
Subject: Re: Factors affecting the duration of breastfeeding

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Dear User,

The best place to start is with the Standard Recode Manual <http://www.dhsprogram.com/publications/publication-dhsg4-dhs-questions-and-manuals.cfm> and

the Guide To DHS Statistics <http://www.dhsprogram.com/publications/publication-dhsg1-dhs-questions-and-manuals.cfm>. We

also have a number of YouTube videos to assist our users:

Part I: Registering for DHS Datasets: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KBKpudtrv4E>

Part II: Downloading DHS Datasets: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NwSN95Skbql>

Part III: Opening DHS Datasets in STATA, SPSS, and SAS:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=neIMrOd1kkM>

DHS Dataset Types in 60 Seconds: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JGRJZCGiCJw>

Introduction to DHS Datasets: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fzLNQkkvDel>

Introduction to DHS Data Structure: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BmiSDPebmgc>

De Jure and De Facto: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kIClwMgFcCU>

Part IV: Demonstration of How to Weight DHS Data in SPSS & SAS https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NNg8HD_IKow&list=PLagqLv-gqpTN8lZQBy7vAYw10NjynAn2Z&index=4

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[ZQBy7vAYw10NjynAn2Z&index=4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NNg8HD_IKow&list=PLagqLv-gqpTN8lZQBy7vAYw10NjynAn2Z&index=4)

Video 1: Data File and Denominator

Video 2: Variables

Video 3: Recoding and Weights

Video 4: Software Specific Codes and Tabulation Commands

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLagqLv-gqpTMU3avInBDodTWCazUR_y4CT

Using Datasets for Analysis <http://www.dhsprogram.com/data/Using-Datasets-for-Analysis.cfm> and

Model Datasets (can be downloaded without registering)

<http://www.dhsprogram.com/data/Model-Datasets.cfm>

For SPSS Tutorial: https://www.ibm.com/support/knowledgecenter/en/SSLVMB_24.0.0/statistics_spsstut_project_ddita-gentopic1.html

When you look through the Standard Recode Manual and the Guide to DHS Statistics, you can do a search on "Breastfeeding" to find relevant variables and numerators and denominators.

After reviewing these resources if you still have questions, please feel free to post again.