

Read Chapter IV-B, Processing multiple responses, in the procedures manual. Then, return to this workbook and complete the exercises below.

The system shows you a multiple response. Use this response to complete exercises 1 and 2.


## Exercise 1

Circle the correct answer.
When you encounter a multiple response, you:
(a) refer it to the next level of coding
(b) take only the first response into account
(c) code all responses
(d) take the best response

## Exercise 2

What category of response is "EDMONTON"?
(a) Place name only
(b) Name of province only
(c) Place name and province
(d) Other type of response
(e) Misspelled response

## Exercise 3

Use the standard-coding-procedures flowchart or the situation/condition/action table in Chapter IV-B of the procedures manual to code the following sample responses.
(a)


Code: $\qquad$
(b)


Code: $\qquad$

## C. Processing other responses

Read Chapter IV-C, Processing other responses, in the procedures manual. Then, return to this workbook and complete the exercises below.

## Exercise 1

The system sends you the following abbreviated response. What do you do? $\qquad$


## Exercise 2

The system sends you a "same", "same as Person l", "même", "même que la Personne 1 " response. What do you do? $\qquad$


## Exercise 3

The system shows you the following incomprehensible response. What do you do? $\qquad$


## VI. Review Exercises

The following set of responses covers all the points studied. In each case, determine the response category and assign a code.

| Response | Category | Code |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| (a) MOUNTAIN VIEW |  |  |
| (b) ALEXANDRIA STORMONT ONTARIO |  |  |
| (c) NEW GLASGON NS |  |  |
| (d) MARS |  |  |
| (e) TOGO MANITOBA |  |  |
| (f) YUK |  |  |
| (g) DRUMHELLER EDMONTON ALBERTA |  |  |
| (b) MOOSEJAW SK |  |  |
| (f) MÊME |  |  |
| (j) CFB SHILO |  |  |


| Response | Category | Code |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| (l) DARMOUTH NOVA SCOTIA |  |  |
| (m) ISLE VERTE SAINTE FOY PQ |  |  |
| (n) ILE DU P.EDWARD |  |  |
| (o) HALIFAX OTTAWA ONTARIO |  |  |
| (p) PHOENIX BC |  |  |
| (q) EDMUNSTON NB |  |  |
| (v) KAPIDE CITY TORONTO ON |  |  |
| (v) KAMSAEK SASKATCHEWAN |  |  |
| (v) EGYPT ONT WINNIPEG MB |  |  |


| Response | Category | Code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (x) CHILLOWACK COLOMBIE-BRITANNIQUE |  |  |
| (y) HULL OTTAWA |  |  |
| $(\mathbf{z})$ VARIOUS |  |  |

## VII. Conclusion

Now that you have read the procedures manual and completed the exercises in this training guide, you are ready to use the ACTR system.

If you have any questions, ask your supervisor for help.
The answers to the exercises in this guide are given in the supervisor's manual.

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