
Subject: Re: FGC and daughter's line number
Posted by [Janet-DHS](#) on Mon, 20 Mar 2023 20:22:52 GMT
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Following is a response from DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

The variable fg111 gives the value of bidx for this daughter; bidx is the number of the child in the birth history, in which bidx=1 is the most recent birth, bidx=2 is the next most recent birth, etc. The following Stata lines will pull out the age for the child in the birth history that has bidx equal to fg111.

```
use "...BJIR41FL.DTA", clear
```

```
tab fg111
```

- * The highest value of fg111 (line number of last circumcised daughter) is 11.
- * You can use 11 in the loop below or just use 20, the maximum possible value of bidx.

```
* Remove leading zeroes in subscripts for b8
```

```
rename b8_0* b8_*
```

```
gen age_fg111=.
```

```
forvalues li=1/20 {
```

```
  replace age_fg111=b8_`li' if fg111==`li'
```

```
}
```

```
tab age_fg111
```