Health Behaviors

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported that during a health care visit a health care worker talked to them about the following things 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? Response: Yes

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected4
The safety of using prescription or over-the-counter medicines during pregnancy	56.5	50.8	61.9	367	21,271
Getting my vaccines updated before pregnancy	48.9	43.3	54.5	367	18,417
How drinking alcohol during pregnancy can affect a baby	50.3	44.7	56.0	366	18,906
How smoking during pregnancy can affect a baby	48.9	43.3	54.5	366	18,365
How using illegal drugs during pregnancy can affect a baby	47.0	41.5	52.7	366	17,662
Visiting a dentist or dental hygienist before pregnancy	36.7	31.4	42.3	366	13,808
Getting counseling for any genetic diseases that run in my family	36.1	30.9	41.7	366	13,595
Getting counseling or treatment for depression or anxiety	24.4	19.9	29.6	366	9,173

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

 $^{^2}$ CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

⁻⁻ Indicates denominator <30 respondents or numerator <6 respondents

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

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