

## Chapter 1. Prenatal Survey

**Table 1.1. Percent of pregnant women receiving prenatal care from each type of health care professional (HCP) by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | Obstetrician | Other physician | Midwife | Other HCP | No prenatal care from a HCP |
|------------------------------|-------|--------------|-----------------|---------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,889 | 82.2         | 10.2            | 11.9    | 1.7       | 0.6                         |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| 18-24                        | 1,370 | 76.9         | 13.0            | 13.9    | 2.8       | 0.9                         |
| 25-29                        | 1,579 | 82.1         | 9.7             | 12.3    | 1.5       | 0.4                         |
| 30-34                        | 1,216 | 85.4         | 8.1             | 10.8    | 1.3       | 0.4                         |
| 35+                          | 712   | 87.1         | 9.0             | 9.1     | 1.0       | 0.3                         |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| Primiparous                  | 1,516 | 82.2         | 10.2            | 12.2    | 2.0       | 0.5                         |
| Multiparous                  | 3,196 | 82.5         | 9.9             | 11.7    | 1.5       | 0.6                         |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| HS or less                   | 1,052 | 76.7         | 14.1            | 13.5    | 2.0       | 1.0                         |
| Some college                 | 1,754 | 82.2         | 10.2            | 12.5    | 1.7       | 0.6                         |
| College graduate             | 1,464 | 87.4         | 6.1             | 11.3    | 1.2       | 0.1                         |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| < 185%                       | 2,195 | 77.1         | 13.6            | 13.6    | 2.2       | 0.8                         |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,684 | 84.6         | 8.6             | 11.3    | 1.7       | 0.4                         |
| >=350%                       | 1,010 | 89.3         | 5.3             | 9.1     | 0.8       | 0.3                         |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| No                           | 3,248 | 84.4         | 8.3             | 11.1    | 1.3       | 0.5                         |
| Yes                          | 1,632 | 77.9         | 13.9            | 13.5    | 2.6       | 0.6                         |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| White                        | 3,856 | 82.4         | 10.0            | 12.1    | 1.6       | 0.4                         |
| Black                        | 298   | 79.2         | 13.1            | 10.7    | 4.0       | 2.0                         |
| Hispanic                     | 334   | 82.3         | 9.9             | 9.9     | 1.2       | 1.5                         |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |              |                 |         |           |                             |
| Northeast                    | 823   | 86.6         | 6.7             | 14.9    | 2.3       | 0.1                         |
| Midwest                      | 1,409 | 79.4         | 14.9            | 9.5     | 1.2       | 0.3                         |
| South                        | 1,696 | 85.9         | 6.5             | 11.3    | 1.8       | 0.7                         |
| West                         | 961   | 76.0         | 12.6            | 13.7    | 1.9       | 1.0                         |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P3A-E

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.2. Percent of pregnant women who went for their first prenatal visit at each gestational age to receive care from a health care professional (HCP) by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | <=4 weeks | 5 to 8 weeks | 9 to 12 weeks | 13 to 18 weeks | 19 to 24 weeks | >= 25 weeks | No care from a HCP | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|--------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,875 | 13.3      | 51.9         | 23.0          | 5.5            | 1.8            | 4.1         | 0.6                | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,373 | 12.6      | 46.2         | 24.0          | 8.7            | 2.6            | 5.0         | 0.9                | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,575 | 12.1      | 53.7         | 22.9          | 5.0            | 1.3            | 4.6         | 0.4                | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,211 | 13.7      | 53.8         | 24.7          | 3.5            | 1.3            | 2.6         | 0.4                | 100       |
| 35+                          | 705   | 16.3      | 55.5         | 18.6          | 3.7            | 2.1            | 3.5         | 0.3                | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,515 | 13.5      | 53.5         | 22.2          | 5.4            | 1.2            | 3.8         | 0.5                | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,180 | 13.1      | 51.2         | 23.5          | 5.4            | 2.1            | 4.2         | 0.6                | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,054 | 14.1      | 47.4         | 22.2          | 7.5            | 2.8            | 5.0         | 0.9                | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,750 | 12.0      | 52.9         | 22.9          | 5.5            | 2.1            | 4.1         | 0.6                | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,456 | 11.8      | 55.9         | 25.6          | 3.0            | 0.8            | 2.7         | 0.1                | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,193 | 13.5      | 46.9         | 23.5          | 7.6            | 2.8            | 4.9         | 0.8                | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,676 | 12.4      | 52.7         | 25.2          | 4.7            | 1.2            | 3.5         | 0.4                | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,006 | 14.2      | 61.3         | 18.2          | 2.1            | 0.5            | 3.4         | 0.3                | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| No                           | 3,235 | 12.8      | 54.3         | 22.8          | 4.6            | 1.5            | 3.5         | 0.5                | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,631 | 14.3      | 46.9         | 23.4          | 7.1            | 2.3            | 5.3         | 0.6                | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| White                        | 3,847 | 12.5      | 53.2         | 23.5          | 5.2            | 1.6            | 3.7         | 0.4                | 100       |
| Black                        | 296   | 14.5      | 49.3         | 19.3          | 7.4            | 2.4            | 5.1         | 2.0                | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 335   | 17.0      | 47.8         | 21.2          | 5.4            | 2.1            | 5.1         | 1.5                | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |           |              |               |                |                |             |                    |           |
| Northeast                    | 821   | 16.3      | 55.1         | 20.1          | 3.2            | 1.0            | 4.3         | 0.1                | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,405 | 11.5      | 52.3         | 25.8          | 5.2            | 1.1            | 3.8         | 0.3                | 100       |
| South                        | 1,697 | 14.0      | 51.6         | 21.0          | 5.7            | 2.7            | 4.2         | 0.7                | 100       |
| West                         | 952   | 11.9      | 48.9         | 24.7          | 7.4            | 1.9            | 4.2         | 1.1                | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P3E, P4

