

## Breastfed Whenever Baby Wanted

(Mothers currently breastfeeding)

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,474**</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>7.3 - 11.8</b>	<b>90.7</b>	<b>88.3 - 92.7</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	456**	16.8	7.8 - 32.5	83.2	67.5 - 92.2
20-24 years	2,553**	16.2	10.6 - 24.1	83.8	75.9 - 89.4
25-34 years	5,941**	6.3	4.4 - 9.0	93.7	91.0 - 95.6
35+ years	1,525**	7.7	4.1 - 14.1	92.3	85.9 - 95.9
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	9,893**	9.5	7.4 - 12.1	90.5	87.9 - 92.6
Black	273**	#	# - #	98.1	94.1 - 99.4
Other	208**	#	# - #	89.5	62.1 - 97.8
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	10,331**	9.3	7.3 - 11.8	90.7	88.2 - 92.7
Yes	119**	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	300**	11.5	4.9 - 24.6	88.5	75.4 - 95.1
High School	2,744**	12.0	7.7 - 18.4	88.0	81.6 - 92.3
> High School	6046**	8.1	6.0 - 10.9	91.9	89.1 - 94.1
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	6,323**	7.5	5.4 - 10.3	92.5	89.8 - 94.6
Not Married	4,109**	11.9	8.3 - 16.7	88.2	83.3 - 91.7
<b>Income</b>					
\$0 to \$15,000	2,140**	16.8	10.9 - 25.1	83.2	74.9 - 89.1
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,714**	13.3	7.7 - 22.2	86.7	77.9 - 92.3
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,485**	7.7	4.6 - 12.5	92.3	87.5 - 95.4
More than \$52,000	3,727**	4.7	2.9 - 7.6	95.3	92.4 - 97.1

<b>Enrolled in WIC</b>						
<b>No</b>	6,414**	7.1	5.1 - 9.8	92.9	90.2 - 94.9	
<b>Yes</b>	3,961**	12.9	9.0 - 18.3	87.1	81.7 - 91.0	
<b>Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid</b>						
<b>No</b>	5,365**	6.5	4.5 - 9.4	93.5	90.6 - 95.5	
<b>Yes</b>	5,109**	12.5	9.1 - 16.9	87.5	83.1 - 90.9	
<b>Infant's birth weight</b>						
<b>&lt;2500 grams</b>	585**	38.2	33.9 - 42.8	61.8	57.2 - 66.1	
<b>2500 grams or more</b>	9,889**	7.4	5.4 - 10.1	92.6	89.9 - 94.6	

**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 69g: Hospital staff told me to breastfeed whenever my baby wanted*

\*\* 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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