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Subject: Link the DHS Individuals (IR) with DHS HIV (AR)

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I am a Demography and Population Studies student at the University of Witwatersrand, South Africa. As part of our curriculum we are required to conduct some research using the DHS data. Our current topic is on age at first sex and HIV infection among women in Swaziland. We would like to know of the possible ways in which we can link the DHS Individuals Data with the DHS HIV data since we would like to check the profiles of these people. We know on the Individuals Data there is a variable serves as an indicator of whether a blood sample was taken and also on the HIV Data there is a unique barcode identifier for each person tested. We will be using STATA as our analysis tool.

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