Prenatal Care

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported the following topics were discussed during prenatal care visits

Among women who received prenatal care

Survey Question 23: During any of your prenatal care visits, did a doctor, nurse, or other health care worker talk with you about any of the things listed below? Response: Yes

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected4
Medicines that are safe to take during my pregnancy	91.9	90.0	93.4	1,286	123,724
Doing tests to screen for birth defects or diseases that run in my family	91.0	89.2	92.6	1,286	122,624
The signs and symptoms of preterm labor (labor more than 3 week sbefore the baby is due)	85.1	82.9	87.1	1,285	114,482
Breastfeeding my baby	85.0	82.8	87.0	1,286	114,460
What to do if I feel depressed during my pregnancy or after my baby is born	75.8	73.1	78.2	1,284	101,761
How drinking alcohol during pregnancy could affect my baby	75.5	72.9	78.0	1,286	101,690
How smoking during pregnancy could affect my baby	73.0	70.2	75.5	1,285	98,245
How using illegal drugs could affect my baby	66.1	63.3	68.9	1,286	89,071
Using a seal belt during my pregnancy	59.2	56.3	62.1	1,286	79,719
Physical abuse to women by their husbands or partners	54.8	51.8	57.8	1,285	73,737

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

²CI = 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