Subject: Indonesian DHS - Unintended pregnancy
Posted by pikanov on Sun, 29 May 2022 20:35:53 GMT
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Hi, I plan to use the latest Indonesian DHS dataset using a sample: pregnancies that occurred in the last 2-5 years in women aged 15-49 years. How can i find it in the dataset? thanks in advance

Subject: Re: Indonesian DHS - Unintended pregnancy
Posted by Janet-DHS on Wed, 01 Jun 2022 15:41:12 GMT
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Following is response from DHS Research & Data Analysis Director, Tom Pullum:

The only way to identify pregnancies other than those that resulted in a live birth is with the contraceptive calendar. It is given as vcal_1 and vcal_6. In vcal_1, a month with a T indicates a termination. In vcal_6, T is replaced with A for an induced abortion, K for a miscarriage, or S for a stillbirth. You can find more information in the Guide to DHS Statistics. You can also go through the DHS tutorial on the calendar, at
https://www.dhsprogram.com/data/Calendar-Tutorial/index.cfm.