

Contraceptive choice

Percent distribution of women ages 15 to 49 who used contraception in the past 12 months reporting on who decided on the contraceptive method. by background characteristics

Background characteristics	Self	Jointly with partner or provider	Provider alone/ partner alone/other	Total
N	422	234	68	839
Total	58.3	32.3	9.4	100.0
Age group				
15–19	43.2	31.8	25.0	100.0
20–24	59.2	32.8	8.0	100.0
25–29	58.5	37.4	4.2	100.0
30–34	59.4	30.0	10.6	100.0
35–39	50.4	39.6	10.0	100.0
40–44	71.1	17.6	11.4	100.0
45–49	66.1	25.6	8.3	100.0
Marital status				
Married/in union	58.6	31.9	9.5	100.0
Not married	56.2	34.8	9.1	100.0
Not married, sexually active	56.1	33.3	10.6	100.0
Parity				
0–1	48.7	36.6	14.7	100.0
2–3	60.3	33.5	6.2	100.0
4 or more	62.8	28.6	8.6	100.0
Residence				
Urban	55.6	38.8	5.6	100.0
Rural	59.6	29.0	11.4	100.0
Education				
Never attended	60.1	28.8	11.1	100.0
Primary	61.7	32.1	6.2	100.0
Secondary	49.6	41.4	9.0	100.0
University	46.1	53.9	0.0	100.0
Wealth tertile				
Low	59.4	31.0	9.5	100.0
Middle	59.5	28.7	11.9	100.0
High	56.8	35.4	7.8	100.0