

TABLE 1. Selected characteristics of a sample of women who gave birth in Porto Alegre, Brazil, May–December 2002

Characteristic	%
Age	(N=608)
10–19	22.1
20–24	26.3
25–29	23.7
30–34	16.1
35–46	11.8
Income (in US\$)	(N=611)
1st tertile (<\$38.20)	34.4
2nd tertile (\$38.20–\$74.30)	32.1
3rd tertile (>\$74.30)	33.5
Education (in yrs.)	(N=611)
<5	13.8
5–7	32.0
≥8	54.2
Skin color	(N=611)
White	75.5
Nonwhite	24.5
Parity	(N=608)
1	39.5
2–3	41.1
≥4	19.4
Living with child's father	(N=609)
Yes	84.6
No	15.4
Satisfaction with relationship with child's father†	(N=455)
Mean	8.8 [1.5]
Planned pregnancy	(N=609)
Yes	36.1
No	63.9
Satisfied with pregnancy (prenatal)	(N=609)
Yes	73.4
No	26.6
Satisfied with pregnancy/child (postnatal)	(N=608)
Yes	97.5
No	2.5
Attempted abortion	(N=607)
Yes	4.1
No	95.9
Any prenatal care	(N=611)
Yes	95.7
No	4.3
Initiation of prenatal care (trimester)	(N=579)
1st	71.9
2nd	24.8
3rd	3.3
No. of prenatal care visits	(N=586)
<6	23.7
≥6	76.3
Prenatal care	(N=600)
Adequate	60.8
Partially inadequate	21.2
Inadequate	18.0

†Range, 0–10; higher scores indicate greater satisfaction with relationship.
 Notes: Data are percentages unless otherwise noted. Ns vary because of missing responses, because responses were limited to only those reporting any prenatal care, or both. Figure in brackets is standard deviation.