

Table 5. Mean level of agreement (and standard deviation) on selected attitudes about sex and condom use, by sex and timing of survey

Attitude	Male		Female	
	Baseline	Follow-up	Baseline	Follow-up
People my age should not be having vaginal intercourse	3.71 (1.28)	3.43 (1.32)***	3.03 (1.38)	3.04 (1.32)
Having condoms with you makes it more likely that you will decide to have vaginal intercourse	3.03 (1.38)	3.25 (1.38)**	3.50 (1.38)	3.76 (1.30)***
If a girl is [if you are] taking birth control pills, it's safe to have vaginal intercourse without a condom if you think she [he] doesn't have the AIDS virus (HIV)	3.74 (1.32)	3.91 (1.23)*	4.04 (1.23)	4.26 (1.12)***
My friends think you should always use a condom for vaginal intercourse, even if the girl is [you are] taking birth control pills	2.26 (1.24)	2.22 (1.18)	2.11 (1.26)	2.00 (1.18)
A girl has as much responsibility as a boy for making sure that they will use a condom	1.26 (0.68)	1.20 (0.56)	1.12 (0.50)	1.07 (0.32)*
If I carried condoms with me and my classmates found out, they would think I was too promiscuous ("easy, loose")	3.67 (1.30)	3.74 (1.20)	3.01 (1.38)	3.33 (1.36)***
If I have to pay for them, condoms are too expensive to make them worth using	4.12 (1.29)	4.16 (1.26)	4.54 (0.96)	4.67 (0.79)**

*Significant at $p < .05$. **Significant at $p < .01$. ***Significant at $p < .001$. *Note:* Level of agreement was coded as 1=strongly agree, 2=sort of agree, 3=uncertain, 4=sort of disagree and 5=strongly disagree.