

Table 1 Characteristics of the study participants

Variable	Physicians (<i>n</i> = 110)		Nurses (<i>n</i> = 151)		Housekeepers (<i>n</i> = 89)	
<i>Age (years)</i>						
Mean (SD)	25.8 (1.5)		31.2 (9.7)		40.6 (5.6)	
Range	21–31		20–59		23–55	
<i>Sex (no. %)</i>						
Male	60	54.5	0	0.0	56	62.9
Female	50	45.5	151	100.0	33	37.1
<i>Duration of work experience (years) (no. %)</i>						
< 2	43	39.1	55	36.4	23	25.8
≥ 2	67	60.9	96	63.6	66	74.2
<i>Received training on waste disposal at the hospital (no. %)</i>						
Yes	42	38.2	102	67.5	19	21.3
No	68	61.8	49	32.5	70	78.7

SD = standard deviation.