

Table 1 Rating of knowledge according to demographic characteristics of the study sample

Demographic characteristic	Good knowledge ¹		Poor knowledge ¹		<i>P</i> -value
	No.	%	No.	%	
Sex					0.095
Male	41	62.1	25	37.9	
Female	33	47.8	36	52.2	
Age (years)					0.001
26–35	31	41.9	43	58.1	
36–45	17	51.5	16	48.5	
46–55	22	91.7	2	8.3	
≥ 56	4	100.0	0	0	
Education²					0.001
Degree	67	91.9	6	8.1	
Diploma	3	4.8	59	95.2	
Profession					0.001
Doctor	64	91.4	6	8.6	
Other professions ³	10	15.4	55	84.6	
Total	74	54.8	61	45.2	

¹Good knowledge: respondent score ≥ 6 out of 10 questions; poor knowledge: respondent score < 6 out of 10.

²Degree: respondents working in PHC with 3–4 years of tertiary education; Diploma: respondents working in PHC with 1–2 years post high-school education.

³Other professions were: nurses, laboratory technicians and primary health care (PHC) managers.