Subject: Re: Apply Weights to household members (PR) files Posted by Bridgette-DHS on Wed, 18 Jan 2023 13:54:38 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

The household weights are normalized so that the weighted and unweighted number of households are the same--NOT the weighted and unweighted number of individuals. The latter type of normalization is used for the IR and MR files.

The following Stata lines will confirm this for the PR file from the Brazil survey. I use hv101=1 to get one record per household. Alternatively you could use hvidx=1.

File Attachments

1) hv000.gif, downloaded 385 times