

Results from Phase 2 panel survey

PERFORMANCE MONITORING FOR ACTION

May 2022

OVERALL KEY FINDINGS



Among women who did not use any contraceptive method in 2021, only 8% reported starting to use one between Phase 1 and Phase 2.



Out of the 204 women who were contraceptive users at Phase 1, 78 women (i.e. 38%) reported that they discontinued their contraceptive use between Phase 1 and Phase 2.



The proportion of women who got pregnant between Phase 1 and Phase 2 was **twice** as high (12%) among women who were contraceptive users at Phase 1 compared to women who did not use contraception (5%) at Phase 1.

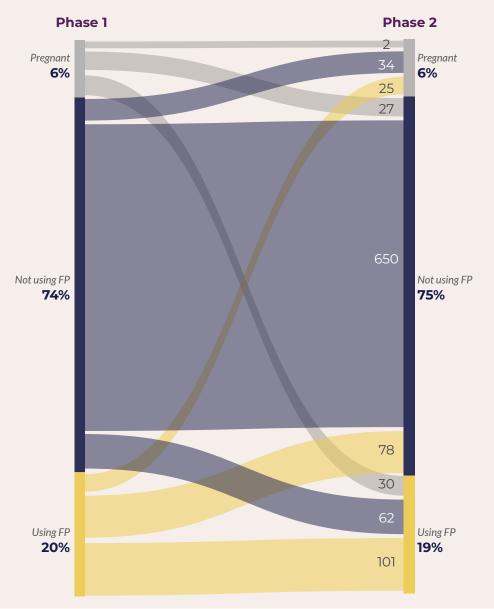




SECTION 1: OVERALL CONTRACEPTIVE DYNAMICS

CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE USE OR NON-USE

Percent of women age 15-49 who changed contraceptive use status between PMA Phase 1 (April 2020) and PMA Phase 2 (May 2022) (n=1,009)



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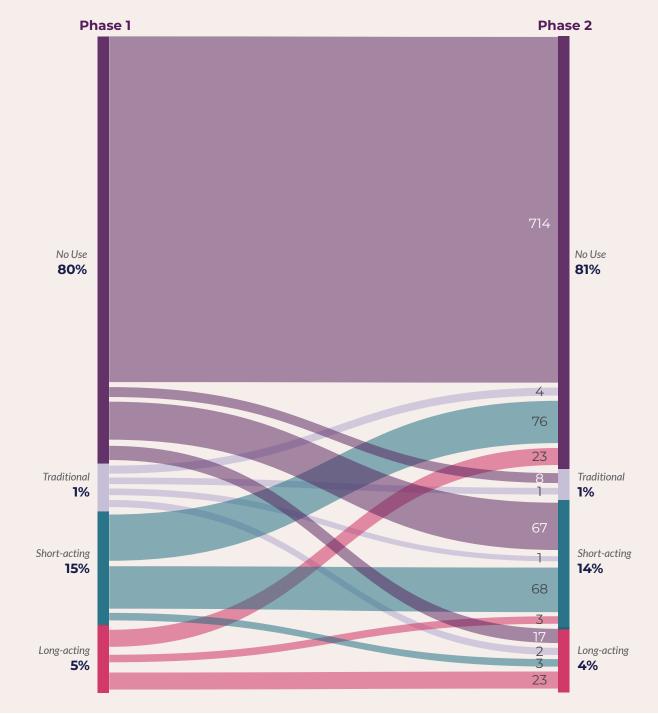
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CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE METHOD TYPE

Percent of women age 15-49 who changed contraceptive method or use status between PMA Phase 1 (April 2020) and PMA Phase 2 (May 2022) (n=1,009)



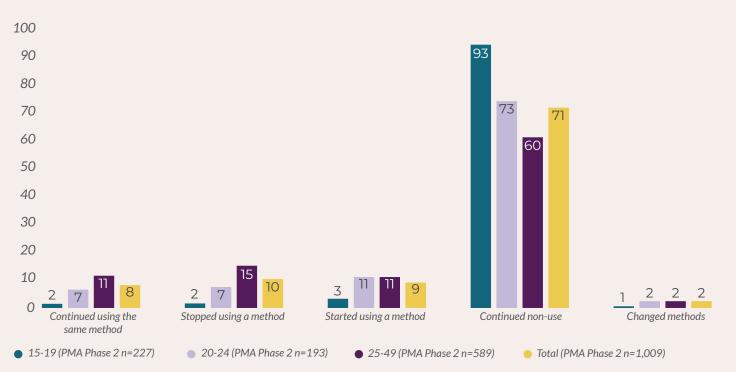
KEY FINDINGS FOR SECTION 1: OVERALL CONTRACEPTIVE DYNAMICS

- Only **2%** of women who used a short-acting contraceptive method at Phase 1 reported that they started using a long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC) method between Phase 1 and Phase 2.
- **Six percent** of women who used a long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC) method at Phase 1 reported that they started using a short-acting contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2.
- **Fifty-one percent** of women who used a short-acting contraceptive method and **47%** of women who used a long-acting reversible contraceptive (LARC) method at Phase 1 reported that they stopped using contraception between Phase 1 and Phase 2.



