

Table 3 Distribution of the studied women according to their obstetric history and outcome

Variable	Survived (n = 410)		Died (n = 38)		Total (n = 448)		P-value
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
<b>Gravidity</b>							
Primigravid <sup>a</sup>	149	94.9	8	5.1	157	100.0	0.06 <sup>2</sup>
2–4	199	88.4	26	11.6	225	100.0	
≥ 5	62	93.9	4	6.1	66	100.0	
<b>Parity</b>							
Nullipara	184	94.4	11	5.6	195	100.0	0.09 <sup>3</sup>
1–4	194	87.8	27	12.2	221	100.0	
≥ 5	32	100.0	0	0.0	32	100.0	
<b>Current inter-pregnancy interval (months)</b>							
< 12	21	72.4	8	27.6	29	100.0	0.017 <sup>4</sup>
12–59	153	89.5	18	10.5	171	100.0	
≥ 60	49	92.5	4	7.5	53	100.0	
Mean (SD)	34.8 (25.7)		26.6 (23.0)		33.8 (25.1)		0.026 <sup>5</sup>
Range	6–192		3–108		3–192		
<b>Previous caesarean delivery</b>							
Yes	127	92.0	11	8.0	138	100.0	0.036 <sup>6</sup>
No	96	83.5	19	16.5	115	100.0	
<b>Type of current delivery<sup>a</sup></b>							
Vaginal delivery	51	89.5	6	10.5	57	100.0	0.61 <sup>3</sup>
Caesarean section	287	91.7	26	8.3	313	100.0	
<b>Number of antenatal care visits</b>							
None	48	64.9	26	35.1	74	100.0	< 0.001 <sup>7</sup>
< 4	136	94.4	8	5.6	144	100.0	
≥ 4	226	98.3	4	1.7	230	100.0	

<sup>1</sup>Cases of abortion (n = 78) were excluded.

<sup>2</sup>Chi-squared = 5.56; <sup>3</sup>Fisher exact test; <sup>4</sup>chi-squared = 8.09; <sup>5</sup>Mann-Whitney Z = -2.22; <sup>6</sup>chi-squared = 4.39; <sup>7</sup>chi-squared = 82.78.

SD = standard deviation.