
Subject: Attitudes toward wife beating DHS 2022 BGD

Posted by [paneves](#) on Fri, 17 Jan 2025 20:53:52 GMT

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Dear all,

I am calculating the prevalence of women 15-49 y who think wife beating is justified considering five specific variables in the IR files from 2007 to 2022: v744a/b/c/d/e. My estimates match the DHS reports and STAT compiler for the survey years 2007, 2011, 2014, and 2017. However, I calculated 9.2% in 2022, while there's a 13.8% prevalence in the 2022 final report. STAT compiler doesn't disclose figures for 2022. I wanted to ask why STAT compiler doesn't publish estimates for this indicator and if someone has a clue on something unique to that dataset that should be considered in the calculations.

Thanks

Paulo

Subject: Re: Attitudes toward wife beating DHS 2022 BGD

Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Tue, 21 Jan 2025 19:18:37 GMT

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Following is a response from Senior DHS staff member, Tom Pullum:

Because of the subsampling for biometry in this survey, about a third of women were not asked these questions. They must be excluded from the denominator. The following Stata lines will match the 13.8% in Table 12.9:

```
use "...BDIR81FL.DTA", clear
```

```
tab1 v744*,m
```

```
gen outcome=0 if v744a<.
```

```
foreach ll in a b c d e {  
  replace outcome=1 if v744`ll'==1  
}
```

```
tab outcome [iweight=v005/1000000]
```

I will alert the staff in charge of STATcompiler that this indicator was omitted. I believe that was just an oversight.

Subject: Re: Attitudes toward wife beating DHS 2022 BGD
Posted by [paneves](#) on Tue, 21 Jan 2025 22:06:33 GMT
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Thank you so much! It worked well!

Best
