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Subject: Men's BMI eligibility in NFHS5 PR File  
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Hello,

I have a question regarding the variable hv118 "member eligible for men's interview" regarding BMI data in the PR file.

Here is the STATA code I used to get the below table

```
gen age_inc_m=1 if inrange(hb1,20,54)
gen bmi_inc_m=1 if inrange(hb40,1200,6000)
gen inc=1 if bmi_inc_m==1&age_inc_m==1
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tab hv118 inc
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	member eligible for   men's interview		
inc	not eligi	eligible	Total
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1	1,765	57,170	58,935
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Total	1,765	57,170	58,935

What is the 1,765 people who were "not eligible" but have their height, weight, and BMI data?  
Is it safe to include these people for BMI data analysis?

Thank you for your help.

Best,