

**Number of Stresses Grouped**  
 (Among Women Reporting Any Stressful Events in the 12 months Before Birth)  
 2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups	Population	1-2 stresses				3-5 stresses				6-18 stresses			
		%	CI			%	CI			%	CI		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,692</b>	<b>55.0</b>	<b>49.8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>32.4</b>	<b>27.8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>37.4</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16.7</b>
<b>Age</b>													
<20 years	799	35.1	20.4	-	53.4	53.5	36.1	-	70.1	0.0	0.0	-	0.0
20-24 years	2,971	48.1	38.6	-	57.7	34.6	26.2	-	44.2	17.4	11.1	-	26.1
25-34 years	7,233	59.3	52.1	-	66.1	29.8	23.8	-	36.7	10.9	7.1	-	16.4
35+ years	1,689	69.2	52.7	-	81.9	21.4	11.0	-	67.5	0.0	0.0	-	0.0
<b>Mother's Race</b>													
White	11,875	55.1	49.8	-	60.3	32.0	27.3	-	37.1	12.9	9.7	-	17.1
Black	414	#	#	-	#	#	#	-	#	#	#	-	#
Other	390	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0	0.0	0.0	-	0.0
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>													
No	12,481 <sup>^</sup>	54.4	49.2	-	59.5	32.7	28.1	-	37.8	12.9	9.7	-	16.9
Yes	202 <sup>^</sup>	#	#	-	#	#	#	-	#	#	#	-	#
<b>Education</b>													
< High School	1,225	43.8	29.3	-	59.5	37.2	23.9	-	52.8	19.0	9.4	-	34.4
High School	4,005	45.6	37.0	-	54.5	40.0	31.7	-	48.9	14.4	9.2	-	21.9
> High School	7,396	64.1	57.2	-	70.5	25.7	20.1	-	32.1	10.2	6.6	-	15.6
<b>Marital Status</b>													
Married	7,403	70.9	64.0	-	77.0	24.0	18.4	-	30.7	5.1	2.7	-	9.2
Not Married	5,289	41.6	34.6	-	48.9	39.4	32.6	-	46.6	19.0	13.9	-	25.5
<b>Income</b>													
\$14,999 or less	3,749 <sup>**</sup>	39.0	31.0	-	47.7	37.1	29.3	-	45.6	23.9	17.3	-	32.1
\$15,000-24,999	1,942 <sup>**</sup>	42.9	31.6	-	55.0	43.3	32.0	-	55.3	13.8	7.3	-	24.5
\$25,000-49,999	2,395 <sup>**</sup>	68.8	57.1	-	78.5	27.7	18.5	-	39.3	0.0	0.0	-	0.0
\$50,000 or more	3,583 <sup>**</sup>	82.6	73.0	-	89.3	17.4	10.7	-	27.1	0.0	0.0	-	0.0

Enrolled in WIC													
No	6,668**	67.9	60.6	-	74.5	24.9	19.1	-	31.8	7.2	4.0	-	12.5
Yes	5,439**	44.0	36.9	-	51.2	38.1	31.4	-	45.3	17.9	13.0	-	24.3
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid													
No	5,080**	75.5	67.1	-	82.3	23.6	17.0	-	31.9	0.0	0.0	-	0.0
Yes	7,170**	45.3	39.1	-	51.7	36.5	30.6	-	42.7	18.2	13.7	-	23.7
Infant's birth weight													
<2500 grams	848	44.4	38.6	-	50.4	45.7	39.8	-	51.8	9.8	6.8	-	14.1
2500 grams or more	11,838	55.6	50.1	-	61.0	31.5	26.7	-	36.8	12.9	9.5	-	17.1

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.

*Recorded responses to survey question 46: Stressful things that may have happened during the 12 months before the baby was born*

\*\* 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