

TABLE 1. Percentage distribution of sexually experienced respondents, by selected characteristics, according to gender, Adolescent and Young Adult Reproductive Health and Behavior Risk Survey (INJAD), Mozambique, 2001

Characteristic	Males (N=3,831)	Females (N=3,986)
DEMOGRAPHIC		
Age-group		
15–19	44.5	42.8
20–24	55.5	57.2
Residence		
Rural	64.8	71.9
Urban	35.2	28.1
Education		
None	70.6	81.6
1–3 yrs.	12.7	8.0
4–6 yrs.	14.3	8.2
≥secondary	2.4	2.2
Marital status		
Never-married	73.4	28.8
Ever-married	27.7	71.2
SEXUAL BEHAVIOR		
Age at first intercourse		
<15	30.9	24.2
15–17	46.5	55.5
≥18	22.6	20.3
Cumulative no. of partners		
1	16.2	55.3
2	13.3	22.3
3	13.6	10.3
≥4	57.0	12.1
Type of partner at last sex		
Husband/wife	21.6	67.5
Regular	69.4	25.9
Occasional	9.0	6.6
Received money or gifts for sex†		
Yes	na	18.8
No	na	81.2
Age difference between respondent and last sexual partner (yrs.)‡		
0	9.6§	5.1
1–2	30.4	14.4
3–4	25.1	18.0
≥5	16.3	32.0
Does not know	18.7	30.5
AIDS-RELATED		
History of STI symptoms		
Yes	17.9	21.5
No	82.1	78.5
Has known someone with AIDS		
Yes	38.0	33.6
No	62.0	66.4
Ever used counseling/testing services		
Yes	3.4	1.7
No	96.6	96.3
Total	100.0	100.0

†Asked of never-married women only; refers to last sexual encounter. ‡Refers to how much older than his partner a male respondent was or how much younger than her partner a female respondent was. §Includes 3.7% whose partner was older than they were. Note: na=not applicable.