
Subject: HIV Incidence: Zambia 2013-2014
Posted by [salome](#) on Mon, 25 Oct 2021 17:25:36 GMT
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Dear DHS team,

Searching for DHS surveys via survey characteristics yields Zambia 2013-2014 as having HIV incidence information. However when I download the HIV dataset it does not contain a variable for incidence but only has blood test results and CD4 count results. I was wondering if I should be looking for this variable elsewhere? In Mozambique 2015 AIS recency is coded as "SLAGRECEN"

I am attaching a screenshot from the survey search below.

Thank you in advance for your kind help.

Salome

File Attachments

1) [Screen Shot 2021-10-25 at 1.23.37 PM.png](#), downloaded 333 times

Subject: Re: HIV Incidence: Zambia 2013-2014
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Tue, 26 Oct 2021 11:06:46 GMT
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Following is a response from DHS Project Manager, Joy Fishel:

Incidence data is not available for the 2013-14 Zambia DHS. We were never able to complete the incidence testing (the recency assay). An odd survey design, negotiated with CDC, produced a very biased population base for the venous blood collection that was required for the testing.

Subject: Re: HIV Incidence: Zambia 2013-2014
Posted by [salome](#) on Tue, 26 Oct 2021 11:42:14 GMT
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Good morning

Thank you so much for clarifying!

Kind regards
Salome
