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Subject: Re: Rotav Vaccine and nutrition

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

You have made a good start at identifying variables. The main files that people use are the PR file, which lists all persons in the selected households (hv104 is sex), the IR file, for women age 15-49, and the KR file, for children born in the past 5 years (b4 is sex and h11 is diarrhea). The KR file includes most of the characteristics of the mother that are in the BR file. There are separate geographic files that include altitude and many other cluster-level characteristics.

The Guide to DHS Statistics ( <https://www.dhsprogram.com/Data/Guide-to-DHS-Statistics/index.cfm>) may be helpful. Also you can easily find tutorials on the website. Click on the "Data" tab at <http://www.dhsprogram.com>.