

## Mom Ate Less, No Money For Food

2011 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups	Population	No		Yes	
		%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,696</b>	<b>90.6</b>	<b>88.2 - 92.5</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>7.5 - 11.8</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	868	84.8	70.9 - 92.7	#	# - #
20-24 years	3,112	83.3	76.5 - 88.4	16.7	11.7 - 23.5
25-34 years	7,025	93.0	90.2 - 95.1	7.0	4.9 - 9.8
35+ years	1,691	95.1	89.9 - 97.7	#	# - #
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	11,943	90.8	88.4 - 92.7	9.2	7.3 - 11.6
Black	404	#	# - #	#	# - #
Other	330	89.0	61.1 - 97.7	#	# - #
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	12,474 <sup>^</sup>	90.6	88.2 - 92.5	9.5	7.5 - 11.8
Yes	207 <sup>^</sup>	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	1,304	83.2	69.8 - 91.4	#	# - #
High School	4,094	88.9	84.4 - 92.2	11.1	7.8 - 15.6
> High School	7,251	92.7	89.9 - 94.8	7.3	5.2 - 10.1
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	7,407	93.2	90.3 - 95.2	6.9	4.8 - 9.7
Not Married	5,289	86.7	82.4 - 90.1	13.3	9.9 - 17.7
<b>Income</b>					
\$14,999 or less	3,122 <sup>**</sup>	81.1	74.6 - 86.2	19.0	13.8 - 25.5
\$15,000-24,999	1,540 <sup>**</sup>	82.8	73.8 - 89.2	17.2	10.9 - 26.2
\$25,000-49,999	2,292 <sup>**</sup>	92.1	86.5 - 95.5	#	# - #
\$50,000 or more	4,084 <sup>**</sup>	98.8	96.6 - 99.6	#	# - #

Enrolled in WIC						
No	6,960**	95.3	92.8 - 96.9	4.7	3.1 - 7.2	
Yes	4,966**	83.9	79.3 - 87.7	16.1	12.3 - 20.7	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	5,455**	97.5	95.4 - 98.7	#	# - #	
Yes	6,510**	84.7	80.7 - 88.0	15.3	12.1 - 19.3	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	855	83.2	80.1 - 85.9	16.8	14.1 - 19.9	
2500 grams or more	11,831	91.0	88.5 - 93.1	9.0	7.0 - 11.5	

NOTES:

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.

Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

*Survey Question 40. During the 12 months before your baby was born, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money to buy food?*

\*\* Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2011 birth file.

# There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval