Subject: Breastfeeding practices

Posted by simotom on Mon, 29 Feb 2016 17:35:30 GMT

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Hi, anyone knows if the variable "Months of Breastfeeding" is for exclusive breastfeeding only or complementary breastfeeding also?

I don't understand why I have a negative correlation and negative regressions's beta between months of breastfeeding and the child's malnutrition (measured by height for age).

Thank you very much,

Simo

Subject: Re: Breastfeeding practices

Posted by Liz-DHS on Fri, 04 Mar 2016 18:25:40 GMT

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Dear User.

Here is a response from Senior Data Processing Specialist, Mr. Guillermo Rojas,

Quote:

Months of breastfeeding is asked in general and doesn't differentiate whether its exclusive or not.

If you have additional questions please feel free to post again.

Thank you!

Subject: Re: Breastfeeding practices

Posted by charvey91 on Tue, 07 Jun 2016 14:47:43 GMT

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Hi

I am a bit confused about this response, as there is no question in the questionnaires where women are asked about the duration of their breastfeeding. Is this a derived variable? or if it does appear in the questionnaire - please could you inform me as to where women are asked for how long they breastfed for.

Thanks in advance for your help

Chloe

Subject: Re: Breastfeeding practices

Posted by Liz-DHS on Mon, 27 Jun 2016 17:09:14 GMT

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Dear Chloe.

For the benefit of other users I will redirect other's to the response posted by Trevor: http://

userforum.dhsprogram.com/index.php?t=msg&th=5062&got o=10025&S=7b04433df6c1df6ffde8336ec673713d#msg_10025 Thank you!