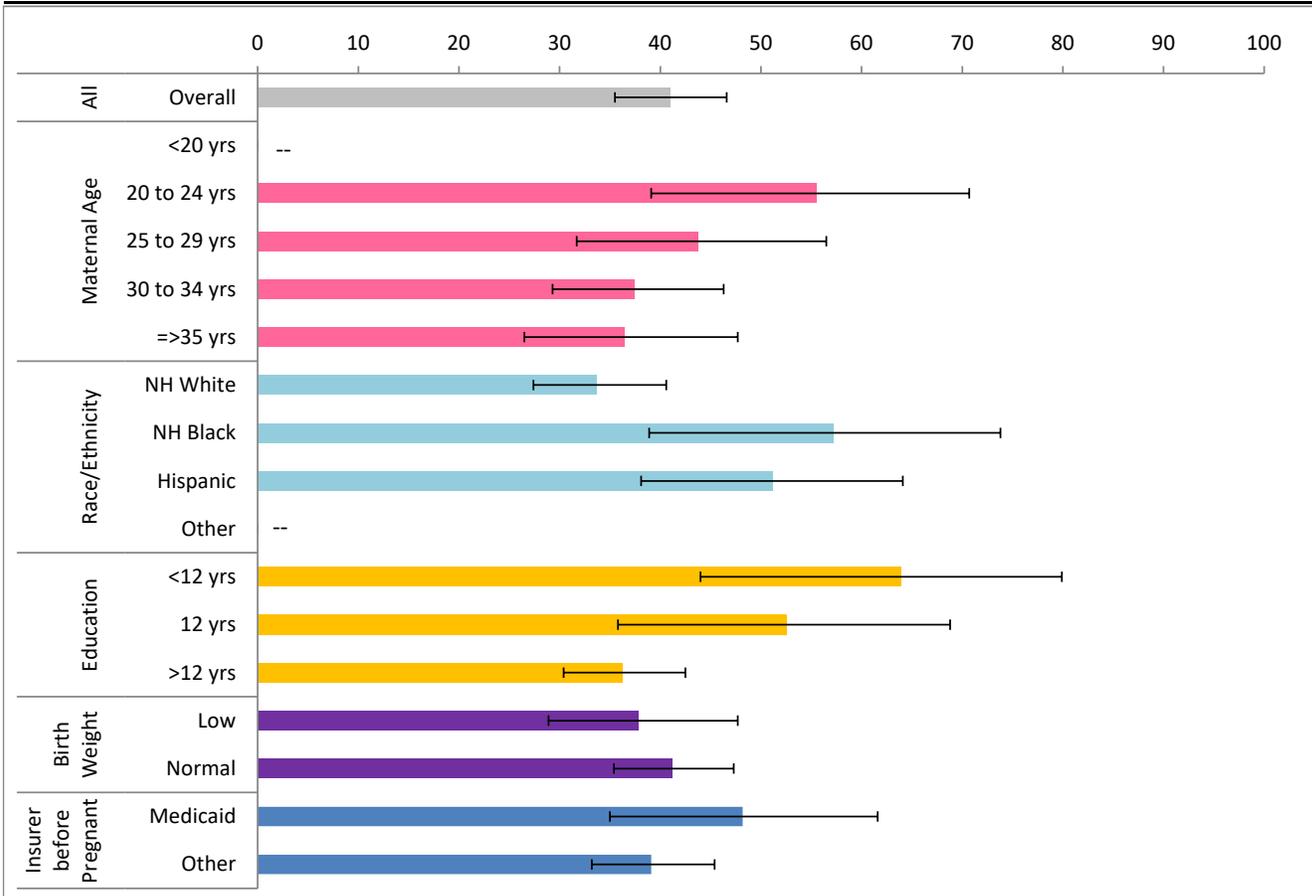


Health Behaviors

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported that during a health care visit a health care worker talked to them about visiting a dentist or dental hygienist in preparation for a pregnancy
 Among women reporting that before pregnancy a health care worker talked to them about preparing for pregnancy

Survey Question 11: Before you got pregnant with your new baby, did a doctor, nurse, or other health care worker talk with you about any of the things listed below about preparing for a pregnancy? 11b. Visiting a dentist or dental hygienist before pregnancy. Response: Yes



		Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
All	Overall	41.0	35.5	46.6	366	16,609
Maternal Age	<20 yrs	--	--	--	--	--
	20 to 24 yrs	55.5	39.1	70.7	44	2,995
	25 to 29 yrs	43.7	31.7	56.5	73	3,564
	30 to 34 yrs	37.4	29.3	46.3	148	6,106
	=>35 yrs	36.4	26.5	47.7	95	3,636
Race/Ethnicity	NH White	33.7	27.4	40.6	231	8,724
	NH Black	57.2	38.9	73.8	42	2,329
	Hispanic	51.2	38.1	64.1	66	4,177
	Other	--	--	--	--	--
Education	<12 yrs	63.9	44.0	79.9	31	2,631
	12 yrs	52.5	35.8	68.8	40	2,747
	>12 yrs	36.2	30.4	42.5	289	11,067
Birth Weight	Low	37.8	28.9	47.7	101	1,104
	Normal	41.2	35.4	47.3	265	15,505
Marital Status	Married	39.0	33.1	45.2	295	12,220
	Other	47.5	34.7	60.6	71	4,389
Insurer before Pregnant	Medicaid	48.2	35.0	61.6	66	3,939
	Other	39.1	33.2	45.4	300	12,670

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

²CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

-- Indicates denominator <30 respondents

³Respondents = The total number who responded to the survey question

⁴Estimated Population Affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers/infants with characteristic or condition