Title: Seroprevalence of Hepatitis E virus in children and adolescents living in urban Bogotá: an explorative cross-sectional study

**Data Dictionary**

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| **Variable name** | **Level** | **Codification** |
| *Social and demographic characteristics* | | |
| Age groups | 5-8 | |
| 9-11 | |
| 12-18 | |
| Sex | Male | 1 |
| Female | 2 |
| School type | Public | 1 |
| Private | 2 |
| Social security affiliation (subsidized) | Subsidized | 1 |
| Contributory | 2 |
| Unaffiliated | 3 |
| Socioeconomical strata (se\_stratum) | One | 1 |
| Two | 2 |
| Three | 3 |
| Four | 4 |
| Unknown | 8 |
| Income | Between one and two minimum wages | 1 |
| 2-6 minimum wages | 2 |
| More than 6 minimum wages | 3 |
| Do not want to inform | 4 |
| Unknown | 5 |
| Country of birth | Colombia | 1 |
| Venezuela | 2 |
| Other | 3 |
| *Behavioral characteristics* | | |
| Occupation of the mother | Occupation with animal/soil contact | 3 |
| Other | 4 |
| Unknown | 5 |
| Occupation of the father | Occupation with animal/soil contact | 3 |
| Other | 4 |
| Unknown | 5 |
| Contact with pigs | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |
| Unknown | 3 |
| Pork consumption | Never | 1 |
| Occasionally | 2 |
| Usually | 3 |
| Always | 4 |
| Drinkable water (pipped\_water) | Bottled | 1 |
| Filtered | 2 |
| Boiled | 3 |
| Tap water | 4 |
| Hand washing after the toilet (hand\_washing) | Never | 1 |
| Occasionally | 2 |
| Usually | 3 |
| Always | 4 |
| Unknown | 5 |
| Hand washing before eating (washing\_pre\_food) | Never | 1 |
| Occasionally | 2 |
| Usually | 3 |
| Always | 4 |
| Unknown | 5 |
| Recreational swimming in rivers or streams | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |
| *Health-related characteristics* | | |
| Blood transfusion | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |
| Jaundice (Ictericia) | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |
| Viral hepatitis diagnosis (DX\_hepatitis) | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |
| Hepatitis symptoms (hep\_symptoms) | Yes | 1 |
| No | 2 |