

Table 5 Knowledge of university students in Lebanon regarding prevention of sexually transmitted disease (STD)

Variable	Boys (n = 505)		Girls (n = 905)	
	No.	%	No.	%
Knows about STD ^a	459	90.8	872	96.4
STDs prevented by:				
Intimate washing	67	13.3	149	16.5
Condoms	417	82.5	715	79.0
Spermicides	53	10.4	81	8.9
Coitus interruptus	38	7.6	60	6.6
Sexual intercourse without penetration	65	12.8	132	14.6
Do not know how to prevent ^a	33	6.6	125	13.8

^aSignificant at $P < 0.0001$.