

TABLE 6. Estimated odds ratios (and standard errors) from binary logistic regression models of associations between selected measures and progression to next parity, according to parity

Measure	Parity 1 (N=33,245)	Parity 2 (N=31,165)	Parity 3 (N=23,414)	Parity 4 (N=15,391)
No. of sons				
0	1.40 (0.07)**	3.48 (0.16)**	4.51 (0.32)**	3.35 (0.37)**
1	1.00 (ref)	1.30 (0.05)**	1.52 (0.08)**	1.28 (0.10)**
2	na	1.00 (ref)	0.78 (0.04)**	0.66 (0.05)**
3	na	na	1.00 (ref)	0.63 (0.05)**
4	na	na	na	1.00 (ref)
Had a child who died				
Yes	1.24 (0.15)†	2.71 (0.15)**	2.59 (0.10)**	1.77 (0.07)**
No (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Age (yrs.)				
	1.05 (0.01)**	1.07 (0.00)**	1.057 (0.00)**	1.04 (0.01)**
Woman's education				
None (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Primary	0.96 (0.09)	0.67 (0.03)**	0.70 (0.03)**	0.77 (0.04)**
Secondary	0.50 (0.04)**	0.34 (0.02)**	0.45 (0.02)**	0.63 (0.04)**
>secondary	0.21 (0.02)**	0.10 (0.01)**	0.16 (0.02)**	0.24 (0.05)**
Woman has occupation				
Yes	0.96 (0.05)	1.09 (0.04)**	1.06 (0.04)†	1.02 (0.04)
No (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Media exposure index score				
	0.93 (0.01)**	0.94 (0.01)**	0.92 (0.01)**	0.90 (0.01)**
Husband's education				
None (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Primary	1.24 (0.13)*	0.92 (0.05)	0.96 (0.05)	0.85 (0.05)**
Secondary	1.10 (0.10)	0.83 (0.04)**	0.81 (0.04)**	0.75 (0.04)**
>secondary	0.95 (0.11)	0.62 (0.04)**	0.70 (0.05)**	0.69 (0.06)**
Husband has occupation				
Yes	1.53 (0.20)**	1.20 (0.11)*	1.03 (0.10)	0.83 (0.09)†
No (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Standard of living				
Low (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Medium	1.09 (0.11)	1.04 (0.06)	0.91 (0.05)**	0.82 (0.04)**
High	0.99 (0.10)	0.76 (0.04)**	0.70 (0.04)**	0.64 (0.04)**
Religion				
Hindu (ref)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Muslim	1.93 (0.19)**	2.79 (0.16)**	3.37 (0.18)**	2.67 (0.15)**
Other	1.22 (0.09)*	1.17 (0.06)**	1.46 (0.08)**	1.57 (0.10)**

*p<.05. **p<.01. †p<.10. Notes: All models control for age gap with husband, residence and region. na=not applicable.