

TABLE 4. Selected sexual and reproductive health outcomes among women aged 16–44, by women's contraceptive use status, method type and pregnancy risk, Georgia Reproductive Health Survey, 1999 and 2005

Population/measure	1999	2005
ALL WOMEN		
Never had sex (%)	30.0	32.2
Pregnancy rate (per 1,000 women)	176	173
Pregnancies aborted (%)	61.9	58.4
Abortion rate (per 1,000 woman years)	115	101
CONTRACEPTIVE USERS		
All methods		
% using a method	25.4	29.4
Annual method failure rate*	0.158	0.14
% of contraceptive failures aborted†	89.5	89.1
Modern methods		
% using a modern method	12.4	16.7
Annual method failure rate*	0.104	0.071
% of contraceptive failures aborted†	89.0	89.7
Traditional methods		
% using a method	13.0	12.7
Annual method failure rate*	0.103	0.157
% of contraceptive failures aborted†	92.1	90.2
CONTRACEPTIVE NONUSERS		
High risk of unintended pregnancy‡		
% of women	16.2	11.1
Pregnancy rate	0.480	0.479
% of pregnancies aborted†	82.5	80.9
Low risk of unintended pregnancy§		
% of women	17.4	17.3
Pregnancy rate	0.045	0.051
% of pregnancies aborted†	74.6	66.0
No risk of unintended pregnancy¶		
% of women	11.0	10.1
Pregnancy rate	0.659	0.888
% of pregnancies aborted†	11.5	16.7

*Proportion of pregnancies resulting from method failure or following discontinuation with continued exposure to the risk of unintended pregnancy.

†Abortion propensities are based on the preceding year's experience to permit sufficient time for a pregnancy conceived late in the year to be aborted.

‡Includes women who were unintentionally pregnant and postpartum women who had had an unintentional pregnancy. §Includes women who had not had sex in the past month. ¶Includes women who were seeking pregnancy, those who were intentionally pregnant and postpartum women who had had an intended pregnancy. Notes: All data refer to the 12 months prior to the survey: November 1998–October 1999 for the 1999 survey and March 2004–February 2005 for the 2005 survey.