**Table 1.3. Percent of pregnant women covered by any kind of health insurance or any kind of health care plan by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,890    | 94.7       | 5.3       | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |            |           |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,377    | 93.6       | 6.4       | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,576    | 95.7       | 4.3       | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,215    | 95.2       | 4.8       | 100              |
| 35+                          | 710      | 93.9       | 6.1       | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,518    | 95.0       | 5.0       | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,191    | 94.8       | 5.2       | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |            |           |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,054    | 93.6       | 6.4       | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,753    | 94.7       | 5.3       | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,461    | 96.4       | 3.6       | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |            |           |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,196    | 94.6       | 5.4       | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,684    | 94.5       | 5.5       | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,010    | 95.4       | 4.6       | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |            |           |                  |
| No                           | 3,247    | 94.0       | 6.0       | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,634    | 96.1       | 3.9       | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |            |           |                  |
| White                        | 3,854    | 94.7       | 5.3       | 100              |
| Black                        | 298      | 94.6       | 5.4       | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 335      | 95.5       | 4.5       | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Northeast                    | 822      | 95.4       | 4.6       | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,409    | 94.7       | 5.3       | 100              |
| South                        | 1,699    | 95.2       | 4.8       | 100              |
| West                         | 960      | 93.2       | 6.8       | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P5

**Table 1.4. Percent of pregnant women having each category of prepregnancy body mass index (BMI) by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>**

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|                              | N     | <18.5 | 18.5 - 25.0 | 25.1 - 29.9 | 30.0 - 39.9 | 40.0 or more | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,826 | 5.3   | 47.5        | 23.6        | 18.6        | 5.1          | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,353 | 8.5   | 50.1        | 22.8        | 15.7        | 3.0          | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,558 | 4.9   | 47.7        | 22.7        | 19.6        | 5.1          | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,203 | 3.7   | 46.0        | 24.3        | 19.2        | 6.9          | 100       |
| 35+                          | 700   | 2.7   | 44.6        | 25.9        | 21.0        | 5.9          | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,499 | 6.0   | 51.7        | 20.9        | 17.4        | 3.9          | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,154 | 4.9   | 45.2        | 25.0        | 19.4        | 5.6          | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,043 | 5.9   | 44.4        | 22.6        | 21.2        | 5.8          | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,732 | 4.6   | 43.6        | 25.0        | 21.0        | 5.8          | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,448 | 3.7   | 52.8        | 23.7        | 16.1        | 3.8          | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,168 | 6.3   | 43.9        | 24.1        | 19.9        | 5.9          | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,657 | 4.8   | 48.6        | 23.3        | 18.3        | 4.9          | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,001 | 4.0   | 53.4        | 23.0        | 16.1        | 3.5          | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| No                           | 3,208 | 4.6   | 50.2        | 23.0        | 17.9        | 4.4          | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,610 | 6.8   | 42.2        | 24.7        | 19.8        | 6.5          | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| White                        | 3,815 | 5.2   | 47.2        | 23.4        | 19.3        | 4.9          | 100       |
| Black                        | 291   | 3.4   | 40.2        | 31.3        | 17.2        | 7.9          | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 327   | 4.9   | 47.7        | 25.7        | 17.1        | 4.6          | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |       |             |             |             |              |           |
| Northeast                    | 815   | 4.7   | 50.9        | 21.6        | 18.5        | 4.3          | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,390 | 5.3   | 46.6        | 23.2        | 18.8        | 6.0          | 100       |
| South                        | 1,675 | 5.7   | 45.7        | 25.6        | 18.1        | 4.8          | 100       |
| West                         | 946   | 5.0   | 48.9        | 22.3        | 19.0        | 4.8          | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P7, P8FT, P8IN

<sup>2</sup> BMI is calculated as the weight (P7) divided by height (P8FT & P8IN) squared after converting measurements to metric and using kg/m<sup>2</sup>

