

## Understanding Society User Support - Support #1373

### Child file a-j [ca\_childdoba]

07/01/2020 01:20 PM - leandra geysler

<b>Status:</b> Resolved	<b>Start date:</b> 07/01/2020
<b>Priority:</b> High	<b>% Done:</b> 100%
<b>Assignee:</b>	
<b>Category:</b>	
<b>Description</b> I really tried to figure this one out before asking here, also had a scan of other questions but I cannot understand why there are 10 child files with repeated DOB in them? Files after e seems empty for DOB's so what constitutes a child reported to be born in 2003 as 'child a' and a child born in the same year - 2003 for example- as 'child b'? The questionnaire asks the parent/guardian to input their DOB so I am unsure where the a-j come from? Everything else thereafter is split into these a-j categories so it is really important that I understand it- thank you so much.	

### History

#### #1 - 07/01/2020 01:32 PM - leandra geysler

If it is that child a was their first child, child b their second ect.. then why are the ones not represented in the data set (e-j)?

#### #2 - 07/03/2020 01:24 PM - Alita Nandi

- Status changed from New to Feedback
- Assignee set to leandra geysler
- % Done changed from 0 to 50
- Private changed from Yes to No

Hello,

Respondents to this survey, who reported at least one child below the age of 18 (hhcompa>0 or hhcomdb>0 or hhcomc>0) were asked if [child1] "Do you have any children aged 18 or younger in your household for whom you are the parent or guardian, who are currently enrolled in a school or college"

If they said yes, they were asked [child2] "How many children aged 18 or younger in your household, for whom you are the parent or guardian, are currently enrolled in a school or college?".

Then for each child they were asked the DOB. These dates of birth were recorded but only the YEAR of birth variables were released: ca\_childdoba\_y to ca\_childdobj\_y in file ca\_indresp\_w. All these variables except for ca\_childdobj\_y has a valid value (>0) for at least one observation. Only the variable ca\_childdobj\_y is missing (<0) for all cases.

Does this answer your question? If not, please let us know.

Best wishes,  
Alita  
On behalf of Understanding Society User Support Team

#### #3 - 08/14/2020 05:22 PM - Alita Nandi

- % Done changed from 50 to 80

#### #4 - 10/13/2021 11:33 AM - Understanding Society User Support Team

- Status changed from Feedback to Resolved
- Assignee deleted (leandra geysler)
- % Done changed from 80 to 100