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Subject: Re: Linking data with GPS points  
Posted by [Liz-DHS](#) on Thu, 11 Apr 2013 13:33:21 GMT  
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Response from one of our experts, Thea Roy:

The DHSCLUST field from the GPS data files matches the v001 variable from the birth recode or the hv001 variable from the household recode. For detailed information about any field in the GPS datasets, see the GPS Data Format document:

<http://www.measuredhs.com/What-We-Do/upload/MEASURE-DHS-GPS-Data-Format.pdf>

Please refer to the message "District Codes in recode files" (<http://userforum.measuredhs.com/index.php?t=msg&th=70&amp;p;start=0&>) for information on how to determine the state classifications. The Nigeria 2008 DHS birth recode file also contains state classifications in variable v023.

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