**Table 1.5. Percent of pregnant women smoking each number of cigarettes per day during pregnancy by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Non-smoker</b> | <b>1-9</b> | <b>10 - 19</b> | <b>20 or more</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|-------------------|------------|----------------|-------------------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,870    | 87.9              | 5.8        | 4.9            | 1.4               | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,364    | 81.6              | 10.4       | 6.2            | 1.8               | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,572    | 89.4              | 4.9        | 4.5            | 1.2               | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,214    | 91.4              | 3.3        | 4.4            | 1.0               | 100              |
| 35+                          | 709      | 91.0              | 3.2        | 4.2            | 1.6               | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,513    | 88.5              | 6.4        | 4.2            | 0.9               | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,177    | 88.1              | 5.1        | 5.1            | 1.6               | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,047    | 77.8              | 10.0       | 9.6            | 2.6               | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,751    | 87.5              | 5.8        | 5.5            | 1.2               | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,461    | 98.1              | 1.2        | 0.5            | 0.1               | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,186    | 81.9              | 8.4        | 7.5            | 2.2               | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,674    | 90.6              | 4.5        | 3.9            | 1.0               | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,010    | 96.4              | 2.3        | 1.1            | 0.2               | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| No                           | 3,241    | 92.1              | 3.9        | 3.1            | 0.9               | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,620    | 79.7              | 9.5        | 8.3            | 2.5               | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| White                        | 3,839    | 87.0              | 6.0        | 5.4            | 1.5               | 100              |
| Black                        | 299      | 93.6              | 5.4        | 0.7            | 0.3               | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 333      | 90.1              | 5.1        | 4.2            | 0.6               | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |                   |            |                |                   |                  |
| Northeast                    | 817      | 89.1              | 4.9        | 4.9            | 1.1               | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,402    | 86.3              | 6.5        | 5.6            | 1.6               | 100              |
| South                        | 1,693    | 86.2              | 6.6        | 5.4            | 1.8               | 100              |
| West                         | 958      | 92.3              | 4.2        | 2.9            | 0.6               | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P10

**Table 1.6. Percent of each number of people excluding mother herself smoking inside her house most days by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>1</b> | <b>2</b> | <b>3</b> | <b>4 or more</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,885    | 81.9     | 12.5     | 3.4      | 1.4      | 0.9              | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,374    | 69.0     | 17.5     | 7.7      | 3.3      | 2.4              | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,575    | 84.4     | 12.4     | 2.1      | 0.9      | 0.2              | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,212    | 90.5     | 7.9      | 1.0      | 0.3      | 0.2              | 100              |
| 35+                          | 712      | 86.7     | 10.7     | 1.8      | 0.3      | 0.6              | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,514    | 78.6     | 13.5     | 5.2      | 1.6      | 1.1              | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,191    | 84.1     | 11.7     | 2.4      | 1.1      | 0.6              | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,054    | 68.6     | 21.0     | 6.1      | 2.7      | 1.7              | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,751    | 84.5     | 12.6     | 2.3      | 0.5      | 0.2              | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,462    | 95.4     | 4.0      | 0.3      | 0.1      | 0.1              | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,196    | 72.8     | 17.3     | 5.8      | 2.4      | 1.6              | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,682    | 87.5     | 9.5      | 1.9      | 0.7      | 0.4              | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,007    | 92.3     | 7.0      | 0.6      | 0.1      | 0.1              | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| No                           | 3,243    | 88.7     | 9.0      | 1.6      | 0.4      | 0.4              | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,633    | 68.5     | 19.5     | 7.0      | 3.2      | 1.8              | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| White                        | 3,851    | 82.5     | 11.9     | 3.3      | 1.4      | 0.9              | 100              |
| Black                        | 300      | 75.7     | 16.3     | 6.3      | 0.7      | 1.0              | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 334      | 81.4     | 12.6     | 2.4      | 2.1      | 1.5              | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |          |          |          |          |                  |                  |
| Northeast                    | 820      | 83.8     | 11.8     | 2.7      | 1.0      | 0.7              | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,408    | 80.0     | 13.4     | 3.8      | 1.6      | 1.2              | 100              |
| South                        | 1,700    | 78.1     | 15.1     | 4.4      | 1.6      | 0.9              | 100              |
| West                         | 957      | 89.7     | 7.2      | 1.8      | 0.8      | 0.5              | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P11

