

Took Birthing Classes*

2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
Total	12,637	73.1	69.6 - 76.4	26.9	23.6 - 30.4
Age					
<20 years	653	77.7	62.1 - 88.1	22.3	11.9 - 37.9
20-24 years	2,756	82.5	75.0 - 88.1	17.5	11.9 - 25.0
25-34 years	7,344	66.7	61.8 - 71.2	33.4	28.8 - 38.2
35+ years	1,884	81.1	72.7 - 87.5	18.9	12.6 - 27.3
Mother's Race					
White	11,609	72.5	68.9 - 75.9	27.5	24.1 - 31.1
Black	421	89.0	67.2 - 97.0	#	# - #
Other	619	64.0	37.4 - 84.1	#	# - #
Hispanic Origin					
No	12,471**	73.1	69.6 - 76.4	26.9	23.6 - 30.4
Yes	189**	#	# - #	#	# - #
Education					
< High School	982	95.7	86.1 - 98.8	#	# - #
High School	3,581	82.5	75.9 - 87.6	17.5	12.4 - 24.1
> High School	8,021	66.5	62.0 - 70.7	33.5	29.3 - 38.1
Marital Status					
Married	7,484	68.1	63.6 - 72.4	31.9	27.6 - 36.4
Not Married	5,080	79.7	74.1 - 84.4	20.3	15.6 - 25.9
Income					
\$0 to \$15,000	2,788**	85.9	79.0 - 90.9	14.1	9.1 - 21.0
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,809**	78.4	68.6 - 85.8	21.6	14.2 - 31.4
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,950**	78.3	71.2 - 84.1	21.7	15.9 - 28.8
More than \$52,000	4,220**	58.3	52.2 - 64.2	41.7	35.8 - 47.9

Enrolled in WIC							
No	7,472**	65.9	61.3	-	70.2	34.1	29.8 - 38.7
Yes	4,572**	84.9	79.6	-	89.0	15.1	11.0 - 20.4
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid							
No	5,951**	61.4	56.2	-	66.3	38.6	33.7 - 43.8
Yes	6,154**	84.6	80.1	-	88.3	15.4	11.7 - 20.0
Infant's birth weight							
<2500 grams	947	83.2	80.0	-	86.0	16.8	14.0 - 20.0
2500 grams or more	11,701	72.4	68.7	-	75.9	27.6	24.1 - 31.3

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 30: During your most recent pregnancy, did you take a class or classes to prepare for childbirth and learn what to expect during*

** 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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