

Scheduled Cesarean Before Birth*

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
Total	12,637	83.3	80.3 - 85.9	16.8	14.1 - 19.8
Age					
<20 years	653	88.3	74.9 - 95.0	#	# - #
20-24 years	2,756	85.2	78.0 - 90.3	14.8	9.7 - 22.0
25-34 years	7,344	83.5	79.5 - 86.8	16.5	13.2 - 20.5
35+ years	1,884	77.6	68.9 - 84.4	22.4	15.6 - 31.1
Mother's Race					
White	11,609	84.1	81.0 - 86.7	15.9	13.3 - 19.0
Black	421	70.3	45.7 - 86.9	#	# - #
Other	619	59.9	33.6 - 81.5	40.1	18.5 - 66.4
Hispanic Origin					
No	12,471**	83.5	80.5 - 86.1	16.5	13.9 - 19.5
Yes	189**	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education					
< High School	982	77.4	62.9 - 87.4	22.6	12.6 - 37.1
High School	3,581	81.7	75.3 - 86.7	18.3	13.3 - 24.7
> High School	8,021	84.6	81.0 - 87.6	15.4	12.4 - 19.0
Marital Status					
Married	7,484	82.0	78.1 - 85.3	18.0	14.7 - 21.9
Not Married	5,080	85.1	80.1 - 89.0	14.9	11.0 - 19.9
Income					
\$0 to \$15,000	2,788**	78.0	70.4 - 84.1	22.0	15.9 - 29.6
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,809**	85.3	76.6 - 91.2	14.7	8.8 - 23.4
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,950**	85.5	79.4 - 90.0	14.5	10.0 - 20.6
More than \$52,000	4,220**	84.1	79.2 - 88.0	15.9	12.0 - 20.9

Enrolled in WIC							
No	7,472**	83.8	80.1	-	87.0	16.2	13.1 - 19.9
Yes	4,572**	82.1	76.8	-	86.5	17.9	13.5 - 23.3
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid							
No	5,951**	82.9	78.7	-	86.5	17.1	13.5 - 21.3
Yes	6,154**	83.6	79.1	-	87.2	16.5	12.8 - 20.9
Infant's birth weight							
<2500 grams	947	76.0	72.3	-	79.3	24.1	20.8 - 27.7
2500 grams or more	11,701	83.8	80.5	-	86.5	16.2	13.5 - 19.5

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 55: Did you plan or schedule a cesarean delivery (c-section) at least one week before your new 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 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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