**Table 1.7. Percent of pregnant women who had gestational diabetes with current pregnancy by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Don't Know</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|-----------|-------------------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,873    | 6.4        | 84.8      | 8.8               | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,370    | 3.9        | 84.7      | 11.5              | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,576    | 5.5        | 86.3      | 8.2               | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,210    | 6.9        | 86.3      | 6.9               | 100              |
| 35+                          | 705      | 12.3       | 79.6      | 8.1               | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,510    | 5.8        | 83.8      | 10.4              | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,183    | 6.7        | 85.4      | 7.9               | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,050    | 6.8        | 82.3      | 11.0              | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,744    | 6.1        | 85.3      | 8.6               | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,458    | 6.4        | 86.1      | 7.5               | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,188    | 5.9        | 84.6      | 9.5               | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,676    | 6.5        | 84.5      | 9.0               | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,009    | 7.1        | 85.9      | 6.9               | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| No                           | 3,237    | 6.1        | 85.9      | 8.0               | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,627    | 6.8        | 82.7      | 10.4              | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| White                        | 3,842    | 6.2        | 85.3      | 8.5               | 100              |
| Black                        | 299      | 4.3        | 86.0      | 9.7               | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 333      | 8.1        | 82.0      | 9.9               | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |            |           |                   |                  |
| Northeast                    | 820      | 5.5        | 87.6      | 7.0               | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,405    | 7.5        | 84.1      | 8.5               | 100              |
| South                        | 1,691    | 6.3        | 84.6      | 9.1               | 100              |
| West                         | 957      | 5.6        | 84.0      | 10.3              | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P12

**Table 1.8. Percent of pregnant women and other family members who had each health condition<sup>1,2</sup>**

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|   | <b>N</b> | <b>Baby's mother</b> | <b>Baby's father</b> | <b>Baby's brother or sister</b> | <b>Baby's grandparents, aunts or uncles</b> | <b>None of them</b> |
|---|----------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| Juvenile onset diabetes(Type I)                             | 4,118    | 0.7                  | 0.6                  | 0.4                             | 4.2   | 94.6                |
| Adult onset diabetes(Type II)                               | 4,382    | 1.2                  | 1.7                  | 0.2                             | 36.7  | 61.9                |
| Asthma  | 4,368    | 13.5                 | 8.2                  | 8.5                             | 21.9  | 59.4                |
| Eczema  | 4,175    | 8.0                  | 3.7                  | 12.5                            | 9.2   | 73.3                |
| Food allergy  | 4,137    | 10.5                 | 6.1                  | 6.0                             | 12.8  | 71.0                |
| Allergies to pollen, dust, animals, latex, or anything else | 4,550    | 39.8                 | 27.5                 | 15.5                            | 31.9  | 33.6                |
| Overweight or obesity                                       | 4,422    | 24.6                 | 12.1                 | 1.5                             | 37.1  | 49.8                |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P13A1-5, P13B1-5, P13C1-5, P13D1-5, P13E1-5, P13F1-5, P13G1-5

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.9. Percent of pregnant women who have changed their diet in each way since they learned that they were pregnant<sup>1</sup>**

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|  | <b>N</b> | <b>Eat more</b> | <b>Eat less</b> | <b>Eat about the same</b> | <b>Did not eat before or now</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|--|----------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| Milk or other dairy foods                    | 4,889    | 62.6            | 2.3             | 34.6                      | 0.6                              | 100              |
| Eggs   | 4,885    | 25.0            | 10.1            | 60.6                      | 4.4                              | 100              |
| Canned tuna                                  | 4,886    | 7.6             | 27.2            | 40.5                      | 24.6                             | 100              |
| Swordfish shark, tile fish, or king mackerel | 4,864    | 0.8             | 13.0            | 5.7                       | 80.5                             | 100              |
| Any other type of fish                       | 4,882    | 5.5             | 19.2            | 38.2                      | 37.1                             | 100              |
| Shellfish                                    | 4,837    | 2.0             | 18.4            | 28.0                      | 51.6                             | 100              |
| Luncheon meats                               | 4,870    | 8.9             | 26.2            | 56.3                      | 8.6                              | 100              |
| Nuts, peanuts, or peanut butter              | 4,868    | 34.2            | 7.0             | 54.1                      | 4.7                              | 100              |
| Alcoholic drinks                             | 4,849    | 0.4             | 38.4            | 1.2                       | 60.0                             | 100              |
| Vitamin or mineral supplements               | 4,880    | 75.9            | 1.3             | 17.3                      | 5.5                              | 100              |
| Any herbal or botanical supplement           | 4,884    | 4.1             | 9.5             | 6.8                       | 79.7                             | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P14A-K

**Table 1.10. Percent of pregnant women giving each reason for eating less of selected foods<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who ate less of these foods after learning they were pregnant**

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|  | N     | Upsets her stomach or make her sick | May harm her baby | To prevent a food allergy in her baby | Other reasons |
|--|-------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| Milk or other dairy foods                    | 103   | 78.6                                | 1.9               | 1.9                                   | 21.4          |
| Eggs   | 440   | 70.2                                | 3.4               | 3.4                                   | 25.5          |
| Canned tuna                                  | 1,246 | 16.5                                | 74.5              | 1.3                                   | 11.1          |
| Swordfish, shark, tile fish or king mackerel | 598   | 9.7                                 | 86.8              | 1.8                                   | 4.2           |
| Any other type of fish                       | 859   | 15.3                                | 75.8              | 1.9                                   | 10.4          |
| Shellfish                                    | 810   | 14.1                                | 75.6              | 3.8                                   | 11.7          |
| Luncheon meats                               | 1,168 | 16.5                                | 65.0              | 1.0                                   | 19.5          |
| Nuts, peanuts, or peanut butter              | 297   | 30.6                                | 16.5              | 28.3                                  | 27.6          |
| Alcoholic drinks                             | 1,793 | 1.4                                 | 99.0              | 0.4                                   | 1.3           |
| Vitamin or mineral supplements               | 50    | 36.0                                | 44.0              | 4.0                                   | 20.0          |
| Any herbal or botanical supplement           | 421   | 2.4                                 | 90.3              | 0.7                                   | 8.8           |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P15A1-4, P15B1-4, P15C1-4, P15D1-4, P15E1-4, P15F1-4, P15G1-4, P15H1-4, P15I1-4, P15J1-4, P15K1-4

