Infant Care

Percentage (%) of new mothers in Illinois who indicated their infants slept as indicated in each category

Survey Question 63: Listed below are some things that describe how your new baby usually sleeps. For each item, check No if it doesn't usually apply to your baby or Yes if it usually applies to your baby.

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²	Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected4
My new baby sleeps in a crib or portable crib.	88.2	86.3 - 89.9	1,318	129,991
My new baby sleeps on a firm or hard mattress.	84.8	82.7 - 86.8	1,255	123,572
My new baby sleeps with me or another person.	24.1	21.7 - 26.6	341	35,119
My new baby sleeps with bumper pads	15.6	13.7 - 17.8	215	22,673
My new baby sleeps with plush or thick blankets.	12.2	10.4 - 14.1	172	17,712
My new baby sleeps with pillows.	5.9	4.7 - 7.4	82	8,615
My new baby sleeps with an infant positioner.	3.8	2.9 - 5.0	60	5,552
My new baby sleeps with stuffed toys.	1.7	1.1 - 2.6	23	2,495

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage of Illinois mothers giving birth to live infants in 2015 who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

²CI = confidence interval -- Indicates denominator <30 respondents

³Respondents (N) = Total number of mothers who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

⁴Estimated Population Affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers giving birth in 2015 who would respond Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator