
Subject: Re: Maternal age at first birth

Posted by [Trevor-DHS](#) on Mon, 02 Oct 2017 22:15:08 GMT

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In Stata, you could do something like the following:

use ZZIR62FL.DTA

rename b*_0* b*_*

gen age_2nd_birth = .

forvalues i = 1/20 {

 replace age_2nd_birth = int((b3_`i' - v011)/12) if bord_`i' == 2

}

tab age_2nd_birth
This code loops through all 20 entries in the birth history and finds the second birth (where bord = 2) and calculates the age at the second birth using the century month code of that birth.
