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Subject: Re: Nigeria Malaria Indicator survey 2021  
Posted by [Janet-DHS](#) on Tue, 15 Aug 2023 15:57:14 GMT  
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Following is a response from DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

You need to do a merge, copying hv216 in the household data onto the data for the women. Below I will paste Stata lines that do this. This program will copy ALL the household-level variables, not just hv216.

\* Stata program to copy household-level variables into the IR file

\* Specify workspace

cd e:\DHS\DHS\_data\scratch

\* Prepare household data

use "...NGHR81FL.DTA" , clear

drop \*\_\*

rename hv001 cluster

rename hv002 hh

sort cluster hh

save NGHR81\_temp.dta, replace

\* Prepare the IR file and merge

use "...NGIR81FL.DTA" , clear

rename v001 cluster

rename v002 hh

sort cluster hh

merge m:1 cluster hh using NGHR81\_temp.dta

keep if \_merge==3

drop \_merge

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