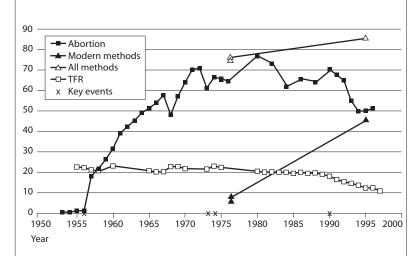
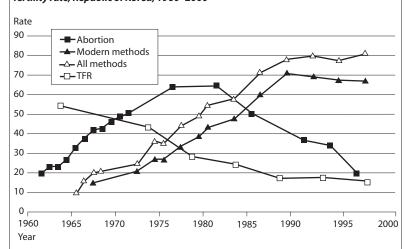
FIGURE 4. Trends in abortion rate, use of modern methods, use of all methods and total fertility rate, by year (with key events indicated), Bulgaria, 1950–2000



Notes: In this and subsequent figures, abortion rates are expressed per 1,000 women of reproductive age, contraceptive prevalence per 100 married women of reproductive age and, for ease of presentation, TFRs per 10 women. Key events: 1956—abortion on request; 1968—abortion restricted for childless women; 1973—restrictions tightened; 1974—restrictions relaxed somewhat; 1990—first-trimester abortions available on request. Modern methods were difficult to obtain before about 1975 (reference 18). Sources: Abortion—reference 17, reference 18; and Tietze C, 1979 (reference 19). Contraception—reference 18; United Nations, 1998 (reference 19).

FIGURE 5. Trends in abortion rate, use of modern methods, use of all methods and total fertility rate, Republic of Korea, 1960–2000



Sources: Abortion—reference 17; and Tietze C, 1979 (reference 19). Contraception—United Nations (UN), 1998 (reference 19). Total fertility rate—UN, 2003 (reference 20); and Ross JA, Mauldin WP and Miller VC, 1993 (reference 19).