Subject: Re: N for DV module MFHS-5

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Although overall, 7.2% of de facto women age 15-49 in the household were age 15-17, this does not mean that 7.2 percent of all women in the household were age-eligible for the domestic violence questions. There should not have been ANY women age 15-17 who were selected for the DV questions, and no women in that age group should have been administered the DV questions under any circumstances. According to the filter question WQ1101, any woman who has not been selected for the household relations questions on the cover page of the Woman's Questionnaire skips the household relations questions and goes directly to the end of the interview. According to the filter question WQ1102, if privacy is not possible, the household relations questions are all skipped, and there is a skip to WQ1139, which asks for an explanation of why the domestic violence module was skipped. Those skip patterns should be automatic. It is possible that in a few cases a woman's age in household questionnaire was inaccurate and the woman may actually have been age 18 or older.