

Table 3. Selected means and percentages for characteristics at pretest of study participants who were surveyed at pretest, posttest and one-year follow-up, by sex

Characteristic	Female			Male		
	Interven- tion (N=103)	Compar- ison (N=107)	p	Interven- tion (N=22)	Compar- ison (N=80)	p
Mean age	12.8	12.9	.817	13.1	12.9	.292
Mean grade	7.3	7.4	.301	7.3	7.4	.852
% black/Caribbean	70.3	62.7	.267	64.7	68.0	.796
% Hispanic/Latino	19.8	23.5	.531	17.6	26.7	.444
% multiethnic/other	9.9	13.8	.696	17.6	5.3	.181
% who repeated a grade	18.4	7.5	.020	27.3	13.9	.213
% who cut class at least once in last month	18.6	15.8	.602	27.2	15.2	.194
Mean depression score*	11.27	10.24	.009	10.33	10.25	.996
% who live in two-parent household	45.3	39.4	.257	44.4	50.0	.539
% who live in a household where English is spoken about half of the time or less	24.5	25.2	.429	5.9	25.0	.017
% who report having been slapped, punched or kicked by a parent/guardian	25.4	9.9	.017	12.5	17.0	.673
% who used cigarettes in past 30 days	16.8	11.5	.269	5.0	5.1	.982
% who used alcohol in past 30 days	18.4	11.5	.177	10.0	11.4	.861
% who used marijuana in past 30 days	3.0	4.7	.545	9.5	6.4	.625
% who have been touched sexually when it was not desired	21.4	6.5	.002	0.0	3.8	.358
% who have been forced to have sex	8.7	2.8	.064	0.0	1.3	.600
% who report they will definitely/probably have sex in the next 6 months	18.0	19.8	.742	44.5	42.7	.893
% who were sexually active at pretest	10.8	8.5	.577	31.8	20.1	.296
% who have ever been pregnant or have ever caused a pregnancy	0.0	0.0	1.000	0.0	1.3	.384
% who report that a few/most/all of their friends have had sex	63.0	58.1	.462	65.0	49.4	.216
% who report that at least one friend who has been pregnant or has ever caused a pregnancy	44.6	43.3	.841	33.4	32.9	.970

*The mean depression score is based on a scale of six items, with possible scores ranging from 6 to 18.