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.11. Percent of pregnant women who worked for pay at any time since 3 months before they became pregnant by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,877    | 66.5       | 33.5      | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |            |           |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,368    | 67.5       | 32.5      | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,574    | 65.6       | 34.4      | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,214    | 66.9       | 33.1      | 100              |
| 35+                          | 709      | 66.1       | 33.9      | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,513    | 81.6       | 18.4      | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,188    | 59.0       | 41.0      | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |            |           |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,048    | 57.9       | 42.1      | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,748    | 66.8       | 33.2      | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,462    | 72.1       | 27.9      | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |            |           |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,185    | 58.2       | 41.8      | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,681    | 69.8       | 30.2      | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,011    | 78.8       | 21.2      | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |            |           |                  |
| No                           | 3,243    | 70.2       | 29.8      | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,625    | 59.2       | 40.8      | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |            |           |                  |
| White                        | 3,846    | 66.6       | 33.4      | 100              |
| Black                        | 297      | 72.4       | 27.6      | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 333      | 63.4       | 36.6      | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Northeast                    | 822      | 70.1       | 29.9      | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,408    | 69.7       | 30.3      | 100              |
| South                        | 1,692    | 64.4       | 35.6      | 100              |
| West                         | 955      | 62.2       | 37.8      | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P16

**Table 1.12. Percent of pregnant women having each level of satisfaction from their paid work by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who work for pay**

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|                              | N     | None (1) | (2)  | (3)  | (4)  | Very much (5) | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|----------|------|------|------|---------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,159 | 5.3      | 14.7 | 31.7 | 29.3 | 19.1          | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| 18-24                        | 899   | 8.9      | 20.0 | 35.3 | 19.7 | 16.1          | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,005 | 5.5      | 14.0 | 29.7 | 32.5 | 18.3          | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 792   | 3.5      | 12.2 | 31.3 | 32.8 | 20.1          | 100       |
| 35+                          | 458   | 0.7      | 9.8  | 29.7 | 35.4 | 24.5          | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,217 | 6.0      | 15.7 | 30.8 | 30.1 | 17.4          | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,820 | 4.7      | 14.0 | 31.9 | 29.6 | 19.9          | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| HS or less                   | 589   | 8.5      | 21.4 | 35.1 | 19.7 | 15.3          | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,137 | 6.2      | 15.7 | 32.5 | 27.4 | 18.1          | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,031 | 1.8      | 9.2  | 28.4 | 39.7 | 20.9          | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,234 | 7.9      | 17.7 | 34.9 | 21.9 | 17.6          | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,141 | 4.3      | 14.3 | 31.2 | 32.0 | 18.2          | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 784   | 2.6      | 10.5 | 27.2 | 37.2 | 22.6          | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| No                           | 2,221 | 3.7      | 13.1 | 30.7 | 32.7 | 19.8          | 100       |
| Yes                          | 934   | 8.8      | 18.2 | 34.2 | 21.5 | 17.3          | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| White                        | 2,497 | 5.0      | 13.9 | 31.0 | 31.0 | 19.2          | 100       |
| Black                        | 208   | 8.7      | 20.2 | 29.8 | 19.7 | 21.6          | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 206   | 6.3      | 18.4 | 33.5 | 22.3 | 19.4          | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |          |      |      |      |               |           |
| Northeast                    | 561   | 4.3      | 14.1 | 32.3 | 28.3 | 21.0          | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 957   | 5.0      | 15.8 | 31.8 | 31.3 | 16.1          | 100       |
| South                        | 1,062 | 6.3      | 13.7 | 29.9 | 28.5 | 21.5          | 100       |
| West                         | 579   | 4.7      | 15.2 | 34.0 | 28.5 | 17.6          | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P17

