

**TABLE 3. Odds ratios from logistic regression analyses assessing the likelihood of involvement in a nonmarital birth, by selected characteristics, according to gender**

Characteristic	Females (N=6,008)			Males (N=5,390)		
	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3
<b>Age/partners' age difference†</b>						
<16, partner ≥3 yrs. older	2.15***	1.64*	1.43	0.84	0.67	0.61
<16, partner <3 yrs. older	1.26	1.11	1.04	0.76	0.68	0.66
≥16, partner ≥3 yrs. older	1.39*	1.21	1.10	0.73	0.62	0.60
≥16, partner <3 yrs. older (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Never had sex	0.52***	0.57***	0.69**	0.45***	0.56***	0.65
<b>Individual and family characteristics</b>						
Race/ethnicity						
White (ref)	na	1.00	1.00	na	1.00	1.00
Black	na	2.46***	2.45***	na	2.09***	2.11***
Hispanic	na	1.72**	1.72**	na	1.83**	1.84**
Other	na	1.27	1.25	na	1.85	1.87
Foreign-born	na	0.52*	0.53*	na	0.67	0.67
Age at Wave 1 (range, 13–21)	na	1.03	1.02	na	1.01	1.00
PVT score (range, 15–137)	na	0.97***	0.97***	na	0.99*	0.99*
Parent education‡ (range, 1–9)	na	0.92**	0.92**	na	0.91**	0.91**
Live with two biological/ adoptive parents						
	na	0.55***	0.56***	na	0.85	0.85
Receive government aid	na	1.32	1.34	na	1.42	1.43
Had pregnancy/AIDS education	na	1.28*	1.26*	na	0.91	0.90
Parent-teenager connectedness‡ (range, 0–4)						
	na	0.92	0.92	na	0.99	0.99
Parent-teenager communication‡ (range, 0–4)						
	na	0.89*	0.88**	na	0.94	0.94
Substance use index‡ (range, 0–5)	na	1.21***	1.19***	na	1.19**	1.19**
Educational aspirations (range, 0–4)	na	0.92	0.92	na	0.94	0.94
<b>Relationship history characteristics</b>						
No. of sexual partners by Wave 2 (range, 0–10)						
	na	na	1.19**	na	na	1.16*
Ever had a nonromantic partner	na	na	1.07	na	na	0.73
Ever forced to have sex§	na	na	0.74	na	na	na
<i>F</i>	29.46***	25.16***	21.80***	16.71***	10.23***	9.41***
<i>df</i>	6	21	24	6	21	23

\* $p < .05$ . \*\* $p < .01$ . \*\*\* $p < .001$ . †Measured at Waves 1 and 2; refers to riskiest relationship. ‡Higher scores denote higher levels of the characteristic. §Females only. Notes: na=not applicable. ref=reference group. PVT=Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test. For definitions of scales, see page 20.