Sub-setting 2014 SIPP Wave 1 public use data

The code below offers data users an example of how to sub-set data either using SAS or Stata statistical software packages. Both generic and an example code are given.

SAS

Generic code:
```
DATA new;
      SET old;
      KEEP [varlist];
RUN;
```

Example code:
```
DATA new;
      SET a.pu2014w1;
      KEEP ssuid pnum monthcode;
RUN;
```

- The example code creates a working dataset named "new" that only reads in three variables – ssuid, pnum, and monthcode – from the permanent dataset, pu2014w1, which is stored at the location denoted by the libref, a.

Stata

Generic code: use [varlist] using filename [, clear]

Example: use ssuid pnum monthcode using <PUT PATHNAME HERE>\pu2014w1.dta, clear

- The example code only reads in three variables – ssuid, pnum, and monthcode – using the pu2014w1 data file that is stored at a specified location.