
Subject: Re: 2015-2016 --> question about unmet need group
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Thu, 03 Mar 2022 16:23:25 GMT
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Following is a response from Senior DHS Specialist, Kerry MacQuarrie:

According to the questionnaire for the NFHS-4, the base for the question on reasons for not using contraception (Q610 or v3a08a-z) excludes the following women:

- Women who are never married (v502==0)
- Women who are currently using a contraceptive method (v312>0) or are sterilized/have had a hysterectomy (s321a==1 | s250==1 | v312==6)
- Women who are currently pregnant (v213==1)
- Women who want a child within 2 years or is undecided/unsure of the timing or report they cannot get pregnant on Q605-606 (v605==1 | v605==3 | v605==7)

I hope this helps!
