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| **File** | **Description of contents** |
| BHPS\_UKHLS\_extract\_prepare.R | Code script which takes SN6614 (the harmonised BHPS 1991-2008 and UKHLS 2009-2019 end user files available from the UK Data Service) and uses them to derive a harmonised master person-year file with cleaned variables suitable for further manipulation and analysis.  Script saved in R format. |
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| BHPS\_UKHLS\_codebook.xlsx | Codebook of all variables contained in the dataset that is produced by running the above script. |