

---

Subject: Pakistan DHS 2017-18: Weights for women interviewed on birth history  
Posted by [IHME](#) on Wed, 13 Mar 2019 00:21:58 GMT

[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

Hello,

I have a question about the weights for women interviewed on birth history in the Pakistan 2017-18 DHS. It appears that about 18% of the women interviewed for the birth history have a sample weight of 0. I am not able to find information in the survey documentation about why some women would have a sample weight of 0. Any insight you can provide on this is much appreciated.

Regards.

---

---

Subject: Re: Pakistan DHS 2017-18: Weights for women interviewed on birth history  
Posted by [Bridgette-DHS](#) on Thu, 14 Mar 2019 12:05:00 GMT

[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

Please reference "readme on weights.docx" and "pkir71.docx" files that are within the zip file(s) you downloaded.

---