

**Table 4 Respondents' source of information about HIV/AIDS and their informational needs (n = 1760)**

| <b>Item</b>  | <b>No.</b> | <b>%</b> |
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| <i>Level of information about HIV/AIDS<sup>a</sup></i> |            |          |
| Excellent  | 244        | 13.9     |
| Good   | 538        | 30.6     |
| Average  | 638        | 36.3     |
| Low  | 214        | 12.2     |
| Very low   | 126        | 7.2      |
| <i>Source of information about HIV/AIDS</i>            |            |          |
| Television   | 958        | 50.4     |
| Newspapers   | 468        | 26.6     |
| Friends  | 262        | 14.9     |
| Books  | 182        | 10.3     |
| Radio  | 112        | 6.4      |
| Family   | 82         | 4.7      |
| <i>Information needs</i>                               |            |          |
| Transmission modes                                     | 722        | 41.1     |
| General information                                    | 632        | 35.9     |
| Prevention   | 574        | 32.6     |
| Other  | 60         | 3.4      |

<sup>a</sup>Participants' self-report.