**Table 1.13. Percent of pregnant women contributing each proportion of their family income with the money they earn from work by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who work for pay**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Less than half</b> | <b>About half</b> | <b>More than half</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 3,177    | 47.3                  | 27.9              | 24.7                  | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| 18-24                        | 903      | 52.0                  | 25.7              | 22.3                  | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,011    | 47.0                  | 29.5              | 23.5                  | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 796      | 45.5                  | 29.8              | 24.7                  | 100              |
| 35+                          | 462      | 42.4                  | 25.5              | 32.0                  | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,217    | 42.2                  | 32.0              | 25.9                  | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 1,840    | 51.0                  | 24.8              | 24.2                  | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| HS or less                   | 590      | 52.2                  | 26.3              | 21.5                  | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,145    | 48.4                  | 27.2              | 24.4                  | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,034    | 45.1                  | 28.8              | 26.1                  | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| < 185%                       | 1,244    | 47.7                  | 25.6              | 26.7                  | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,150    | 51.7                  | 26.2              | 22.2                  | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 783      | 40.4                  | 34.2              | 25.4                  | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| No                           | 2,231    | 47.5                  | 29.1              | 23.4                  | 100              |
| Yes                          | 941      | 46.9                  | 25.1              | 28.1                  | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| White                        | 2,512    | 49.4                  | 27.4              | 23.2                  | 100              |
| Black                        | 206      | 34.5                  | 27.7              | 37.9                  | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 208      | 42.3                  | 30.3              | 27.4                  | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |                       |                   |                       |                  |
| Northeast                    | 564      | 45.9                  | 28.7              | 25.4                  | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 964      | 47.5                  | 26.7              | 25.8                  | 100              |
| South                        | 1,067    | 46.5                  | 29.1              | 24.4                  | 100              |
| West                         | 582      | 50.0                  | 27.0              | 23.0                  | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P18

**Table 1.14. Percent of pregnant women working currently at the time of prenatal survey under each condition by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who work for pay**

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|                              | N     | Yes, the same hours as before pregnancy | Yes, but with reduced hours | Yes, but on leave until after the baby's birth | No   | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|---|-----------------------------|--|------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,195 | 57.9                                    | 14.3                        | 4.0  | 23.7 | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| 18-24                        | 913   | 43.5                                    | 16.8                        | 4.4  | 35.4 | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,015 | 58.5                                    | 14.0                        | 4.1  | 23.3 | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 798   | 65.8                                    | 13.9                        | 3.1  | 17.2 | 100       |
| 35+                          | 464   | 71.8                                    | 11.0                        | 4.5  | 12.7 | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,224 | 58.3                                    | 16.2                        | 4.1  | 21.4 | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,846 | 58.6                                    | 13.1                        | 4.1  | 24.2 | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| HS or less                   | 599   | 42.6                                    | 15.4                        | 5.2  | 36.9 | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,150 | 55.1                                    | 14.6                        | 3.5  | 26.8 | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,037 | 72.6                                    | 12.1                        | 3.2  | 12.2 | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,250 | 46.1                                    | 15.0                        | 4.6  | 34.2 | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,158 | 60.4                                    | 15.1                        | 4.0  | 20.6 | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 787   | 73.2                                    | 11.9                        | 3.2  | 11.7 | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| No                           | 2,245 | 65.4                                    | 13.5                        | 3.7  | 17.5 | 100       |
| Yes                          | 945   | 40.1                                    | 16.4                        | 5.0  | 38.5 | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| White                        | 2,524 | 58.6                                    | 14.6                        | 3.9  | 22.9 | 100       |
| Black                        | 210   | 56.2                                    | 11.4                        | 4.3  | 28.1 | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 208   | 55.8                                    | 12.0                        | 4.3  | 27.9 | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |   |                             |  |      |           |
| Northeast                    | 566   | 59.4                                    | 14.8                        | 5.3  | 20.5 | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 969   | 61.3                                    | 14.1                        | 4.0  | 20.5 | 100       |
| South                        | 1,075 | 56.9                                    | 12.2                        | 3.0  | 27.9 | 100       |
| West                         | 585   | 52.8                                    | 17.9                        | 4.8  | 24.4 | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P19

