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Subject: Design effect

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Hi,

I am a PhD student working in the field of female genital cutting (FGC).

We are planning a cluster randomized intervention study to investigate knowledge, attitudes and practice of FGC.

For the sample size calculation we need to estimate the design effect (or the intracluster correlation coefficient).

I have found that DHS publish design effect for some of the questions used in the questionnaire.

But I have not found this reported for the questions in the Female Genital Cutting Model.

Is this information available somewhere?

Much grateful for an answer!