

### Birth Control Now - Abstinence

(Those that are using birth control)

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

		No		Yes	
Demographic Groups	Population	%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>9,770**</b>	<b>92.8</b>	<b>90.2 - 94.7</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>5.3 - 9.8</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	706**	92.6	77.2 - 97.9	#	# - #
20-24 years	2,178**	94.0	87.8 - 97.2	6.0	2.8 - 12.2
25-34 years	5,553**	92.2	88.6 - 94.7	7.8	5.3 - 11.4
35+ years	1,334**	93.1	85.3 - 96.9	#	# - #
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	9,141**	92.7	90.0 - 94.7	7.3	5.3 - 10.0
Black	226**	100.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
Other	213**	91.8	60.0 - 98.8	#	# - #
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	9,688**	92.7	90.2 - 94.6	7.3	5.4 - 9.9
Yes	82**	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	783**	96.5	83.1 - 99.3	#	# - #
High School	2,734**	94.7	89.2 - 97.5	#	# - #
> High School	6,247**	91.5	88.1 - 93.9	8.6	6.1 - 11.9
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	5,441**	92.8	89.5 - 95.1	7.2	4.9 - 10.5
Not Married	4,268**	92.6	88.1 - 95.5	7.4	4.5 - 11.9
<b>Income</b>					
\$0 to \$15,000	2,231**	90.8	83.5 - 95.1	9.2	4.9 - 16.5
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,482**	96.6	89.9 - 98.9	#	# - #
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,481**	90.1	83.9 - 94.1	9.9	5.9 - 16.1
More than \$52,000	3,303**	93.9	89.7 - 96.4	6.1	3.6 - 10.3

<b>Enrolled in WIC</b>						
<b>No</b>	5,998**	92.5	89.2 - 94.9	7.5	5.2 - 10.8	
<b>Yes</b>	3,735**	93.1	88.5 - 96.0	6.9	4.0 - 11.6	
<b>Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid</b>						
<b>No</b>	4,759**	91.4	87.5 - 94.2	8.6	5.9 - 12.5	
<b>Yes</b>	5,010**	94.1	90.4 - 96.4	5.9	3.6 - 9.7	
<b>Infant's birth weight</b>						
<b>&lt;2500 grams</b>	661**	93.9	91.4 - 95.7	6.2	4.4 - 8.6	
<b>2500 grams or more</b>	9,109**	92.7	90.0 - 94.7	7.3	5.3 - 10.1	

**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.

*Survey Question 77. What kind of birth control are you or your husband or partner using now to keep from getting pregnant?*

*k. Abstinence*

\*\* 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 2014 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