Supplemental Table A.*Logistic multivariate model predicting the probability of having a proxy interview among Mexicans in Mexico aged 50 years and older who at some point returned from the U.S.*

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|  | Odds ratio | [95% Conf. Interval] |
| In U.S.A. at least 10 years | 1.02 | [0.54,1.95] |
| Current age (natural log) | 2.56 | [0.35,18.76] |
| No. of living children | 1.04 | [0.96,1.12] |
| U.S. citizen/Legal Permanent Resident (LPR) |  |  |
| Not U.S. citizen/LPR | 0.35\*\*\* | [0.19,0.63] |
| Missing citizen/LPR | 0.31\*\* | [0.13,0.72] |
| Completed elementary school | 1.12 | [0.55,2.28] |
| Sex | 0.56 | [0.31,1.03] |
| Unweighted *N* | 1,243 |  |

\* p<0.05, \*\* p<0.01, \*\*\* p<0.001

*Source:* Authors’ calculations using the 2012 Mexican Health and Aging Study (MHAS). Estimated weighted using MHAS-provided sampling weights. Standard errors are clustered at the household level. Only variables from questions asked of proxy respondents are included in the model. The model includes the non-imputed version of citizenship status. This table includes 1,126 adults aged 50 years and older with U.S. migration experience who did not have proxy interviews and 143 proxy respondents who were not asked about migration experiences in the U.S. and for this reason, were not included in the final sample.

Supplemental Table B.*Logistic multivariate model predicting the probability of being a U.S. citizen/legal permanent resident among Mexicans in Mexico aged 50 years and older who at some point returned from the U.S.*

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|  | Odds ratio | [95% Conf. Interval] |
| Receive or expect to receive U.S. Social Security | 48.04\*\*\* | [12.96,178.05] |
| Last returned from U.S. at age 50 and older | 2.50\*\* | [1.28,4.88] |
| Years in the U.S.A. (ref: <10) |  |  |
| 10-19 | 1.37 | [0.57,3.27] |
| 20+ | 12.11\*\*\* | [2.89,50.74] |
| Current age (natural log) | 69.95\*\*\* | [5.92,826.72] |
| Completed elementary school | 0.76 | [0.34,1.68] |
| Married last returned from U.S. | 2.60 | [0.89,7.56] |
| No. living children | 0.97 | [0.87,1.08] |
| Speaks English | 3.77\*\* | [1.51,9.37] |
| Reason returned (ref: Illness) |  |  |
| Economic reasons | 2.58 | [0.49,13.50] |
| Missed family | 2.19 | [0.52,9.14] |
| Family problems in Mexico | 0.52 | [0.07,4.03] |
| Migration problems | 0.09\* | [0.01,0.66] |
| Difficult to be in U.S. | 2.35 | [0.50,11.03] |
| Other | 0.86 | [0.21,3.47] |
| Male | 0.29\*\*\* | [0.15,0.56] |
| Observations | 807 |  |

*Source:* Authors’ calculations using the 2012 Mexican Health and Aging Study (MHAS).

*Notes:* This is the model that was used to impute missing values for citizenship status. Standard errors clustered at the household level. Sample includes the 807 respondents with complete information for citizenship status and all of the variables in the model.

\* p<0.05, \*\* p<0.01, \*\*\* p<0.001