

Rules for inconsistency decisions in the consistency worksheet of the Data Quality Composite Score Tool

Review only green-highlighted cells in the consistency calculations worksheet, review the corresponding range of values, and mark each health facility (HF) as having data inconsistency (final inconsistency value = TRUE) or not (final inconsistency value = FALSE).

Do not mark an HF as having data inconsistency (i.e., mark final inconsistency value = FALSE) in the following cases:

1. The maximum value in the range of indicator values for an HF is less than 30.
2. The difference between the minimum and maximum indicator values for an HF is greater than 5, but there is a consistent upward or downward trend in values over time.

Mark an HF as having data inconsistency (i.e., final inconsistency value = TRUE) in the following cases:

1. The difference between the minimum and maximum indicator values for an HF is greater than 5, BUT there is no consistent upward or downward trend in values over time.
2. The difference between the minimum and maximum indicator values for an HF is greater than 5, AND there is a large spike or drop in values for one of the time points.

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