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Subject: Re: Quality of Health Care

Posted by [Janet-DHS](#) on Fri, 10 May 2024 19:28:16 GMT

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

I have prepared a program that I believe should match Table 11.19 in the NFHS5 report (ATTACHED), but I can only match the subtotals for columns 1, 3, and 4. I do not match the percentages in the table or the total for column 2.

This is a complicated table, because the rows come from different questions and the percentages in each column do not need to add to 100. I am attaching the program because it shows how to handle multiple-option variables, with different sub-populations in the different columns, and how to copy labels. Because there are so many problems with the NFHS-4 and -5 and this is a non-standard table, it is quite possible that the table in the report is wrong. However, it is also possible that my program has errors, and I will be grateful if anyone can provide a program that DOES match Table 11.19!

As I have said in other posts, IIPS had main responsibility for these surveys. I don't believe that DHS staff had any role in preparing this particular table.

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