

**Table 1. Number of respondents and married women's total fertility rates, contraceptive prevalence rates and levels of unmet need, three Demographic and Health Surveys, 1996 and 1997**

Measure	Bangladesh	Dominican Republic	Zambia
No. of women	9,127	8,422	8,021
% completeness	97.8	93.2	96.7
No. of men	3,346	2,279	1,849
% completeness	92.7	80.3	90.5
No. of couples	3,037	848	842*
No. of couples with no other reported sex partners†	na	768	683
Total fertility rate	3.3	3.2	6.1
Contraceptive prevalence rate	49.2	63.7	25.9
Unmet need	15.8	12.4	18.3
For spacing	7.9	5.3	5.1
For limiting	7.9	7.1	13.2

\*Of these, 744 are monogamous and 98 are polygamous. †In the last month. *Note:* na=not available. *Sources:* For number of couples with no other reported sex partners, author's tabulations; for all others, see reference 9.