**Table 1.15. Percent of pregnant women usually working for each number of hours per week at their current job by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | 1-9 hours week | 10-19 hours week | 20-29 hours week | 30-34 hours week | 35-40 hours week | >40 hours week | Do not work for pay | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,706 | 3.5            | 4.8              | 7.3              | 5.2              | 19.8             | 8.5            | 50.8                | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,318 | 2.4            | 4.4              | 7.1              | 6.2              | 16.1             | 5.5            | 58.3                | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,517 | 2.9            | 4.7              | 6.5              | 4.7              | 21.3             | 8.5            | 51.4                | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,178 | 4.9            | 5.3              | 8.0              | 4.5              | 21.4             | 10.2           | 45.8                | 100       |
| 35+                          | 683   | 4.7            | 4.8              | 8.5              | 5.4              | 21.4             | 11.4           | 43.8                | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,455 | 1.6            | 4.6              | 7.9              | 6.7              | 29.1             | 12.9           | 37.1                | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,080 | 4.5            | 4.9              | 7.1              | 4.3              | 15.6             | 6.6            | 56.9                | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,009 | 2.4            | 3.7              | 5.9              | 5.6              | 12.3             | 4.6            | 65.6                | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,692 | 3.0            | 4.3              | 8.2              | 4.8              | 20.2             | 7.0            | 52.5                | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,413 | 5.4            | 5.9              | 7.9              | 4.3              | 24.8             | 13.9           | 37.8                | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,109 | 3.3            | 4.2              | 6.6              | 4.5              | 12.9             | 4.9            | 63.6                | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,621 | 4.6            | 5.9              | 8.0              | 6.0              | 21.5             | 7.9            | 46.0                | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 976   | 2.3            | 4.2              | 7.7              | 5.1              | 32.0             | 17.4           | 31.4                | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| No                           | 3,134 | 3.8            | 5.2              | 7.9              | 5.0              | 24.1             | 10.6           | 43.4                | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,563 | 3.0            | 4.0              | 6.0              | 5.5              | 11.4             | 4.4            | 65.7                | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| White                        | 3,714 | 3.8            | 5.2              | 7.6              | 5.1              | 19.5             | 8.6            | 50.1                | 100       |
| Black                        | 283   | 1.8            | 3.9              | 6.0              | 3.9              | 27.6             | 7.1            | 49.8                | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 321   | 2.2            | 2.2              | 6.9              | 6.5              | 19.9             | 6.2            | 56.1                | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                |                  |                  |                  |                  |                |                     |           |
| Northeast                    | 781   | 3.6            | 6.7              | 8.7              | 6.3              | 20.6             | 7.8            | 46.4                | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,359 | 4.9            | 4.4              | 8.4              | 6.0              | 20.8             | 9.5            | 46.0                | 100       |
| South                        | 1,647 | 1.9            | 4.1              | 5.6              | 4.4              | 21.2             | 8.1            | 54.8                | 100       |
| West                         | 919   | 4.5            | 5.0              | 7.5              | 4.4              | 15.3             | 8.5            | 54.8                | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P16, P19, P20

**Table 1.16. Average weeks of maternity leave pregnant women indicate they are eligible for under each category by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who work for pay at any time from the 3 months before they became pregnant up to prenatal survey**

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|                              | Fully paid      |       | Partially paid  |       | Unpaid maternity |       | Total weeks of     |       |                     |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|---------------------|
|                              | maternity leave |       | maternity leave |       | leave            |       | leave of all types |       |                     |
|                              | N               | % yes | Average weeks   | % yes | Average weeks    | % yes | Average weeks      | % yes | Average total weeks |
| ALL                          | 2,356           | 34.3  | 2.2             | 22.3  | 1.5              | 52.6  | 5.3                | 78.4  | 9.0                 |
| <b>Age</b>                   |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| 18-24                        | 567             | 20.6  | 1.1             | 18.2  | 1.3              | 54.5  | 4.9                | 74.8  | 7.2                 |
| 25-29                        | 754             | 33.3  | 2.0             | 25.6  | 1.8              | 55.6  | 5.1                | 80.2  | 8.9                 |
| 30-34                        | 646             | 43.5  | 2.9             | 23.2  | 1.6              | 51.1  | 5.9                | 81.0  | 10.4                |
| 35+                          | 386             | 40.7  | 2.9             | 20.5  | 1.3              | 46.6  | 5.4                | 75.6  | 9.6                 |
| <b>Parity</b>                |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| Primiparous                  | 938             | 34.5  | 2.2             | 24.3  | 1.8              | 51.4  | 5.4                | 78.9  | 9.4                 |
| Multiparous                  | 1,350           | 34.5  | 2.2             | 20.3  | 1.3              | 53.3  | 5.3                | 77.6  | 8.9                 |
| <b>Education</b>             |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| HS or less                   | 358             | 21.8  | 1.3             | 16.5  | 1.3              | 50.3  | 4.0                | 74.0  | 6.6                 |
| Some college                 | 818             | 29.6  | 1.6             | 22.6  | 1.5              | 53.1  | 4.7                | 78.1  | 7.9                 |
| College graduate             | 889             | 43.2  | 2.9             | 24.1  | 1.6              | 54.1  | 6.6                | 79.0  | 11.1                |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| < 185%                       | 789             | 22.3  | 1.3             | 17.9  | 1.2              | 49.6  | 4.1                | 72.1  | 6.5                 |
| 185- < 350%                  | 882             | 33.1  | 2.0             | 22.3  | 1.6              | 53.5  | 5.3                | 78.2  | 8.9                 |
| >=350%                       | 685             | 49.6  | 3.5             | 27.3  | 1.9              | 55.0  | 6.7                | 85.8  | 12.1                |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| No                           | 1,799           | 39.4  | 2.5             | 24.4  | 1.7              | 52.2  | 5.6                | 80.4  | 9.9                 |
| Yes                          | 554             | 17.7  | 1.0             | 15.3  | 0.9              | 54.0  | 4.2                | 71.8  | 6.2                 |
| <b>Race</b>                  |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| White                        | 1,888           | 34.1  | 2.2             | 21.2  | 1.5              | 52.9  | 5.3                | 78.3  | 9.0                 |
| Black                        | 144             | 39.6  | 2.4             | 24.3  | 1.4              | 53.5  | 5.3                | 82.6  | 9.1                 |
| Hispanic                     | 147             | 32.7  | 2.1             | 24.5  | 1.6              | 53.1  | 4.8                | 77.6  | 8.4                 |
| <b>Region</b>                |                 |       |                 |       |                  |       |                    |       |                     |
| Northeast                    | 427             | 37.0  | 2.0             | 25.8  | 1.7              | 52.7  | 4.6                | 80.8  | 8.3                 |
| Midwest                      | 742             | 32.1  | 2.0             | 22.4  | 1.6              | 56.9  | 5.3                | 78.8  | 8.9                 |
| South                        | 760             | 36.3  | 2.2             | 20.0  | 1.2              | 52.0  | 4.9                | 78.9  | 8.3                 |
| West                         | 427             | 31.9  | 2.6             | 22.7  | 1.9              | 46.4  | 6.7                | 74.2  | 11.3                |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P21\_1-3

