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Subject: Total births in a health facility - National report, NFHS 4

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Dear folks,

I was trying to replicate Table 8.20 of NFHS 4 National report. But the total number of recent births in health facilities is not matching. I was using m15\_1 to calculate the total number of the most recent live birth among women age 15-49 in a health facility and the sum of any health facility deliveries is not matching with the total number of births in a health facility in table 8.20 i.e. 1,49,770. Below is the tab1 output of "m15\_1" in R.

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tab1(m15_1)
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m15_1 : place of delivery
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|   | Frequency | %(NA+) | %(NA-) |
|---|-----------|--------|--------|
| home                                    | 0         | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| respondent's home                       | 37758     | 5.4    | 19.8   |
| other home                              | 381       | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| parents' home                           | 4013      | 0.6    | 2.1    |
| public sector                           | 0         | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| public: govt./munic. hospital           | 47772     | 6.8    | 25.0   |
| public: govt. dispensary                | 3152      | 0.5    | 1.7    |
| public: uhc/uhp/ufwc                    | 2919      | 0.4    | 1.5    |
| public: chc/rural hospital/block phc    | 35265     | 5.0    | 18.5   |
| public: phc/additional phc              | 13896     | 2.0    | 7.3    |
| public: sub-centre                      | 2373      | 0.3    | 1.2    |
| other public sector health facility     | 238       | 0.0    | 0.1    |
| private sector                          | 0         | 0.0    | 0.0    |
| private: hospital/maternity home/clinic | 40701     | 5.8    | 21.3   |
| other private sector health facility    | 942       | 0.1    | 0.5    |
| ngo or trust hospital/clinic            | 927       | 0.1    | 0.5    |
| other                                   | 460       | 0.1    | 0.2    |
| NA's                                    | 508889    | 72.7   | 0.0    |
| Total                                   | 699686    | 100.0  | 100.0  |

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> 47772+3152+2919+35265+13895+2373+238+40701+942+927+460
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Thanks,  
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## File Attachments

1) [Capture1.PNG](#), downloaded 1061 times

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