

Table 1 Prevalence of ever-use of contraceptive methods among ever-married women in the southern region of Jordan (n = 807)

Contraceptive method	Using contraceptive		Knowledge about side-effects	
	No.	%	No.	%
Oral contraceptive pill	285	35.3	296	36.7
IUD	225	27.9	268	33.2
Withdrawal	176	21.8	141	17.5
Male condom	97	12.0	185	22.9
Injection	92	11.4	133	16.5
Female sterilization	38	4.7	29	3.6
Calendar method	27	3.3	36	4.5
Lactation amenorrhea method	21	2.6	25	3.1
Female condom	9	1.1	6	0.7
Implantation	8	1.0	17	2.1
Foam	8	1.0	8	1.0
Male sterilization	4	0.5	14	1.7

IUD = intrauterine device.