

CHANGES TO THE MIS by COMPONENT—Dec. 2005-Jan. 2006

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Questionnaires

**Please note: any changes in the questionnaires will need to also be made in the Rationale, Tab plan (if necessary-no. language etc.), Interviewer's Manual and Trainer's Manual. This is not specified here at this time.*

Household Questionnaire

- Page 4, No. 11 question should read: "What kind of toilet facility do members of your household use?"
- Page 6, No. 19 response: should include **under each "Net" column**, an additional response:
 - Under 'PERMANENT NET' add an option of "OTHER/DK BRAND.....16" which should also be included in the skip pattern, meaning if the response is other/DK brand, they skip to question 24.
 - Under 'PRETREATED NET' add an option of "OTHER/DK BRAND.....26" which should also be included in the skip pattern, meaning if the response is other/DK brand, they skip to question 22.
- Page 6, No. 22 question should read: "Since you got the mosquito net, was it ever soaked or dipped in a liquid to kill or repel mosquitoes"

Additional minor changes in formatting will be implemented.

Women's Questionnaire

- Page 7, No. 303 response : should include an additional response :
 - Add under "OTHER PERSON", (indent) "COMMUNITY/VILLAGE HEALTH WORKER.....E"
- Page 9, No. 316 A¹ question should read: "How many days after the fever began did you first seek advice or treatment for (NAME)? IF THE SAME DAY, RECORD '00'."
- No. 320 **response under both columns** should keep the 'YES' and 'NO' but the sentence direction should read: "(GO BACK TO 313 IN NEXT COLUMN; OR IF NO MORE BIRTHS, SKIP TO 344)"²

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Tabulation Plan

- **Table 5:** Footnote 1 should say "two days" not "one day."
- Also, the column headings in **Rows 3-5** should be bold, but not italicized.
- **In the notes**, the heading before Column 6 should read "Denominator for Columns 3-5," not "Denominator for Columns 3 and 4."
- **Table 6:** The column headings in Rows 1-12 should be bold, but not italicized.

¹ This question number may change, but for now the wording is the most important.

² **This change is very important—“Go back to 313 in the next column...” is imperative, as this takes the interview back to ask another page of questions for an additional child.**

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- Note that **Tables 6-7** and **Columns 3-6 in Table 5** all exclude children whose fever started less than two days before the interview, but the DHS core tabulations do not exclude those children. DHS has decided against that exclusion for the sake of simplicity across tables, but some members of the RBM MERG argued that we will be underestimating adequate treatment if we don't exclude that group. I guess we'll just have to live with the different definitions.

Interviewer's Manual

- On page 58, the caps and underlined sentence should read: **“QUESTIONS 320 AND 320A: FILTER FOR TYPE OF DRUG TAKEN FOR MALARIA TREATMENT”**
- On page 58, directly under the above underlined sentence it should read: “Q. 320: Check the answer to Q. 319. If any code ‘A-F’ is circled, check the box on the left and continue with filter question 320A. If none of the codes from A-F are circled, go back to Q. 313 in the next column, or if there are no more births, skip to Q. 344.”
- On page 58, under the underlined sentence (listed above). The second sentence in the paragraph should read (add “In Q.320A”): “In Q. 320A, Check the answer to Q. 319.”

Trainer's Manual

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