## Mother Had Teeth Cleaned Before Pregnant*

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

|  |  | No |  |  | Yes |  |  |  |
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| Demographic Groups | Population | \% | CI |  | \% | CI |  |  |
| Total | 12,637 | 48.2 | 44.4 | 52.0 | 51.8 | 48.0 | - | 55.6 |
| Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <20 years | 653 | 46.1 | 31.3 | 61.8 | 53.9 | 38.3 | - | 68.8 |
| 20-24 years | 2,756 | 65.3 | 56.8 | - 72.9 | 34.7 | 27.1 | - | 43.2 |
| 25-34 years | 7,344 | 44.4 | 39.5 | - 49.4 | 55.6 | 50.6 | - | 60.6 |
| 35+ years | 1,884 | 38.6 | 29.9 | - 48.1 | 61.4 | 51.9 | - | 70.1 |
| Mother's Race |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| White | 11,609 | 46.8 | 42.9 | - 50.8 | 53.2 | 49.2 | - | 57.1 |
| Black | 421 | 64.5 | 40.7 | - 82.8 | 35.5 | 17.2 | - | 59.3 |
| Other | 619 | 70.0 | 41.6 | - 88.4 | \# | \# | - | \# |
| Hispanic Origin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No | 12,471** | 47.9 | 44.0 | 51.7 | 52.2 | 48.3 | - | 56.0 |
| Yes | 189** | \# | \# | - \# | \# | \# | - | \# |
| Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| < High School | 982 | 64.9 | 49.7 | 77.6 | 35.1 | 22.5 | - | 50.3 |
| High School | 3,581 | 67.7 | 60.3 | - 74.3 | 32.3 | 25.7 | - | 39.7 |
| > High School | 8,021 | 37.8 | 33.4 | - 42.4 | 62.2 | 57.6 | - | 66.6 |
| Marital Status |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Married | 7,484 | 36.9 | 32.4 | 41.6 | 63.1 | 58.4 | - | 67.6 |
| Not Married | 5,080 | 62.2 | 55.9 | 68.1 | 37.8 | 31.9 | - | 44.1 |
| Income |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$0 to \$15,000 | 2,788** | 70.1 | 61.9 | 77.2 | 29.9 | 22.8 | - | 38.1 |
| \$15,001-\$26,000 | 1,809** | 63.0 | 52.6 | - 72.3 | 37.0 | 27.7 | - | 47.4 |
| \$26,001-\$52,000 | 2,950** | 56.5 | 48.7 | - 64.0 | 43.5 | 36.0 | - | 51.3 |
| More than \$52,000 | 4,220** | 20.2 | 15.7 | - 25.6 | 79.8 | 74.4 | - | 84.3 |


| Enrolled in WIC |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| No | 7,472** | 35.3 | 30.9 | - | 40.0 | 64.7 | 60.0 | - | 69.1 |
| Yes | 4,572** | 69.5 | 63.2 | - | 75.1 | 30.5 | 24.9 | - | 36.8 |
| Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No | 5,951** | 28.2 | 23.7 | - | 33.2 | 71.8 | 66.8 |  | 76.3 |
| Yes | 6,154** | 67.7 | 62.3 | - | 72.7 | 32.3 | 27.3 | - | 37.7 |
| Infant's birth weight |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| <2500 grams | 947 | 50.1 | 46.0 | - | 54.1 | 49.9 | 45.9 |  | 54.0 |
| 2500 grams or more | 11,701 | 48.1 | 44.0 | - | 52.1 | 52.0 | 47.9 | - | 56.0 |

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 7h: During the 12 months before you got pregnant with your new baby, did you have your teeth cleaned by a dentist or a dental hygienist?
** Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.
${ }^{\wedge}$ 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.
$\mathrm{Cl}=95 \%$ Confidence Interval

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