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Subject: Re: Doubts regarding water related variables NFHS-4  
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Thu, 30 May 2024 16:06:58 GMT  
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Please see the following response from Senior DHS Staff Member Blake Zachary:

We standardly ask where the drinking water source (hv235) is located (hv201) for public tap/standpipe and it can be located in the dwelling/yard. The only water sources not asked about location are piped into dwelling/yard/plot and in NFHS-4, rainwater.

A separate question on water source for cooking and handwashing (hv202) is standardly asked for those that use bottled water for drinking but the location of that source is not asked. However, NFHS-4 did not include the question on water for handwashing/cooking.

NFHS-4 QRE

DHS-8 Standard QRE

#### File Attachments

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- 1) [NFHS-4 QRE.png](#), downloaded 403 times
  - 2) [DHS-8 Standard QRE.png](#), downloaded 406 times
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