

**Table 4 Likely reusers of syringes**

	Likely non-reusers	Likely reusers	P
Likely reusers	62%	38%	
Age, yr, mean (SD)	38 (10.5)	40 (10.9)	0.385
<b>Physician or other, n (%)</b>			
MB BS	196 (62%)	120 (38%)	<0.001
Non-MB BS	98 (41%)	142 (59%)	0.009
<b>Sex of provider, n (%)</b>			
Male	232 (50%)	228 (50%)	1.000
Female	52 (64%)	29 (36%)	0.019
Years since last completed degree (SD)	21 (10.8)	24 (8.8)	0.807
Years in practice (SD)	10 (18.0)	10 (9.5)	0.204
<b>District</b>			
Tando Allah Yar, n (%)	143 (54%)	122 (46%)	0.196
Rawalpindi, n (%)	151 (52%)	140 (48%)	0.489
<b>Location</b>			
Urban, n (%)	163 (55%)	135 (45%)	0.088
Rural, n (%)	131 (51%)	127 (49%)	0.749
No. of patient examined yesterday, mean (SD)	19.4 (16.7)	28.4 (20.1)	<0.001
No. of injections given daily, mean (SD)	12.3 (9.8)	14.4 (8.9)	0.055
Fee per visit, US\$ (SD)	0.60 (0.79)	0.60 (0.69)	0.171
<b>Do you think injection is necessary for, n (%)</b>			
Fever	107 (54%)	91 (46%)	0.264
Influenza-like symptoms	72 (56%)	56 (44%)	0.182
Body aches	136 (53%)	122 (47%)	0.338
Diarrhoea	160 (54%)	136 (46%)	0.172