

**Table 4. Percentage of South African men who responded positively to selected questions on attitudes toward microbicide use, by demographic characteristics**

Characteristic	N*	Would like partner to use protection	Woman has right to protect herself	Would like partner to use microbicide	Would like to be informed of microbicide use	Would like to be involved in decision	Willing to pay for microbicide	Would like microbicide to lubricate vagina
<b>Age</b>								
<20	22	95.5	90.5	80.9	85.7	66.7	66.7	50.0
20–24	80	96.3	96.2	89.9	88.9	76.5	73.8	28.2
25–29	60	90.0	91.7	87.5	80.3	73.3	65.6	35.6
30–34	34	82.4	94.4	73.5	91.7	72.2	69.4	40.0
35–39	18	50.0	83.3	41.2	82.4	61.1	44.4	37.5
≥40	23	65.2	80.9	63.6	66.7	54.6	34.8	40.9
p-value		.001	.186	.001	.129	.377	.009	.537
<b>Education</b>								
≤5 years	23	82.6	76.2	72.7	66.7	66.7	47.8	52.2
6–8 years	39	79.5	94.9	76.9	77.5	62.5	57.5	33.3
9–10 years	81	90.1	92.7	83.3	88.9	73.2	67.1	30.4
Tertiary	92	86.9	94.6	80.9	87.2	74.5	69.2	38.3
p-value		.416	.033	.671	.041	.506	.356	.262
<b>Employment</b>								
Full-time	75	76.0	92.1	66.2	81.3	70.1	63.4	37.1
Part-time	57	87.7	91.1	85.2	80.7	73.2	63.2	30.9
Unemployed	37	91.9	88.9	86.1	91.9	78.4	64.9	43.2
Student	67	92.5	93.9	86.6	86.6	67.2	67.2	35.0
p-value		.020	.835	.008	.402	.655	.964	.676
<b>Ethnic group</b>								
Black	164	85.4	91.4	84.1	85.9	71.3	63.3	30.6
Indian	8	87.5	87.5	62.5	87.5	100	62.5	42.9
White	16	75.0	93.8	71.4	80.0	50.0	81.3	61.5
Other	38	92.1	94.6	72.2	81.6	68.4	57.9	45.9
p-value		.420	.874	.153	.850	.082	.799	.059
<b>Marital status</b>								
Married, no girlfriend	39	48.6	89.2	38.2	88.9	72.9	47.4	34.3
Married, girlfriend	27	88.9	88.0	76.9	85.2	81.5	48.2	50.0
Single, regular partner	53	94.2	98.1	83.7	75.5	69.2	75.5	36.0
Single, casual partner	85	91.8	88.9	91.6	90.5	67.9	69.5	32.5
Single, no partner	28	92.9	92.9	96.2	77.8	71.4	60.7	47.6
p-value		.001	.353	.001	.131	.736	.020	.444

\*Because not all men responded to all questions, Ns vary and may not add to 243. Note: A p-value of p<.05 is regarded as statistically significant.