

**During Pregnancy, Did You Have the Following Problem: Early Labor\***

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups	Population	No		Yes	
		%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,692</b>	<b>79.5</b>	<b>75.7 - 82.9</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>17.1 - 24.3</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	799	70.6	53.2 - 83.5	29.4	16.5 - 46.8
20-24 years	2,971	72.4	63.8 - 79.6	27.6	20.4 - 36.3
25-34 years	7,233	82.8	78.0 - 86.8	17.2	13.2 - 22.0
35+ years	1,689	84.4	72.8 - 91.6	15.6	8.4 - 27.2
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	11,875	79.4	75.5 - 82.8	20.6	17.2 - 24.5
Black	414	82.8	50.6 - 95.8	#	# - #
Other	390	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	12,481^	80.0	76.2 - 83.3	20.0	16.7 - 23.8
Yes	202^	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	1,225	69.8	54.6 - 81.6	30.2	18.4 - 45.4
High School	4,005	75.1	67.8 - 81.2	24.9	18.8 - 32.2
> High School	7,396	84.1	79.5 - 87.9	15.9	12.2 - 20.5
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	7,403	86.1	81.8 - 89.5	13.9	10.5 - 18.2
Not Married	5,289	72.1	65.7 - 77.7	27.9	22.3 - 34.4
<b>Income</b>					
\$14,999 or less	3,749**	70.4	62.3 - 77.5	29.6	22.5 - 37.7
\$15,000-24,999	1,942**	71.1	60.0 - 80.1	28.9	19.9 - 40.0
\$25,000-49,999	2,395**	85.2	77.1 - 90.8	14.8	9.2 - 22.9
\$50,000 or more	3,583**	88.9	83.2 - 92.9	11.1	7.1 - 16.8

Enrolled in WIC						
No	6,668**	87.0	82.7 - 90.4	13.0	9.6 - 17.3	
Yes	5,439**	70.1	63.6 - 75.9	29.9	24.1 - 36.4	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	5,080**	90.5	86.2 - 93.5	9.5	6.5 - 13.8	
Yes	7,170**	71.7	66.1 - 76.7	28.3	23.3 - 33.9	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	848	56.9	51.6 - 62.1	43.1	37.9 - 48.4	
2500 grams or more	11,838	80.9	76.8 - 84.4	19.1	15.6 - 23.2	

**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 34g: Did you have any of the following problems during your most recent pregnancy?  
Labor pains more than 3 weeks before my baby was due (premature or early labor)*

\*\* 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