

TABLE 2. Percentage distribution of adolescent males aged 15–18, by responses to statements about aspects of reproductive health

Aspect	Yes	No	Do not know	Total
Reproductive physiology				
A woman can get pregnant at first intercourse	43.5	18.5	38.0	100.0
A woman stops growing after first intercourse	7.3	36.4	56.3	100.0
Pregnancy is most likely to occur in midcycle	16.9	9.7	73.4	100.0
Condoms				
Condoms can be used more than once	5.3	54.8	40.0	100.0
Condoms are an effective way of protecting against STIs	42.4	10.5	47.1	100.0
Condoms are an effective method of preventing pregnancy	53.0	10.0	37.0	100.0
STIs and AIDS				
It possible to cure AIDS	16.6	62.6	20.7	100.0
A person with HIV always looks emaciated or unhealthy in some way	6.1	76.9	17.0	100.0
Discharge and blood from the genitals are a sign of an STI in a man	28.3	9.4	62.3	100.0
Pain during urination is a sign of an STI in a man	34.2	10.5	55.2	100.0
Ulcers/sores in the genital area are a sign of an STI in a man	28.2	9.9	61.9	100.0
Discharge and blood from the genitals are a sign of an STI in a woman	21.2	6.9	71.9	100.0
Pain during urination is a sign of an STI in a woman	19.4	8.7	71.9	100.0
Ulcers/sores in the genital area are a sign of an STI in a woman	21.0	6.9	72.1	100.0