
Subject: Female Genital Cutting data - Nigeria 2008
Posted by [LouiseCW](#) on Wed, 24 Sep 2014 15:46:22 GMT
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Hi,
I'm seeking more details to accompany the reported prevalence and types of FGC from the Nigeria 2008 DHS (Table 18.1 of the report). For a start, I'd appreciate a clarification on how the denominator 9,890 was reached for the number of women circumcised? I have assumed that only women who said they had heard of FGC (including after probing) were asked if ever circumcised (but my output is 8464 (over 18605)).
Is there a document with more accompanying info at all on this report section?
Thanks very much
Louise

Subject: Re: Female Genital Cutting data - Nigeria 2008
Posted by [Liz-DHS](#) on Thu, 25 Sep 2014 19:13:06 GMT
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Dear User,
Here is a response from one of our experts, Mr. Albert Themme:
The denominator is indeed based on G100 = 1 or G101 = 1, but was the 8464 maybe unweighted? In that case weight by: $rweight = V005/1000000$;

Thank you for your post!
