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Posted by Sara Rahim on Mon, 04 Apr 2022 12:17:20 GMT
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Posted by Sara Rahim on Sun, 17 Apr 2022 11:01:29 GMT
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Hi, I wanted to repeat my question since it has not received a response. Would appreciate any help on this.

Thank you

Subject: Re: Median age at first marriage- Afghanistan 2015
Posted by admin on Tue, 19 Apr 2022 12:49:31 GMT
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We apologize for the delay with this response. The Afghanistan survey was limited to ever-married women (EMW). Your query led us to look at our GitHub code for median age at marriage. We see that it does not extend to EMW surveys. We are adding a comment to GitHub about that limitation, and will try to add that extension in the near future.