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Subject: Re: Linking child data with parentals information  
Posted by [ronaldmusi](#) on Sun, 11 Oct 2020 16:17:51 GMT

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Hello, Thanks for helping out. I am trying to replicate Table 2.1 0 Birth registration of children under age 5 for Zimbabwe DHS 2015. Using the attached code I have successfully coded other background variables. Now am having trouble with maternal variables eg education. which variable should I use for mothers education.

\*\*\*\*constructing child registration variable

```
recode hv140 (0=0) (1/2=1) (else = 0) if hv102==1 & hv105<5, gen(birthreg)
```

```
label var birthreg " birth registered "
```

```
lab def birthreg 0 "not registered" 1 "registered"
```

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lab val birthreg birthreg
```

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svy:tab birthreg
```

```
tab birthreg[iweight=wt]
```

\*\*\*Mother's highest educational level

```
recode v106 (0=0)(1=1)(2=2)(3=3) if hv102==1 & hv105<5, gen(Mothereducation222)
```

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label var Mothereducation222 "Mother's highest educational level"
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```
lab def Mothereducation2 0 "No education" 1 "Primary" 2 "Secondary" 3 "Higher"
```

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lab val Mothereducation2 Mothereducation2
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ta Mothereducation222 [iweight=wt]
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tab Mothereducation22 birthreg [iweight=wt], row col
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