

Mental Health

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported taking medication for depression

Among women who reported a diagnosis of postpartum depression

Survey Question 72: Since your new baby was born, have you taken prescription medicine for your depression?

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
No	45.0	36.3	54.0	147	6,788
Yes	55.0	46.0	63.7	147	8,294

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported receiving counseling for depression

Among women who reported a diagnosis of postpartum depression

Survey Question 73: Since your new baby was born, have you gotten counseling for your depression?

	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
No	64.5	55.6	72.5	147	9,728
Yes	35.5	27.5	44.4	147	5,354

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage²CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

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

³Respondents = The total number who responded to the survey question⁴Estimated Population Affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers/infants with characteristic or condition