

Postpartum Care

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported the following reasons for not having a postpartum visit

Among women reporting they did not have a postpartum visit

Survey Question 66: Did any of these things keep you from having a postpartum checkup? Response: Yes

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
I had too many things going on	38.8	27.1	52.1	76	3,081
I felt fine and did not think I needed to have a visit	26.2	16.4	39.0	76	2,078
I didn't have health insurance to cover the cost of the visit	17.7	9.8	29.6	76	1,400
I couldn't get an appointment when I wanted one	17.0	8.7	30.5	76	1,348
I didn't have any transportation to get to the clinic or doctor's office	16.4	8.8	28.4	76	1,297
I couldn't take time off from work	--	--	--	--	--

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