TABLE 5. Percentage distribution of women obtaining abortions, by contraceptive use and method used in the month of conception, according to selected characteristics

Characteristic	Using				Not using	Total
	Any method	Pill	Male condom	Other		
All	**53.7**	**13.6**	**27.6**	**12.5**	**46.3**	**100.0**
Age						
<18	51.1	8.8*	35.3***	7.1***	48.9	100.0
18–19	49.6	12.1	28.2	9.4***	50.4	100.0
20–24	53.3	15.4***	27.5	10.3***	46.7	100.0
25–29	54.8	15.0**	26.5	13.3***	45.2	100.0
≥30 (ref)	55.9	12.0	26.1	17.9	44.1	100.0
Union status						
Married (ref)	56.4	13.3	25.6	17.5	43.6	100.0
Cohabiting†	53.4	16.9**	24.0	12.5***	46.6	100.0
Previously married‡	52.4	12.3	26.8	13.4**	47.6	100.0
Never-married	53.2	12.2	30.4**	10.5***	46.8	100.0
Poverty status§						
<100%	47.7	12.7***	25.1**	9.9***	52.3	100.0
100–199%	52.8	12.8***	27.7	12.3**	47.2	100.0
200–299%	54.8	13.2*	28.7	12.9*	45.2	100.0
≥300% (ref)	60.4	15.8	29.3	15.4	39.6	100.0
Race/ethnicity						
White (ref)	61.3	16.7	30.1	14.5	38.7	100.0
Black	48.1	11.4***	26.9*	9.8***	51.9	100.0
Hispanic	48.5	12.4***	23.3***	12.9	51.5	100.0
Other	49.6	9.0***	27.7	12.9	50.4	100.0
Education						
<H.S.	45.8	10.2***	26.2	9.4***	54.2	100.0
H.S. graduate	48.4	12.8	25.2**	10.5***	51.6	100.0
Some college	59.0	15.8	29.4	13.8***	41.0	100.0
College graduate (ref)	63.0	14.7	29.9	18.5	37.0	100.0
Fertility intentions						
Intend no (more) children (ref)	54.4	12.9	27.2	14.3	45.6	100.0
Intend (more) children	53.4	13.5	28.3	11.5**	46.6	100.0
Do not know	53.5	14.6	26.1	12.8	46.5	100.0

*p<.05. **p<.01. ***p<.001. †Based on single women only. ‡Includes separated women. §Percentage of federal poverty level. *Note:* ref=reference category.