

Table 3 Cross-tabulation of the blood pressure results among Saudi Arabian women aged 17–29 years, as defined by the JNC7 and 2017/ACC/AHA classifications

JNC7	2017/ACC/AHA								Total	
	Normal ^a		Elevated BP ^b		Stage 1 HTN		Stage 2 HTN ^d		No.	%
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Normal ^a	371	100	0	–	0	–	0	–	371	71.6
Prehypertension ^c	0	–	7	5.6	119	94.4	0	–	126	24.4
HTN ^d	0	–	0	–	0	–	21	100	21	4.0
Total	371	71.6	7	1.4	119	23.0	21	4.0	518	100

BP = blood pressure; HTN = hypertension.

Numbers in brackets were percentages within the subtotal under JNC7 or percentages within the total of 518 as appropriate.

^aBP < 120/80.

^bBP of 120–129/<80.

^cBP = 130–139/80–89 mmHg and not on treatment for hypertension.

^dBP ≥ 140/90 or on treatment for hypertension.

^eBP = 120–139/80–89.