

Why Are There No Disability-Related Questions on the 2020 Census?

The Census Only Asks:



The number of people living or staying in your home on **4.1.2020**



Whether your home is **owned with or without mortgage or loan, rented or occupied without rent**



A **phone number** for a person in your home



The **name, sex, age, date of birth and race** of each person in your home



Whether each person in your home is of **Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin**

“If disability data is not collected in the 2020 Census it must not matter to people with disabilities, right?” –WRONG

It does matter- for **everyone!**

- Determines how many Congressional seats states will receive
- Influences where the boundaries of legislative, school, and voting districts are drawn
- Guides the allocation of **\$1.5 Trillion** federal funds, which **impacts all communities**, including the disability community

Respond to the 2020 Census Today! You Count!

Where to share disability data:

- American Community Survey (ACS)
- Survey of Income and Program Participation (SIPP)
- Current Population Survey (CPS)



What they ask about:

Difficulties individuals have with seeing, hearing, mobility, self-care, independent living and cognitive issues such as remembering, concentrating or making decisions