

## Unmet need for family planning

### Percentage of women age 15 to 49 with unmet need for family planning, by marital status and background characteristics

Background characteristics	All women			Married women <sup>1</sup>		
	Number	2,855			1,400	
	For spacing	For limiting	Total	For spacing	For limiting	Total
<b>Total</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>33.3</b>
<b>Age group</b>						
15–19	15.7	1.3	17.0	60.0	10.1	70.1
20–24	23.4	1.5	24.9	40.2	2.4	42.6
25–29	22.5	2.7	25.3	31.4	4.7	36.1
30–34	19.2	6.4	25.6	23.6	8.1	31.8
35–39	15.8	9.3	25.1	18.4	11.2	29.6
40–44	8.0	13.1	21.2	9.5	16.2	25.7
45–49	2.8	10.0	12.8	3.7	12.4	16.1
<b>Marital status</b>						
Married <sup>1</sup>	24.5	8.8	33.3	na	na	na
Unmarried, sexually active	36.0	3.2	39.2	na	na	na
<b>Parity</b>						
0–1	16.6	0.9	17.6	32.4	2.5	34.9
2–3	23.7	4.4	28.1	27.9	4.9	32.8
4 or more	13.5	15.7	29.2	15.1	17.5	32.6
<b>Education</b>						
Never attended	11.3	11.0	22.3	18.4	18.0	36.4
Primary	18.7	8.5	27.2	21.6	13.5	35.1
Secondary	18.5	4.8	23.2	25.4	8.9	34.3
Higher	13.7	1.9	15.6	23.1	3.6	26.7
<b>Wealth quintile</b>						
Lowest	20.9	8.0	29.0	29.5	14.4	43.8
Lower	18.3	5.6	23.9	24.1	9.8	33.9
Middle	18.1	4.2	22.3	24.8	6.6	31.4
Higher	16.7	3.5	20.2	22.6	7.4	30.0
Highest	14.5	3.0	17.5	21.6	6.2	27.8

<sup>1</sup>Married includes married women and those who are living with a man

na = not applicable