

Supplementary Table 1 Characteristics of the study population according to number and percent currently pregnant, 1988 to 2019.

Survey years	1988 - 1998		2003 - 2008		2011 - 2019	
Population analysed (unweighted)	2541		8665		8383	
Number (unweighted) currently pregnant	96		117		282	
Percent (weighted) currently pregnant	3.4%		3.7%		3.7%	
Mean age (SD), years	16.9 (0.03)		16.9 (0.03)		16.9 (0.03)	
	n	%	n	%	n	%
Age						
15 - 17	27	1.9	40	2.2	87	1.8
18 - 19	69	5.6	77	6.2	195	7.1
Place of residence						
Urban	27	2.6	30	2.2	85	2.6
Rural	69	3.9	87	5.3	197	4.8
Sex of household head						
Male	35	3.0	66	3.2	191	3.9
Female	26	2.6	51	4.6	91	3.4
Number of household members						
≤4 members	54	5.5	61	5.7	102	4.8
>4 members	42	2.5	56	2.8	180	3.2
Mother still alive						
Yes	25	12.9	23	2.2	59	1.8
No	4	33.3	0	0.0	3	1.7
Father still alive						
Yes	24	14.0	18	2.0	49	1.7
No	5	15.2	4	2.4	13	2.8
Literacy level						
Illiterate	62	6.1	81	8.6	119	8.7
Semi-literate	7	2.8	14	3.2	38	4.7
Literate	27	2.0	21	1.7	68	2.1
Employment						
Yes	48	5.9	49	7.3	27	5.9
No	48	2.4	37	2.7	33	2.8
Household income						
Low income	26	3.9	71	6.6	178	5.1
Middle income	13	2.2	28	4.4	56	3.8
High income	22	2.3	18	1.5	48	2.2
Frequency of media exposure						
Not at all	-	-	15	7.0	70	3.6
Less than once a week	-	-	11	7.7	22	2.6
At least once a week	-	-	58	3.4	114	3.6
Age at first sex						
≤14 years	19	6.6	17	9.7	48	7.7

≥15 years	64	7.2	81	9.4	140	8.6
Number of previous sex partners						
1	-	-	23	8.2	36	8.2
2	-	-	11	14.8	16	9.8
Three or more	-	-	6	24.0	8	11.3
Age of last sexual partner						
Below 20 years	-	-	5	9.3	14	4.7
More than 20 years	-	-	2	1.1	54	7.2
Knowledge of contraception						
Knows no method	14	2.7	4	2.5	-	-
Knows modern or traditional method	55	4.9	82	4.2	-	-
knowledge of fertility period during menstruation						
Just before or during menstrual period	4	8.1	12	5.4	4	1.3
Right after menstrual period or at any time	18	5.9	42	5.1	27	3.9
Halfway between two menstrual periods	13	6.1	12	3	23	6.8