Appendix 2

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Appendix 2. Flow chart of study participants

224,898 in web-based panel

80,518 randomly invited to take a survey (the topic of the potential survey was not stated)

27,606 responded
(panel participation rate 34.29%)
and then saw initial screening questions

6,339/27,606 (22.96%) had ever experienced asthma

3,475/27,606 (12.59%) had current asthma

3,018 entered survey
(asthma participation rate 3,018/3,033, 99.51%)

442 excluded as their demographic stratum had been fully recruited (3,033 included)
15 failed to enter survey

2,686/3,018 completed survey
(response rate 89.00%)