Subject: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Shek on Mon, 10 Jul 2017 10:01:10 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I am using Nigeria DHS 2013 data set. I am having problem replicating the figures in table 11.7 for percentage given vitamin A supplements in the last 6 months among all children aged 6-59 months.

Subject: Re: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Liz-DHS on Mon, 10 Jul 2017 17:00:34 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Dear User,

The DHS Program has recently released a blog and a series of youtube videos on matching to the final report. You can find these here:

http://blog.dhsprogram.com/final-report-tables/ and here: https:// www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLagqLv-gqpTMU3avInBDodTWCazURy4C T&v=tjuaPV4eC_E

After reviewing these, if you still have questions, please feel free to post again. Thank you!

Subject: Re: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Shek on Tue, 11 Jul 2017 07:27:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Dear Liz,

Thank you very much for your prompt response. However, i am still having difficulties replicating table 11.7 of the 2013 Nigerian DHS report(percentage given vitamin A supplements in the last 6 months).

-What variable was used for vitamin A supplementation in the last 6 month?

-I used H34 and recoded as follow: 1=1 (yes), 0=0 (No), 8=0 (dont know), 9=missing. I then selected children aged 6-59 months (after creating the variable childs age (v008-b3)). However, the weighted prevalence of vitamin A supplementation that i got for all children aged 6-59 months is quite different from what was reported in the 2013 Nigeria DHS report.

Subject: Re: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Liz-DHS on Tue, 11 Jul 2017 16:24:49 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

A response from Senior Analyst, Dr. Lindsay Mallick: Quote:

Here is some code to help match the Vitamin A indicator to the final report. In order to match, you also have to use the date of the supplementation according to the vaccination card.

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gen wt= v005/1000000
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gen agemonths = v008 - b3
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*to match vitamin A to the report, need to convert month/year from vaccination card into CMC
gen month = h33m if h33m<13 & h33m>0
gen year=h33y if h33y>2004 & h33y<2016
gen vacccmc = (year - 1900)*12 + month
gen last6 = v008 - vacccmc
gen lastva = 1 if last6<7
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gen vita=0 if b5==1
replace vita=1 if h34==1
replace vita=1 if lastva==1
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tab vita if agemonths>5 & agemonths<60 [iw=wt]

Thanks, Lindsay

Subject: Re: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Shek on Wed, 12 Jul 2017 04:51:46 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Dear Liz,

Thank you very much.

Subject: Re: Vitamin A supplement in last 6 months Posted by Hassen on Mon, 07 May 2018 11:12:58 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Thanks all!!