
Table 1. Questions from the 1987 Minnesota Adolescent Health Survey used in secondary analysis of sexual behavior, risk factors and pregnancy according to respondents' sexual orientation

Many people say that they have different feelings about themselves when it comes to questions of being attracted to other people. Which of the following best describes your feelings?

- 100% heterosexual (attracted to/daydream about persons of the opposite sex)
- Mostly heterosexual
- Bisexual (equally attracted to men and women)
- Mostly homosexual
- 100% homosexual ("gay/lesbian"; attracted to/daydream about persons of the same sex)
- Not sure

Have you ever been physically abused or mistreated by anyone in your family or by anyone else?

Have you ever been sexually abused? Sexual abuse is when someone in your family or someone else touches you in a place you did not want to be touched, or does something to you sexually which they shouldn't have done.

Have you ever had sexual intercourse ("gone all the way")?

If yes, how old were you the first time you did it (had intercourse)?

How often do you have sexual intercourse?

How often do you and/or your partner use a birth control method?

What kind of birth control method do you and/or your partner most often use?

How many times have you been pregnant?

What was your decision regarding the pregnancy? If you have been pregnant more than once, refer to your most recent pregnancy.

- Keep and raise the baby
- Place the baby for adoption
- Miscarriage/the baby died
- Have an abortion
- Baby was placed in foster care
- You are pregnant now and not sure what you will do

During the last 12 months, how often have you run away from home?

During the last 12 months, how often have you been involved in prostitution?
