

**Table 5. Percentage of contraceptive users aged 15–44, by selected characteristics, according to method, 1982–1995**

Characteristic	Female sterilization			Male sterilization			Pill			Condom			Diaphragm			IUD		
	1982	1988	1995	1982	1988	1995	1982	1988	1995	1982	1988	1995	1982	1988	1995	1982	1988	1995
<b>Total</b>	23	28	28	11	12	11	28	31	27	12	15	20	8	6	2	7	2	1
<b>Age</b>																		
15–19	0	2	0	0	0	0	64	59	44	21	33	37	6	1	0	1	0	0
20–24	5	5	4	4	2	1	55	68	52	11	15	26	10	4	1	4	0	0
25–29	14	17	17	6	6	5	35	45	39	11	16	24	12	6	1	10	1	1
30–34	31	33	29	15	14	10	16	22	28	12	12	18	8	9	2	9	3	1
35–39	42	45	41	18	20	19	6	5	11	12	12	17	4	8	3	8	3	1
40–44	45	51	50	23	22	20	1	3	6	11	11	12	4	4	3	6	4	1
<b>Marital status</b>																		
Never-married	4	6	9	2	2	1	53	59	44	12	20	30	13	5	1	5	1	1
Currently married	27	31	31	16	17	17	19	21	20	14	14	17	7	6	2	7	2	1
Formerly married	39	51	49	3	4	4	28	25	21	2	6	15	7	5	1	12	4	1
<b>Education†</b>																		
≤11 yrs.	40	52	54	8	7	6	22	23	14	9	6	14	2	1	0	12	4	1
12 yrs.	27	34	38	14	15	13	28	29	22	9	11	15	4	3	1	6	2	1
≥13 yrs.	19	21	18	11	13	12	24	29	31	14	16	24	14	10	3	8	2	1
<b>Income†, ‡</b>																		
≤149%	26	37	41	6	4	3	36	36	24	9	13	18	6	2	1	8	3	1
150–299%	25	32	30	10	12	11	26	29	27	12	14	19	7	5	1	7	2	1
≥300%	21	22	20	14	14	15	26	30	28	14	16	23	10	8	3	7	2	1
<b>Intends to have more children</b>																		
Yes	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	59	51	15	22	32	15	8	2	6	1	1
No	40	46	46	19	19	18	13	13	13	10	10	13	4	4	2	7	3	1

†Women aged 20–44 only. ‡% of federal poverty level.