

## A Step-by-step guide on how to download the Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey (MICS) Dataset

**IPUMS MICS contains consistently coded variables on the health and well-being of  
women, children, adolescents, men, household members, and households.**

1.	<b>Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey (MICS) – whole dataset</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Data can be downloaded from the IPUMS website: <a href="https://www.ipums.org/">https://www.ipums.org/</a></li> <li>➤ Go to <a href="https://globalhealth.ipums.org/">https://globalhealth.ipums.org/</a></li> <li>➤ Go to &gt; Create an account &gt; Register</li> <li>➤ Go to &gt; Request Data Access</li> <li>➤ You will be redirected to UNICEF’s website: <a href="https://mics.unicef.org/user/login">https://mics.unicef.org/user/login</a></li> <li>➤ scroll down &gt; proceed to login</li> <li>➤ Sign up</li> <li>➤ After account creation, login to your account</li> <li>➤ Go to &gt; Surveys &gt; Datasets and Reports</li> <li>➤ Apply your selection and download MICS dataset.</li> </ul>
2.	<b>MICS Custom Dataset (STATA only)</b> Users can determine variable availability at a glance and view documentation to create and request custom extracts with just the variables and samples they need.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Login to your account</li> <li>➤ Go to &gt; <a href="https://mics.ipums.org/mics/">https://mics.ipums.org/mics/</a></li> <li>➤ Create your custom dataset &gt; Select data</li> <li>➤ Choose the unit of analysis for data browsing</li> <li>➤ Select Samples</li> <li>➤ Select Variables</li> <li>➤ Extract Data</li> </ul>