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Subject: Re: Maternal Mortality

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Yes, setting the code given is setting the period (5 years) and the minimum and maximum months preceding the survey (kmax and kmin will be 1 and 60), and the total exposure in that period will be 60 months.

On your second question this depends on what the variables are that you are interested in. If they are variables that already exist in the individual recode (IR) file then you just need to carry them through in your program, by including those variables on the /keep parameter of the varstocases command. You shouldn't need to merge files if the variables of interest are already in the IR file.

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