Table 2 Bivariate analysis for predictors of physical inactivity

| Predictor | Total | Physically inactive |  | OR (95\% CI) |
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|  | No. | No. | \% |  |
| Age (years) |  |  |  |  |
| < 20 | 1019 | 584 | 57.3 | Ref. |
| 20+ | 238 | 145 | 60.9 | 1.16 (0.870-1.55) |
| Sex |  |  |  |  |
| Male | 426 | 240 | 56.3 | Ref. |
| Female | 831 | 489 | 58.8 | 1.11 (0.87-1.40) |
| College |  |  |  |  |
| Dentistry | 195 | 77 | 39.5 | Ref. |
| Medical | 644 | 416 | 64.6 | 2.80 (2.01-3.89) |
| Pharmacy | 174 | 102 | 58.6 | 2.17 (1.43-3.29) |
| Applied Sciences | 182 | 102 | 56.0 | 1.95 (1.30-2.94) |
| Nursing | 62 | 32 | 51.6 | 1.63 (0.92-2.91) |
| Level |  |  |  |  |
| 3-4 | 291 | 158 | 54.3 | Ref. |
| 5-6 | 339 | 196 | 57.8 | 0.81 (0.46-1.44) |
| 7-8 | 389 | 230 | 59.1 | 0.94 (0.54-1.65) |
| 9-10 | 179 | 110 | 61.5 | 0.99 (0.57-1.73) |
| 11-12 | 59 | 35 | 59.3 | 1.09 (0.67-1.99) |
| Father's education |  |  |  |  |
| Below secondary | 513 | 309 | 60.2 | 1.24 (0.97-1.60) |
| Secondary | 232 | 139 | 59.9 | 1.23 (0.90-1.68) |
| Above secondary | 512 | 281 | 54.9 | Ref. |
| Mother's education |  |  |  |  |
| Below secondary | 824 | 473 | 57.4 | 0.96 (0.72-1.30) |
| Secondary | 203 | 122 | 60.1 | 1.08 (0.73-1.58) |
| Above secondary | 230 | 134 | 58.3 | Ref. |

## Father's work

Professional/semiprofessional
$523 \quad 306 \quad 58$.
58.5

Ref.
Military/police $396 \quad 233 \quad 58.8 \quad 1.01$ (0.78-1.32)

| Other | 96 | 49 | 51.0 | $0.74(0.48-1.14)$ |
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Died/retired/not working $242141 \quad 58.3 \quad 0.99$ (0.73-1.35)
Mother's work

| Housewife | 943 | 556 | 59.0 | 1.17 (0.90-1.51) |
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| Working outside home | 314 | 173 | 55.1 | Ref. |

Income

| Able to save | 509 | 297 | 58.3 | Ref. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Sufficient | 649 | 372 | 57.3 | $0.96(0.76-1.21)$ |
| Insufficient | 99 | 60 | 60.6 | $1.01(0.71-1.70)$ |

Family size

| $<6$ | 460 | 284 | 61.7 | $1.48(0.98-2.23)$ |
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| $6-12$ | 682 | 385 | 56.5 | $1.19(0.80-1.77)$ |
| $>12$ | 115 | 60 | 52.2 | Ref. |


| Sports club membership |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Yes | 33 | 9 | 27.3 | Ref. |
| No | 1224 | 720 | 58.8 | $3.81(1.77-8.26)$ |

$O R=$ odds ratio; $C I=$ confidence interval; Ref. = reference group .

