Subject: Strange education variable in Angola MIS 2011 data Posted by stakamatsu on Tue, 11 Nov 2014 16:40:43 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I have a question on Angola's MIS 2011 data.

The only available education variable for all household members in the data set is something wrong. I am sure that this question should be asked in the survey since I find this question in the questionnaire and this statistics is shown in the report.

But the highest education level (hc68) in the individual level data(AOPR61FL.DTA) has too many missing values (92.5%), as attached below. The variable label of this variable is "highest educational level (cs for preliminary & final report)".

-Do you know why this variable is like this? From the label, what can I know? -How can I get the original variable if possible?

I already sent an email as feedback two or three weeks ago, but I have not yet received any response.

Shinya

. ta hc68 final report) Freq. Percent Cum. \_\_\_\_\_ 1,051 no education | 34.60 34.60 primary | 1,651 54.34 88.94 secondary & higher | 323 10.63 99.57 9| 13 0.43 100.00 Total | 3.038 100.00

Subject: Re: Strange education variable in Angola MIS 2011 data Posted by Bridgette-DHS on Wed, 12 Nov 2014 15:37:09 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Missing is 0.43% not 92.5% as stated in your post.

Subject: Re: Strange education variable in Angola MIS 2011 data Posted by stakamatsu on Wed, 12 Nov 2014 15:43:53 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message Dear Bridgette-DHS, thanks for your response.

I updated my table, and it shows missing now. So, 92.5% missing, as you see below.

. use "E:\DHS\DHSdata\Angola MIS 2011\AOPR61FL.DTA"

. ta hc68,m highest | educational level | (cs for | preliminary & | final report) Freq. Cum. Percent ----no education | 1.051 2.59 2.59 primary | 1,651 4.07 6.66 secondary & higher | 0.80 323 7.45 9| 13 0.03 7.48 37,562 92.52 . | 100.00 Total | 40,600 100.00

Subject: Re: Strange education variable in Angola MIS 2011 data Posted by Bridgette-DHS on Thu, 13 Nov 2014 13:32:17 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Following is a response from Senior DHS Specialist, Noureddine Abderrahim:

In the person's file, all household members are listed. However, only kids under 5 are included in question HC68. Also, HC68 is not set for kids who do not have their mother in the household. The system missings are the kids whose mothers are not in the household, and members who are 5 years and older.

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