\*\*Table S4\*\*. Characteristics of women surveyed by level of practices

|  | | **Practices regarding cervix cancer** | |  |
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| **Group** | **Characteristic** | **Incorrect**, (n = 141) | **Correct**, (n = 77) | **p-value**1 |
| Demographics | Age (years), Median (Q1, Q3) | 47.0 (35.0, 54.0) | 49.0 (42.0, 54.0) | 0.32 |
|  | Age (years), n (%) |  |  | 0.14 |
|  | < 38 | 39 (27.7%) | 13 (16.9%) |  |
|  | 38-50 | 47 (33.3%) | 34 (44.2%) |  |
|  | > 50 | 55 (39.0%) | 30 (39.0%) |  |
|  | Origin, n (%) |  |  | 0.82 |
|  | Urban | 71 (50.4%) | 40 (51.9%) |  |
|  | Rural | 70 (49.6%) | 37 (48.1%) |  |
|  | Ethnicity, n (%) |  |  | 0.50 |
|  | Mestizo | 103 (73.0%) | 60 (77.9%) |  |
|  | White | 29 (20.6%) | 11 (14.3%) |  |
|  | Other | 9 (6.4%) | 6 (7.8%) |  |
|  | Religion, n (%) |  |  | 0.29 |
|  | None | 2 (1.4%) | 4 (5.2%) |  |
|  | Catholic | 117 (83.0%) | 63 (81.8%) |  |
|  | Evangelical | 22 (15.6%) | 10 (13.0%) |  |
|  | Education level, n (%) |  |  | 0.26 |
|  | Primary or Secundary | 41 (29.1%) | 17 (22.1%) |  |
|  | Higher than Secondary | 100 (70.9%) | 60 (77.9%) |  |
|  | Marital status, n (%) |  |  | 0.16 |
|  | Married | 56 (39.7%) | 38 (49.4%) |  |
|  | Cohabiting | 42 (29.8%) | 26 (33.8%) |  |
|  | Single | 38 (27.0%) | 11 (14.3%) |  |
|  | Widowed | 5 (3.5%) | 2 (2.6%) |  |
|  | Occupation, n (%) |  |  | 0.92 |
|  | Student | 21 (14.9%) | 8 (10.4%) |  |
|  | Employed | 83 (58.9%) | 47 (61.0%) |  |
|  | Homemaker | 23 (16.3%) | 14 (18.2%) |  |
|  | Unemployed | 2 (1.4%) | 1 (1.3%) |  |
|  | Other | 12 (8.5%) | 7 (9.1%) |  |
|  | Partner's occupation, n (%) |  |  | **0.049** |
|  | Student | 12 (8.5%) | 2 (2.6%) |  |
|  | Employed | 87 (61.7%) | 61 (79.2%) |  |
|  | Unemployed | 3 (2.1%) | 1 (1.3%) |  |
|  | Other | 39 (27.7%) | 13 (16.9%) |  |
|  | Family history, n (%) | 29 (20.6%) | 14 (18.2%) | 0.67 |
| Reproductive and sexual | Age at first sexual intercourse, n (%) |  |  | **0.020** |
|  | 18 or younger | 54 (38.3%) | 24 (31.2%) |  |
|  | 19-21 | 68 (48.2%) | 50 (64.9%) |  |
|  | 22 or older | 19 (13.5%) | 3 (3.9%) |  |
|  | Number of sexual partners, n (%) |  |  | 0.41 |
|  | 0 or 1 | 28 (19.9%) | 9 (11.7%) |  |
|  | 2 | 64 (45.4%) | 42 (54.5%) |  |
|  | 3 | 33 (23.4%) | 17 (22.1%) |  |
|  | 4 or more | 16 (11.3%) | 9 (11.7%) |  |
|  | Number of children, n (%) |  |  | 0.058 |
|  | 0 | 23 (16.3%) | 7 (9.1%) |  |
|  | 1 | 23 (16.3%) | 20 (26.0%) |  |
|  | 2 | 51 (36.2%) | 19 (24.7%) |  |
|  | 3 or more | 44 (31.2%) | 31 (40.3%) |  |
|  | Contraceptive method, n (%) |  |  | 0.74 |
|  | Not using | 42 (29.8%) | 23 (29.9%) |  |
|  | Oral contraceptives | 26 (18.4%) | 16 (20.8%) |  |
|  | Injection | 55 (39.0%) | 29 (37.7%) |  |
|  | IUD | 9 (6.4%) | 7 (9.1%) |  |
|  | Subdermal implant | 9 (6.4%) | 2 (2.6%) |  |
|  | History of STIs, n (%) | 10 (7.1%) | 5 (6.5%) | 0.87 |
| 1Wilcoxon rank sum test; Pearson's Chi-squared test; Fisher's exact test | | | | |