## **Physical Abuse**

## Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported being physically abused before pregnancy

Survey Question 44: In the 12 months before you got pregnant with your new baby, did any of the following people push, hit, slap, kick, choke, or physically hurt you in any other way? Response: Yes

	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>		Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
Any abuse <sup>5</sup>	3.3	2.3	4.5	1,362	4,687
My husband or partner	1.6	1.0	2.6	1,361	2,352
My ex-husband or ex-partner	0.9	0.4	1.8	1,358	1,271
Another family member	0.5	0.2	1.2	1,361	771
Someone else	0.6	0.3	1.2	1,357	838

## Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported being physically abused during pregnancy

Survey Question 45: During your most recent pregnancy, did any of the following people push, hit, slap, kick, choke, or physically hurt you in any other way? Response: Yes

	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>		Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
Any abuse <sup>5</sup>	2.0	1.3	3.1	1,358	2,941
My husband or partner	1.0	0.5	1.8	1,357	1,382
My ex-husband or ex-partner	0.5	0.2	1.2	1,355	656
Another family member	0.5	0.2	1.2	1,358	744
Someone else	0.4	0.2	0.9	1,354	599

## Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported being threatened by husband or partner during the time periods indicated

**Survey Question 75**: During any of the following time periods, did your husband or partner threaten you, limit your activities against your will, or make you feel unsafe in any other way? Response: Yes

	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% Cl <sup>2</sup>		Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
During the 12 months before I got pregnant	2.2	1.4	3.3	1,346	3,126
During my most recent pregnancy	1.5	1.0	2.4	1,344	2,178
Since my new baby was born	1.4	0.8	2.3	1,345	2,004

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Percentage = Weighted percentage

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>CI = Confidence Intervals

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Respondents = The total number who responded to the survey question

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Estimated Population Affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers/infants with characteristic or condition

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Any Abuse = Combines 'Yes' responses reported for each person category

<sup>--</sup> Indicates denominator <30 respondents