

**TABLE 4. Percentage of women with an unmet need for contraception, by region, according to definition of unmet need, 27 countries**

Region	No. of countries	Standard definition*	Enlarged definition†
<b>All</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>33.2</b>
Asia	4	20.5	29.6
Sub-Saharan Africa	12	26.0	42.7
Latin America/ Caribbean	7	19.2	26.9
North Africa/ Middle East	2	13.6	19.4
Central Asia	2	14.7	19.8

\*Percentages differ from those in other tables because only 27 countries are included. †Including women with postpartum amenorrhea. *Source:* special tabulations of DHS surveys.