
Subject: Re: Ever use of specific contraceptive methods

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Dear User,

I found a note in our DHS-VI recode application: "ever used of methods was removed from DHS-VI"

Here are some snippets of CSPro code which may help you with your analysis. The is based on our Core Standard Questionnaire, but the raw variables should be similar.

```
{ ***USE
    if EVERUSE(k) = 1 then
        evuse = 1
    elseif EVERUSE(k) = missing & evuse <> 1 then
        evuse = missing
    elseif evuse = notappl then
        evuse = 2
    endif;
    if evuse = 1 & cuse <> 1 then
        cuse = ( pos( "Y", A304) );      { Currently using other traditional methods }
    endif;
***USE }

{ ***USE
    evuse = EVERUSE(j);      { Ever used method }
    if evuse = 1 then
        cuse = ( pos(currmeth[j:1],A304) > 0 );      { Currently using method }
    endif;
***USE }
```