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Subject: my result is different from that GDHS 2022 report

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Hello

Please I used the syntax to calculate the unmet needs and intention to use contraceptives in future using IR file of Ghana DHS dataset but my result is different compared to the GDHS 2022nreport.

Kindly assist me

[https://github.com/DHSProgram/DHS-Indicators-R/blob/main/Cha p07\\_FP/FP\\_Need.R](https://github.com/DHSProgram/DHS-Indicators-R/blob/main/Cha p07_FP/FP_Need.R)

my results

Value	Label	N	Raw %	Valid %	Cum. %
1	use in next 12 months	0	0.00	0.00	0.00
2	use later	2048	13.64	35.03	35.03
3	unsure about timing	0	0.00	0.00	35.03
4	unsure about use	105	0.70	1.80	36.83
5	does not intend to use	3693	24.60	63.17	100.00
6	never had sex	0	0.00	0.00	100.00
<NA>	<NA>	9168	61.06	<NA>	<NA>

# total N=15014 valid N=15014 mean=4.34 sd=3.05

Value	Label	N	Raw %	Valid %	Cum. %
0	never had sex	1894	12.61	12.61	12.61
1	unmet need for spacing	1753	11.68	11.68	24.29
2	unmet need for limiting	776	5.17	5.17	29.46
3	using for spacing	3264	21.74	21.74	51.20
4	using for limiting	1238	8.25	8.25	59.44
7	no unmet need	2993	19.93	19.93	79.38
8	not married and no sex in last 30 days	1757	11.70	11.70	91.08
9	infecund, menopausal	1339	8.92	8.92	100.00
<NA>	<NA>	0	0.00	<NA>	<NA>

GHDS report had

Twenty-three per cent of currently married women have an unmet need for family planning (14% for spacing and 9% for limiting). Twenty-five per cent of sexually active unmarried women have an unmet need (21% for spacing and 4% for limiting)

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