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Subject: Re: Git Hub Coding Versus My Code for Tetanus Vaccine Status  
Posted by [Shireen-DHS](#) on Thu, 12 Nov 2020 14:00:56 GMT

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Dear Dr. Hussain,

I believe you copied the wrong code from our GitHub site. You also should be using the IR file for this indicator not the KR or BR file.

From the RH\_ANC.do file for this indicator, we have:

```
//tetnaus toxoid injections
recode m1_1 (0 1 8 9 . = 0 "No") (1/7 = 1 "Yes"), gen(rh_anc_toxinj)
replace rh_anc_toxinj = . if age>=period
label var rh_anc_toxinj "Received 2+ tetanus injections during last pregnancy"
```

The age and period variables are constructed from the RH\_age\_period.do file. Age is the age of the five and period here is defined as the last five years before the survey. For some indicators the estimate is reported in the last 3 years or last 2 years (check the final report) so we create the variable period so the user can only change it one time. So for IR files it is:

```
gen age = v008 - b3_01
*if you have b19 in the file you need to use that for age instead so age would be : age=b19_01 .
*only recent surveys have b19
gen period = 60
* 60 is 5 years in months
```

This is all explained in the main file for chapter 9. The RH\_age\_period.do file should be run first before running the other do files.

[https://github.com/DHSProgram/DHS-Indicators-Stata/tree/master/Chap09\\_RH](https://github.com/DHSProgram/DHS-Indicators-Stata/tree/master/Chap09_RH)

Thank you.

Best,

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