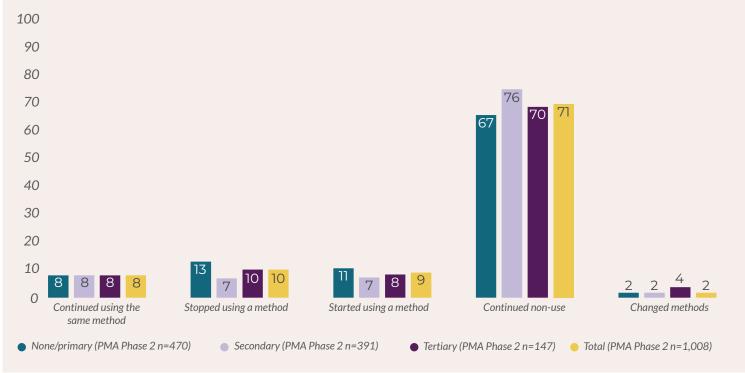
CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE USE STATUS, BY AGE

Percent of women age 15-49 who engaged in one of the following contraceptive use behaviors between PMA Phase 1 (April 2020) and PMA Phase 2 (May 2022), by age



CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE USE STATUS, BY EDUCATION LEVEL

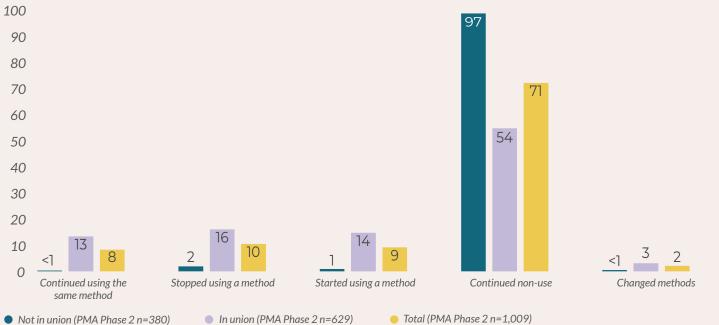
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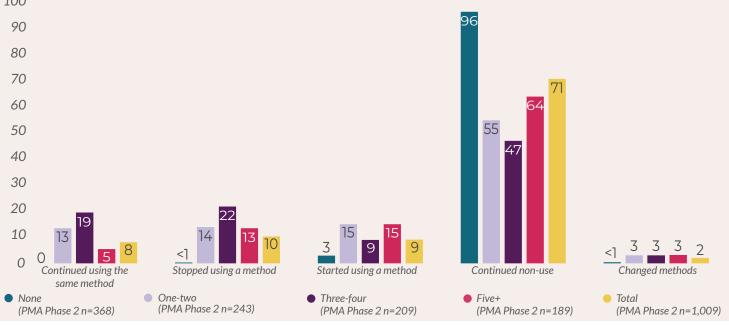
CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE USE STATUS, BY MARITAL STATUS

Percent of women age 15-49 who engaged in one of the following contraceptive use behaviors between PMA Phase 1 (April 2020) and PMA Phase 2 (May 2022), by marital status



CHANGE IN CONTRACEPTIVE USE STATUS, BY PARITY

Percent of women age 15-49 who engaged in one of the following contraceptive use behaviors between PMA Phase 1 (April 2020) and PMA Phase 2 (May 2022), by parity 100



KEY FINDINGS FOR SECTION 2: CONTRACEPTIVE DYNAMICS BY KEY MEASURES

• The proportion of women who continued using the same contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2 was at least **four times** as high among older women compared to adolescents.

• Level of education seems to have no effect on the proportion of women who continued using the same contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2.

• Less than one in ten women (9%) started using a contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2. This proportion was 14% among married women and only 1% among unmarried women.



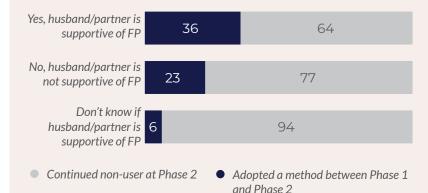
METHOD DISCONTINUATION

Among women 15-49 with unmet need at Phase 2, the percentage that stopped using a contraceptive method or became pregnant between the two surveys (n=129)



PARTNER SUPPORT FOR FAMILY PLANNING

Percent of women in union age 15-49 who were not using an FP method at Phase 1 and who adopted an FP method, by husband/partner's support for FP at Phase 1 (n=260)



INTENTION TO USE FAMILY PLANNING

Yes, intends to use FP at

No, does not intend to

use FP at Phase 1

Continued non-user at

Phase 2

Phase 1

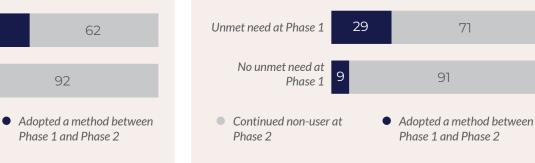
Percent of women age 15-49 who were not using an FP method at Phase 1 and who adopted an FP method, by their intention to use FP at Phase 1 (n=789)

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Percent of women age 15-49 who were not using an FP method at Phase 1 and who adopted an FP method, by their unmet need status at Phase 1 (n=789)



KEY FINDINGS FOR SECTION 3: OTHER PANEL DYNAMICS

• The proportion of women who adopted a contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2 was **1.6 times** as high among women whose partners were favorable to family planning (FP) at Phase 1 compared to women whose partners were not supportive of FP.

• The proportion of women who started using a contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2 was larger among women who had an unmet need at Phase 1.

• The proportion of women who started using a contraceptive method between Phase 1 and Phase 2 was at least **four times** as high among women who had intended to use family planning.

PMA Niger (Niamey) collects data on knowledge, practice, and coverage of family planning services in 33 enumeration areas selected using a multi-stage stratified cluster design with urban-rural strata. The PMA panel survey was conducted among eligible females aged 15-49 at the time of the Phase 2 survey (May 2022), who were interviewed at the Phase 1 survey between December 2020 and April 2021 and consented to follow-up (91% of Phase 1 population). Of the 1,247 eligible respondents, 15.3% were not reached for follow-up. Of those reached, 1,024 (82.1%) completed the survey, for a response rate of 97% among contacted women. For sampling information and full data sets, visit www.pmadata.org/countries/niger.

Percentages presented in this brief have been rounded and may not add up to 100%.

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