

TABLE 3.13 REASON FOR VISITING A PRIVATE PRACTITIONER FIRST FOR DIARRHOEA TREATMENT- BY REGION AND PROVINCE

REGION AND REASON	PERCENTAGE OF RESPONSES - 2005-06 PSLM				
	PUNJAB	SINDH	NWFP	BALOCHISTAN	PAKISTAN
URBAN AREAS:					
No Govt. facility	7	3	8	0	6
Doctor available	10	27	19	39	15
Treat complications	2	17	14	13	7
Staff helpful	18	12	5	0	16
Near	48	34	41	24	44
Female staff	2	0	0	0	1
Timing suitable	8	6	5	12	7
Other	6	0	8	12	5
TOTAL :	100	100	100	100	100
RURAL AREAS:					
No Govt. facility	19	22	26	19	21
Doctor available	12	23	17	42	15
Treat complications	5	33	6	38	9
Staff helpful	16	6	4	0	12
Near	30	13	38	1	29
Female staff	1	0	1	0	1
Timing suitable	3	2	5	0	3
Other	13	1	3	0	10
TOTAL:	100	100	100	100	100
OVERALL:					
No Govt. facility	16	15	24	10	17
Doctor available	11	25	17	41	15
Treat complications	4	27	7	27	9
Staff helpful	17	8	4	0	13
Near	35	21	38	11	33
Female staff	1	0	1	0	1
Timing suitable	5	4	5	5	5
Other	11	1	4	5	8
TOTAL :	100	100	100	100	100

NOTES:

1. Diarrhea cases in which private health practitioner was consulted for the reason give expressed as a percentage of all diarrhea cases in which a private health practitioner was consulted.
2. Totals may not add to 100 due to rounding.