Subject: Re: Nutritional status of children (Height-for-age)
Posted by Hope on Wed, 20 Jun 2018 09:58:50 GMT

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In case, someone else reads this thread, I am posting this message to correct a mistake above:

To estimate the number of stunted children correctly as in the DHS report,
1. You have to use the weight variable (HV005/1000000)
2. You have to select de facto children using HV103.

In the message above, I had obtained the same percentage of stunted children (37.9%) as in Table 11.1 of Rwanda DHS 2014-15, but the denominator I had was 3825 instead of 3813 (reported).
After taking into account de facto children, I came up with the same percentage and also the same denominator as in the DHS report.

Check Trevor response here for the exact code to use:
https://userforum.dhsprogram.com/index.php?t=msg&th=7084 &#msg_15090