

**Supplemental Table 1.**

**Descriptive statistics, individuals recommended for sterilization (n=17,362)**

	Non-Spanish surname (n=15,379)	Spanish surname (n=1,983)	Total (n=17,362)
	n (%)	n (%)	n (%)
<b>Institution Type</b>			
<i>Feeble-minded Homes</i>	5129 (33.4)	1014 (51.1)	6143 (35.4)
<i>Homes for the Mentally Ill</i>	10250 (66.6)	969 (48.9)	11219 (64.6)
<b>Year recommended for sterilization</b>			
1920-1924	1804 (11.7)	157 (7.9)	1961 (11.3)
1925-1929	3073 (20.0)	328 (16.5)	3401 (19.6)
1930-1934	3143 (20.4)	371 (18.7)	3514 (20.2)
1935-1939	3837 (24.9)	554 (27.9)	4391 (25.3)
1940-1945	3522 (22.9)	573 (28.9)	4095 (23.6)
<b>Gender</b>			
<i>Male</i>	7838 (51.0)	984 (49.6)	8822 (50.8)
<i>Female</i>	7541 (49.0)	999 (50.4)	8540 (49.2)
<b>Age</b>			
<15	639 (4.2)	161 (8.1)	800 (4.6)
15-19	3756 (24.4)	763 (38.5)	4519 (26.0)
20-24	2803 (18.2)	333 (16.8)	3136 (18.1)
25-29	2654 (17.3)	275 (13.9)	2929 (16.9)
30-34	2400 (15.6)	215 (10.8)	2615 (15.1)
35-39	1885 (12.3)	156 (7.9)	2041 (11.8)
40-44	824 (5.4)	57 (2.9)	881 (5.1)
45-49	301 (2.0)	13 (0.7)	314 (1.8)
50+	117 (0.8)	10 (0.5)	127 (0.7)