
Subject: Re: Calculation of OOPE for delivery care using NFHS-4 , India data
Posted by [Lily](#) on Wed, 29 Mar 2023 11:33:03 GMT

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As said above the calculation to estimate OOPE for delivery care does not include transport, S448AA but the footnote at table 8.20 in nfhs 4 report clearly mentions "Out-of-pocket cost paid for the delivery includes the cost of transportation, the hospital stay, tests, medicines, and other costs "

I simply tried to match the reports and excluding transportation, the mean OOPE :

Public facility=3130.621

Private facility =16513.15

Any facility=7706.62

N= 149768

And including the transportation variable, values are:

Public facility=3508.1

Private facility =17528.12

Any facility=8297.631

N= 149768

In either way , the values doesn't match the Nfhs 4 Report :

Public facility=3197

Private facility =16522

Any facility=7935

N= 149768

I used similar codes as mentioned in this thread:

https://userforum.dhsprogram.com/index.php?t=tree&th=12320&goto=25945&#msg_25945

However I couldn't match values in any way for both NFHS 4 and NFHS 5. Any suggestions w.r.t. this will be of great help. Thank you in advance.