

Hospital Staff Taught Breastfeeding

(Mothers currently breastfeeding)

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No			Yes		
		Population	%	CI	%	CI	
Total		10,474**	16.9	14.0 - 20.2	83.1	79.8 - 86.0	
Age							
	<20 years	456**	#	# - #	93.4	77.3 - 98.3	
	20-24 years	2,553**	23.3	16.2 - 32.3	76.7	67.8 - 83.8	
	25-34 years	5,941**	15.0	11.6 - 19.3	85.0	80.7 - 88.5	
	35+ years	1,525**	19.0	12.1 - 28.6	81.0	71.5 - 87.9	
Mother's Race							
	White	9,893**	16.9	13.9 - 20.4	83.1	79.6 - 86.1	
	Black	273**	#	# - #	75.6	48.1 - 91.2	
	Other	208**	#	# - #	99.0	95.3 - 99.8	
Hispanic Origin							
	No	10,331**	17.0	14.1 - 20.4	83.0	79.6 - 85.9	
	Yes	119**	#	# - #	#	# - #	
Education							
	< High School	300**	#	# - #	75.6	57.6 - 87.5	
	High School	2,744**	20.5	14.3 - 28.6	79.5	71.5 - 85.7	
	> High School	6046**	14.8	11.7 - 18.6	85.2	81.4 - 88.3	
Marital Status							
	Married	6,323**	17.0	13.5 - 21.2	83.0	78.8 - 86.5	
	Not Married	4,109**	16.8	12.2 - 22.9	83.2	77.2 - 87.8	
Income							
	\$0 to \$15,000	2,140**	16.6	10.5 - 25.2	83.4	74.8 - 89.5	
	\$15,001-\$26,000	1,714**	20.4	12.6 - 31.3	79.6	68.7 - 87.4	
	\$26,001-\$52,000	2,485**	19.9	14.0 - 27.5	80.1	72.5 - 86.0	
	More than \$52,000	3,727**	13.2	9.4 - 18.2	86.8	81.8 - 90.6	

Enrolled in WIC						
No	6,414**	15.2	12.0 - 19.2	84.8	80.8 - 88.1	
Yes	3,961**	20.2	14.9 - 26.9	79.8	73.1 - 85.2	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	5,365**	13.7	10.3 - 17.9	86.3	82.1 - 89.7	
Yes	5,109**	20.6	15.9 - 26.2	79.4	73.8 - 84.1	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	585**	13.2	10.4 - 16.5	86.8	83.5 - 89.6	
2500 grams or more	9,889**	17.1	14.0 - 20.7	82.9	79.3 - 86.0	

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 69c: Hospital staff helped me learn how to breastfeed

** 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

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