

**TABLE 1. Percentage distribution of adolescent males aged 15–18, by selected social and demographic characteristics, Tehran, Iran, 2002**

Characteristic	% (N=1,385)	Characteristic	% (N=1,385)
<b>Age</b>		<b>Communication with father on sex§</b>	
15–16	48.3	Frequent	11.3
17–18	51.7	Rare	20.1
<b>Current school attendance</b>		None	68.6
Day school	76.3	<b>Communication with mother on important matters††</b>	
Night school	4.4	Easy	31.1
None	19.3	Moderate	34.0
<b>Type of school attended</b>		Difficult	34.9
Governmental	76.6	<b>Communication with mother on sex‡‡</b>	
Nongovernmental	9.4	Frequent	11.7
Both	14.0	Rare	25.0
<b>Ever worked</b>		None	63.3
Yes	47.0	<b>Has older brother</b>	
No	53.0	Yes	54.8
<b>Currently working†</b>		No	45.2
Yes	58.9	<b>Has older sister</b>	
No	41.1	Yes	56.1
<b>Religion</b>		No	43.9
Muslim	97.7	<b>Has access to satellite television</b>	
Christian	1.5	Yes	27.0
Other	0.8	No	73.0
<b>Religiosity</b>		<b>Has access to Internet</b>	
Religious	79.7	Yes	34.3
Somewhat religious	15.4	No	65.7
Not religious	4.9	<b>Ever smoked</b>	
<b>Lives with parents</b>		Yes	12.8
Both	88.7	No	87.2
One	10.0	<b>Ever used alcohol</b>	
Neither	1.3	Yes	16.8
<b>Father</b>		No	83.2
Alive	94.3	<b>Ever used drugs</b>	
Dead	5.7	Yes	2.1
<b>Communication with father on important matters‡</b>		No	97.9
Easy	47.0	Total	100.0
Moderate	32.3		
Difficult	20.7		

†Of the 647 respondents with work experience. ‡N=1,265. §N=1,270. ††N=1,342. ‡‡N=1,345.