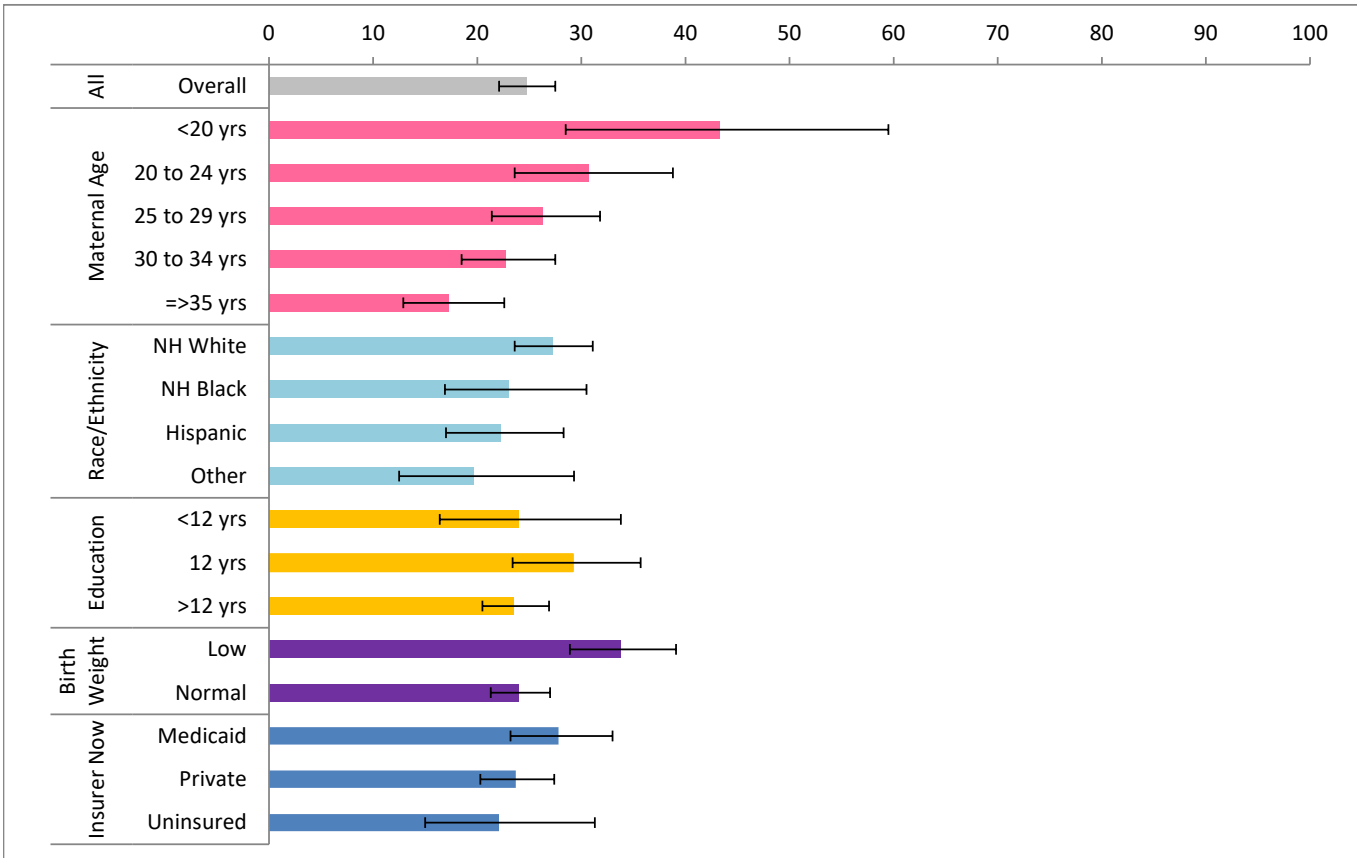


Mental Health

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported symptoms of depression after delivery

Question 69: Since your new baby was born, how often have you felt down, depressed, or hopeless? A. Always, B. Often, C. Sometimes, D. Rarely, E. Never. Responses A, B, and C were combined to identify those mothers with self-reported depression after pregnancy.



	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>		Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>	
<b>All</b>	Overall	24.7	22.1	27.5	1,215	32,151
<b>Maternal Age</b>	<20 yrs	43.3	28.5	59.5	45	2,072
	20 to 24 yrs	30.7	23.6	38.8	184	7,468
	25 to 29 yrs	26.3	21.4	31.8	326	8,862
	30 to 34 yrs	22.7	18.5	27.5	388	9,180
	=>35 yrs	17.2	12.9	22.6	272	4,569
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	NH White	27.2	23.6	31.1	636	18,574
	NH Black	23.0	16.9	30.5	203	4,887
	Hispanic	22.2	17.0	28.3	261	6,414
	Other	19.6	12.5	29.3	104	1,964
<b>Education</b>	<12 yrs	24.0	16.4	33.8	123	3,103
	12 yrs	29.2	23.4	35.7	262	8,628
	>12 yrs	23.5	20.5	26.9	818	20,228
<b>Birth Weight</b>	Low	33.8	28.9	39.1	327	3,261
	Normal	24.0	21.3	27.0	888	28,890
<b>Marital Status</b>	Married	22.9	19.8	26.4	740	17,655
	Other	27.4	23.1	32.2	475	14,496
<b>Insurer Now</b>	Medicaid	27.8	23.2	33.0	420	12,285
	Private	23.7	20.3	27.4	658	16,586
	Uninsured	22.1	15.0	31.3	117	3,044

<sup>1</sup>Percentage = Weighted percentage

<sup>2</sup>CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

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

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

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