

During Pregnancy, Did You Have the Following Problem: Cervix Sewn Shut*

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups	Population	No		Yes	
		%	CI	%	CI
Total	12,692	97.9	96.2 - 99.9	2.1	1.1 - 3.8
Age					
<20 years	799	96.1	81.6 - 99.3	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
20-24 years	2,971	97.2	92.2 - 99.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
25-34 years	7,233	98.1	95.6 - 99.2	1.9	0.8 - 4.4
35+ years	1,689	99.8	99.2 - 100.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Mother's Race					
White	11,875	98.1	96.4 - 99.0	1.9	1.0 - 3.6
Black	414	87.0	49.7 - 97.8	#	# - #
Other	390	100.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Hispanic Origin					
No	12,481^	98.0	96.2 - 98.9	2.0	1.1 - 3.8
Yes	202^	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education					
< High School	1,225	93.5	80.4 - 98.1	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
High School	4,005	97.0	93.1 - 98.7	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
> High School	7,396	99.2	97.2 - 99.8	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Marital Status					
Married	7,403	98.3	96.1 - 99.2	1.7	0.8 - 3.9
Not Married	5,289	97.6	94.3 - 99.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Income					
\$14,999 or less	3,749**	96.0	91.1 - 98.2	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
\$15,000-24,999	1,942**	97.4	90.9 - 99.3	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
\$25,000-49,999	2,395**	98.0	92.4 - 99.5	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
\$50,000 or more	3,583**	99.9	99.7 - 100.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0

Enrolled in WIC						
No	6,668**	98.4	95.9 - 99.4	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	
Yes	5,439**	97.3	94.2 - 98.8	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	5,080**	100.0	99.8 - 100.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	
Yes	7,170**	96.5	93.6 - 98.1	3.5	1.9 - 6.4	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	848	95.8	93.1 - 97.5	4.2	2.5 - 6.9	
2500 grams or more	11,838	98.1	96.2 - 99.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	

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 34d: Did you have any of the following problems during your most recent pregnancy?*
Cervix had to be sewn shut (cerclage for incompetent cervix)

** 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 2012 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

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