

**Table 5 Willingness of female participants to instruct others in breast self-examination (BSE) if they knew the correct technique and reasons for their choice**

Would you instruct others in BSE? <sup>a</sup>	Occupation group			Total (N = 274)	P-value
	Administrative (N = 56)	Teaching (N = 23)	Student (N = 195)		
	No. (%)	No. (%)	No. (%)	No. (%)	
Yes	47 (83.9)	20 (87.0)	162 (83.1)	229 (83.6)	0.964
No	-	-	-	45 (16.4)	
<b>Why not<sup>b</sup></b>	(n = 9)	(n = 3)	(n = 33)	(n = 45)	
I'm not interested	0 (0.0)	2 (66.7)	9 (27.3)	11 (24.4)	0.048
I don't have time	2 (22.2)	0 (0.0)	15 (45.5)	17 (37.8)	0.251
Other	7 (77.8)	1 (33.3)	15 (45.5)	23 (51.1)	0.117

<sup>a</sup>If you knew the correct technique.

<sup>b</sup>Participants could give more than one reason.

N = total number of participants who answered the question.

n = number of participants who would not instruct other on BSE and answered the question on their reasons why not.