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Following is a response from DHS Research & Data Analysis Director, Tom Pullum:

You need to merge the IR and OD files. The IR and OD codes to match on are v001 and qhcluster for the cluster id, v002 and qhnumber for the household id, and v003 and qline for the line number. These codes also match with the PR file, in which the cluster is hv001, the household is hv002, and the line number is hvidx.