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Subject: Re: matching periodic data on same individual over several DHS periods  
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Mon, 11 Jan 2016 13:49:35 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS Stata Specialist, Tom Pullum:

The samples are completely different in successive surveys. It has probably never happened that an individual or a household has appeared in more than one DHS survey. The kind of linkage you describe is not possible.

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