Subject: Nepal 2001 household recode file Posted by Amrit on Thu, 12 Sep 2013 15:22:43 GMT

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I was working with Household Recode File of 2001 DHS (Nepal) to develop Wealth Index (WI) but could not locate variable; HV216 which is number of bed rooms in the household and another variable which answers "Do the members of your household work in their own or family's agricultural land?". HV216 is easily accessible in other rounds of NDHS. Please help me.

Subject: Re: Nepal 2001 household recode file Posted by Liz-DHS on Thu, 31 Oct 2013 20:37:34 GMT

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Dear User,

HV216 is a standard recode variable but was not asked in the 2001 Nepal DHS survey. The question "Do the members of your household work in their own or family's agricultural land?" was also not asked in the Household questionnaire. Q611 in the individual woman's questionnaire was "Do you work mainly on your own land or on family land, or do you work on land that you rent from someone else, or do you work on someone else's land?" This was asked of respondents who work in agriculture. The question also appears in the man's questionnaire and is QM606. Recode variables for Q611 is V740 (woman),for QM606 is MV740 (man

For more information on calculating the wealth index see CR6 The DHS Wealth Index http://www.measuredhs.com/pubs/pdf/CR6/CR6.pdf and WP60 The DHS Wealth Index: Approaches for Rural and Urban Areas http://www.measuredhs.com/pubs/pdf/WP60/WP60.pdf Also, please see the final report on our website which contains the questionnaires in the back of the report. The publication is bookmarked.

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Thank you!