

## During Pregnancy, Did You Have the Following Problem: Cervix Sewn Shut\*

*2014 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results*

Demographic Groups		No		Yes	
	Population	%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,637</b>	<b>98.1</b>	<b>96.7 - 98.9</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.2 - 3.3</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	653	96.7	83.2 - 99.4	#	# - #
20-24 years	2,756	98.7	94.9 - 99.7	#	# - #
25-34 years	7,344	98.1	96.3 - 99.0	1.9	1.0 - 3.8
35+ years	1,884	97.5	91.8 - 99.3	#	# - #
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	11,609	98.5	97.2 - 99.2	1.5	0.8 - 2.8
Black	421	91.4	63.5 - 98.5	#	# - #
Other	619	86.7	57.8 - 96.9	#	# - #
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	12,471**	98.1	96.7 - 98.9	1.9	1.1 - 3.3
Yes	189**	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	982	96.9	84.9 - 99.4	#	# - #
High School	3,581	98.3	95.3 - 99.4	#	# - #
> High School	8,021	98.1	96.3 - 99.0	1.9	1.0 - 3.7
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	7,484	98.8	97.3 - 99.4	1.2	0.6 - 2.7
Not Married	5,080	97.1	94.3 - 98.5	2.9	1.5 - 5.8
<b>Income</b>					
\$0 to \$15,000	2,788**	98.3	95.3 - 99.4	1.7	0.6 - 4.7
\$15,001-\$26,000	1,809**	99.4	98.8 - 99.7	#	# - #
\$26,001-\$52,000	2,950**	97.5	93.4 - 99.1	#	# - #
More than \$52,000	4,220**	98.1	95.3 - 99.3	#	# - #

<b>Enrolled in WIC</b>						
<b>No</b>	7,472**	98.3	96.6 - 99.2	1.7	0.8 - 3.4	
<b>Yes</b>	4,572**	97.6	94.7 - 98.9	2.4	1.1 - 5.3	
<b>Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid</b>						
<b>No</b>	5,951**	98.6	96.6 - 99.4	#	# - #	
<b>Yes</b>	6,154**	97.5	95.3 - 98.7	2.5	1.3 - 4.7	
<b>Infant's birth weight</b>						
<b>&lt;2500 grams</b>	947	94.5	92.3 - 96.1	5.5	4.0 - 7.7	
<b>2500 grams or more</b>	11,701	98.3	96.8 - 99.1	#	# - #	

**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 34d: Did you have any of the following problems during your most recent pregnancy?*

*Cervix had to be sewn shut (cerclage for incompetent cervix)*

\*\* 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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