
Subject: Re: Informed Choice (Method Information Index)

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

The Stata code for the indicators in Table 5.12 is given on our GitHub site (<https://github.com/DHSProgram/DHS-Indicators-Stata>). The generic chapter for family planning is chapter 7. These lines are extracted from "FP_USE.do".

//Informed of side effects

```
gen fp_info_sideff = 0 if inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
replace fp_info_sideff = 1 if (v3a02==1 | v3a03==1) & inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
label var fp_info_sideff "Informed about side effects or problems among female sterilization, pill, IUD, injectables, and implant users"
```

//Informed of what to do

```
gen fp_info_what_to_do = 0 if inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
replace fp_info_what_to_do = 1 if v3a04==1 & inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
label var fp_info_what_to_do "Informed of what to do if experienced side effects among female sterilization, pill, IUD, injectables, and implant users"
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//Informed of other methods to use

```
gen fp_info_other_meth = 0 if inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
replace fp_info_other_meth = 1 if (v3a05==1 | v3a06==1) & inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
label var fp_info_other_meth "Informed of other methods by health or FP worker among female sterilization, pill, IUD, injectables, and implant users"
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//Informed of all three (method information index)

```
gen fp_info_all = 0 if inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
replace fp_info_all = 1 if ((v3a02==1 | v3a03==1) & v3a04==1 & (v3a05==1 | v3a06==1)) & inlist(v312,1,2,3,6,11) & (v008-v317<60)
label var fp_info_all "Informed of all three (method information index) among female sterilization, pill, IUD, injectables, and implant users"
```
