

Mental Health

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

Survey Question 69: Since your new baby was born, how often have you felt down, depressed or hopeless? Response: Yes - Categories summed total 100%

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
Always	0.7	0.30	1.50	1,209	999
Often	4.1	3.00	5.50	1,209	5,716
Sometimes	18.1	15.90	20.70	1,209	25,350
Rarely	29.3	26.60	32.20	1,209	40,967
Never	47.8	44.60	50.90	1,209	66,781

Survey Question 70: Since your new baby was born, how often have you had little interest or little pleasure in doing things you usually enjoyed? Response: Yes - Categories summed total 100%

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
Always	2.6	1.7	3.7	1,207	3,563
Often	3.8	2.8	5.1	1,207	5,270
Sometimes	14.8	12.7	17.1	1,207	20,604
Rarely	23.3	20.8	26.0	1,207	32,518
Never	55.6	52.5	58.7	1,207	77,693

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

²CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

-- Indicates denominator <30 respondents

³Respondents = The total number who responded to the survey question

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