

Maternal Feelings Regarding Pregnancy*

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

		Later		Sooner		Then		Did Not Want		Wasn't Sure	
Demographic Groups	Population	%	CI	%	CI	%	CI	%	CI	%	CI
Total	12,637	22.2	19.1 - 25.6	12.9	10.6 - 15.6	43.8	40.0 - 47.6	5.6	4.0 - 7.7	15.6	13.0 - 18.7
Age											
<20 years	653	70.6	54.7 - 82.8	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	#	# - #	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	#	# - #
20-24 years	2,756	31.7	24.3 - 40.1	7.6	4.0 - 13.8	35.7	27.9 - 44.4	8.6	4.7 - 15.0	16.5	11.1 - 23.8
25-34 years	7,344	15.1	11.8 - 19.1	15.0	11.9 - 18.9	51.4	46.3 - 56.3	4.8	3.0 - 7.5	13.8	10.5 - 17.7
35+ years	1,884	13.5	8.1 - 21.6	18.0	11.9 - 26.2	41.0	32.2 - 50.4	#	# - #	20.9	14.0 - 29.9
Mother's Race											
White	11,609	21.6	18.5 - 25.1	12.4	10.1 - 15.2	44.7	40.8 - 48.6	5.7	4.1 - 8.0	15.6	12.9 - 18.8
Black	421	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #
Other	619	#	14.8 - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #
Hispanic Origin											
No	12,471**	22.3	19.2 - 25.7	12.6	10.3 - 15.3	43.8	40.0 - 47.6	5.6	4.0 - 7.8	15.7	13.1 - 18.8
Yes	189**	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education											
< High School	982	44.5	30.4 - 59.6	#	# - #	20.2	10.6 - 35.2	#	# - #	25.5	14.7 - 40.3
High School	3,581	22.6	16.9 - 29.5	8.1	4.9 - 13.2	38.2	31.2 - 45.7	10.2	6.4 - 15.8	20.9	15.4 - 27.8
>High School	8,021	19.5	16.0 - 23.5	15.4	12.4 - 18.9	48.9	44.3 - 53.5	4.1	2.6 - 6.6	12.2	9.4 - 15.7
Marital Status											
Married	7,484	15.9	12.7 - 19.8	17.9	14.5 - 21.9	52.7	47.9 - 57.4	2.8	1.6 - 4.9	10.7	8.1 - 14.1
Not Married	5,080	30.7	25.2 - 36.8	6.5	4.0 - 10.5	32.8	27.2 - 39.1	9.3	6.2 - 13.6	20.7	16.1 - 26.3
Income											
\$0 to \$15,000	2,788**	36.9	29.2 - 45.2	6.6	3.4 - 12.5	25.2	18.7 - 33.1	11.0	6.7 - 17.5	20.3	14.4 - 27.9
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,809**	17.7	11.1 - 26.9	7.9	3.9 - 15.4	37.0	27.7 - 47.4	8.5	4.1 - 16.6	28.9	20.3 - 39.4
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,950**	18.9	13.5 - 26.0	14.3	9.8 - 20.4	46.5	38.9 - 54.4	5.1	2.6 - 9.9	15.1	10.3 - 21.7
More than \$52,000	4,220**	16.3	12.2 - 21.4	18.5	14.3 - 23.7	55.6	49.5 - 64.6	#	# - #	8.1	5.3 - 12.2

Enrolled in WIC																						
	No	7,472**	17.0	13.7	-	21.0	16.0	12.9	-	19.7	52.3	47.5	-	57.0	3.8	2.3	-	6.1	11.0	8.3	-	14.4
	Yes	4,572**	30.1	24.5	-	36.4	7.9	5.0	-	12.2	29.8	24.3	-	36.0	8.7	5.6	-	13.2	23.6	18.5	-	29.6
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid																						
	No	5,951**	17.8	14.1	-	22.3	18.3	14.6	-	22.6	53.7	48.4	-	58.8	#	#	-	#	7.8	5.4	-	11.1
	Yes	6,154**	26.4	21.8	-	31.6	7.6	5.1	-	11.1	34.1	29.0	-	39.6	8.6	5.9	-	12.3	23.3	18.9	-	28.4
Infant's birth weight																						
	<2500 grams	947	23.6	20.3	-	27.3	10.7	8.5	-	13.4	39.4	35.5	-	43.4	6.0	4.3	-	8.4	20.3	17.1	-	23.9
	2500 grams or more	11,701	22.1	18.8	-	25.7	13.0	10.6	-	15.9	44.1	40.1	-	48.2	5.5	3.9	-	7.8	15.3	12.5	-	18.6

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 13: Thinking back to just before you got pregnant, how did you feel about becoming pregnant?

** 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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