

Support

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois reporting the engagement and support of their husband/partner

Survey Question 77: When you new baby's father is with your baby, how often does he hug, kiss, hold, or play with the baby?

Response: Yes - Categories summed total 100%

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
Always	68.2	65.30	70.90	1,323	97,135
Often	20.0	17.70	22.60	1,323	28,559
Sometimes	5.4	4.20	6.90	1,323	7,689
Rarely	1.7	1.00	2.80	1,323	2,411
Never	2.3	1.60	3.50	1,323	3,347
My new baby's father doesn't regularly spend time with the baby	2.3	1.60	3.40	1,323	3,325

Survey Question 78: Since your new baby was born, how often does your husband or parnter provide you with encouragement and emotional support? Response: Yes - Categories summed total 100%

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
Always	62.2	59.2	65.0	1,359	89,849
Often	19.8	17.6	22.2	1,359	28,617
Sometimes	9.8	8.2	11.7	1,359	14,192
Rarely	3.5	2.5	4.8	1,359	5,053
Never	4.7	3.6	6.2	1,359	6,839

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

²CI = confidence interval

-- 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