

Workshop on Analysis of Research Data using SPSS

Introduction

The course has been specifically designed with an objective to enable participants understand different types of variables, distribution of data, SPSS commands, different statistical tests, SPSS output and its interpretation. On completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- o Understand how the SPSS program works.
- o Input data into SPSS and save it.
- o Choose the appropriate data entry method for the type of data you have.
- o Select the appropriate descriptive analysis technique for the type of data you have and the questions you are trying to answer.
- o Perform the analyses using SPSS.
- o Interpret the data output &
- o Present the results to other researchers in an accessible fashion.

Program Details

DAY 1	4:00 to 5:30 PM	Designing a study Preparing a codebook Defining and labeling each of the variables; Rules for naming of variable; assigning numbers to each of the possible responses
	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Tea Break Information about Menus, Dialogue Boxes etc. Label, Values, Missing, Converting to SPSS, Merging files by adding variables, Splitting the data file etc

DAY 2	4:00 to 5:30 PM	Creating a data file & entering data, Screening and cleaning the data Checking for errors (procedure for checking categorical variables, continuous variables, Finding & correcting the errors & case summaries.)
	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Tea Break Descriptive Statistics Procedure for obtaining descriptive statistics Procedure for categorical variables Procedure for continuous variables Assessing Normality Checking for Outliers
DAY 3	4:00 to 5:30 PM	Using graphs to describe and explore the data Histogram, Bar graphs etc. Interpretations of output from these graphs. Manipulating the data Checking the reliability scale
	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Tea Break Statistical techniques to explore relationships among variables Correlation Partial correlation
DAY 4	4:00 to 5:30 PM	Multiple Regression Statistical techniques to compare groups
	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Tea Break Non - parametric statistics T-Tests One - way analysis of variance
DAY 5	4:00 to 5:30 PM	Two - way between groups ANOVA Multivariate analysis of variance Analysis of covariance
	6:00 to 7:30 PM	Tea Break Question Answer and Wrap up Discussion