Table 2. Demographic characteristics of the sample (*n*=41)

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| **Demographic characteristics** | **Number / Proportion of the sample *n* (%)** |
| **Gender**  |  |
| Female | 32 (78.0%) |
| Male | 9 (22.0%) |
| **Age**  |  |
| 16-24 years | 12 (29.3%) |
| 25-34 years | 12 (29.3%) |
| 35-44 years | 8 (19.5%) |
| 45-54 years | 3 (7.3%) |
| 55-75 years | 6 (14.6%) |
| **Ethnicity**  |  |
| White  | 28 (68.3%) |
| Other  | 12 (29.3%) |
| Prefer not to answer | 1 (2.4%) |
| **Education**  |  |
| Secondary education | 8 (19.5%) |
| Further education | 3 (7.3%) |
| College or university | 30 (73.2%) |
| **Location** |  |
| Rural area or village | 16 (39.0%) |
| Large town or city | 25 (61.0%) |
| **Children under 18**Yes | 16 (39.0%) |
| No | 25 (61.0%) |
| **Perceive self to be at high risk of contracting flu**  |  |
| Yes | 14 (34.1%) |
| No | 27 (65.9%) |
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| **Regularly vaccinate for seasonal flu since A/H1N1** |  |
| Yes  | 8 (19.5%) |
| No | 33 (80.5%) |
| **Was vaccinated during A/H1N1 pandemic** |  |
| Yes | 5 (12.2%) |
| No | 33 (80.5%) |
| Can’t remember | 3 (7.3%) |
| **Took antivirals during A/H1N1 pandemic** |  |
| Yes | 4 (9.8%) |
| No | 32 (78.0%) |
| Can’t remember | 5 (12.2%) |