

PRAMS or CUBS Summary Data Request Form

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION – READ ME FIRST

We encourage researchers to review currently available data from [PRAMStat](#) or [IBIS](#) (for PRAMS), or the [CUBS data sheets](#) prior to submitting a request. Please note that due to staff capacity and limited resources, we reserve the right to adjust data requests as necessary. If you have a large data request of more than 10-12 indicators, please call us so we can further discuss how we may assist you.

For all summary data requests, please complete the form on the next page and submit it to mch-epi@alaska.gov. We will acknowledge your request within 2 working days. If you have questions about how to complete the form, please call us at (907) 269-3400 and ask to speak with the PRAMS or CUBS Coordinator.

Please read the following information before filling out the data request form:

- ❖ *In your data request, state the question number or the indicator name, e.g. current smoking. Please check with us to find out the most recent year of data available; this will guide you to the survey you'll need to reference. Current and past PRAMS surveys may be viewed at the [Alaska PRAMS home page](#); CUBS surveys may be viewed at the [CUBS home page](#).*
- ❖ *Please let us know if you want years of data grouped together or individual years. PRAMS started data collection in 1991 and may be available that far back for **some** indicators. CUBS started data collection in 2008. Both surveys change questionnaires every few years, so indicators are typically available for at least 3-4 year periods, and for longer if the question remained on the survey for multiple questionnaire versions. For CUBS, it may be helpful to increase the sample size for a point in time estimate by grouping multiple years if you need the data broken down by demographic or other factors.*
- ❖ *PRAMS and CUBS data are linked to demographic information from the birth certificate, so it is possible to provide data for a variety of subpopulations. We will create our standard groups unless otherwise specified (for example, "by region" non-specified will translate to Department of Labor regions).*
- ❖ *If you are requesting PRAMS or CUBS data to update a report or document, please share the prior version. If you have used these data previously, please share with us any examples of "data to action" that may have resulted. We would appreciate the opportunity to review any publications using PRAMS or CUBS data prior to publication. In addition, please notify us once the final report has been published.*
- ❖ *After filling this request, we may follow-up with you at a later date to see whether any significant outcomes based on these data occurred.*

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Name _____ Agency _____ Date of Request _____

1. **What survey question(s) (state question number) or indicator(s) (state indicator name) do you need data for?** Be sure to indicate whether it is for PRAMS or CUBS.

2. **What year(s) of data do you need?**

3. **Do you want the data for Alaska statewide or for something else?** Please describe.

4. **Do you need a statistical test for a trend or for differences between groups?** If yes, please describe.

5. **How do you plan to use these data?**

6. **Do you plan to request these data on an ongoing basis in the future?**

7. **What is your deadline for receiving the data?**

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Received date: _____ By: _____