**Table 5. Percentage distribution of men aged 22–30 who fathered a child in 1988, by selected characteristics, according to age of mother (unweighted N=5,040)**

| Characteristic | Mother's age† | |
|---|---|---|
| | 15–17 | ≥18 |
| **High school degree** | | |
| Yes | 72.4 | 81.7* |
| No | 27.6 | 18.3 |
| **Employed in year before delivery** | | |
| Yes | 90.1 | 93.3 |
| No | 9.9 | 6.7 |
| **Occupation‡** | | |
| Professional/managerial | 24.4 | 32.1* |
| Service sector | 18.9 | 9.7 |
| Other | 56.7 | 58.2 |
| **Race** | | |
| Black | 34.7 | 16.3*** |
| Hispanic | 27.0 | 13.8 |
| Other | 38.4 | 69.9 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 |

*p≤.05. ***p≤.001. †Overall, 1.8% of men aged 22–30 fathering a child in 1988 had a partner aged 15–17, and 98.2% had a partner who was 18 or older. ‡Among those employed the year before the delivery.