<sup>2</sup> Average weeks were calculated as the mean of all responses in each option including 0 weeks

**Table 1.17. Percent of pregnant women who think their current place of employment has each level of breastfeeding support by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who work for pay at any time from the 3 months before they became pregnant up to prenatal survey**

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|                              | N     | Not at all supportive | Not too supportive | Somewhat supportive | Very supportive | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 2,356 | 12.0                  | 13.2               | 37.1                | 37.6            | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| 18-24                        | 565   | 16.3                  | 14.0               | 37.5                | 32.2            | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 762   | 12.1                  | 11.8               | 35.4                | 40.7            | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 639   | 8.8                   | 13.6               | 38.3                | 39.3            | 100       |
| 35+                          | 387   | 10.6                  | 14.5               | 37.7                | 37.2            | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| Primiparous                  | 925   | 11.5                  | 13.5               | 40.6                | 34.4            | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,359 | 12.4                  | 13.1               | 34.3                | 40.2            | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| HS or less                   | 360   | 17.2                  | 13.1               | 36.9                | 32.8            | 100       |
| Some college                 | 823   | 10.6                  | 14.0               | 34.1                | 41.3            | 100       |
| College graduate             | 880   | 7.6                   | 13.6               | 40.3                | 38.4            | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| < 185%                       | 796   | 15.1                  | 13.2               | 35.3                | 36.4            | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 886   | 10.6                  | 13.0               | 36.3                | 40.1            | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 674   | 10.1                  | 13.6               | 40.4                | 35.9            | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| No                           | 1,794 | 10.6                  | 13.3               | 38.1                | 38.1            | 100       |
| Yes                          | 559   | 16.5                  | 13.2               | 34.2                | 36.1            | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| White                        | 1,886 | 10.6                  | 13.8               | 37.8                | 37.9            | 100       |
| Black                        | 146   | 24.7                  | 10.3               | 34.2                | 30.8            | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 147   | 15.0                  | 8.2                | 38.1                | 38.8            | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                       |                    |                     |                 |           |
| Northeast                    | 431   | 13.5                  | 13.7               | 37.6                | 35.3            | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 742   | 11.2                  | 14.2               | 39.9                | 34.8            | 100       |
| South                        | 759   | 14.0                  | 12.6               | 36.0                | 37.4            | 100       |
| West                         | 424   | 8.3                   | 12.3               | 34.0                | 45.5            | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P22

**Table 1.18. Percent of pregnant women planning to work for pay during their babies' first year by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,876    | 63.0       | 37.0      | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |            |           |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,370    | 69.6       | 30.4      | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,572    | 59.4       | 40.6      | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,212    | 60.5       | 39.5      | 100              |
| 35+                          | 710      | 62.3       | 37.7      | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,512    | 75.7       | 24.3      | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,188    | 56.3       | 43.7      | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |            |           |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,050    | 57.6       | 42.4      | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,748    | 60.6       | 39.4      | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,460    | 65.1       | 34.9      | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |            |           |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,188    | 58.5       | 41.5      | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,679    | 63.7       | 36.3      | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 1,009    | 71.4       | 28.6      | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |            |           |                  |
| No                           | 3,238    | 63.4       | 36.6      | 100              |
| Yes                          | 1,629    | 62.2       | 37.8      | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |            |           |                  |
| White                        | 3,845    | 61.5       | 38.5      | 100              |
| Black                        | 297      | 77.8       | 22.2      | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 333      | 64.9       | 35.1      | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |            |           |                  |
| Northeast                    | 822      | 64.8       | 35.2      | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,408    | 67.8       | 32.2      | 100              |
| South                        | 1,691    | 61.9       | 38.1      | 100              |
| West                         | 955      | 56.0       | 44.0      | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P23

**Table 1.19. Percent of pregnant women planning to return to work in each number of weeks after the baby is born by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | No plan to work | < 4 weeks | 4-6 weeks | 7-9 weeks | 10-12 weeks | 13-16 weeks | 17-20 weeks | 21-30 weeks | >30 weeks | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,841 | 37.3            | 5.1       | 15.8      | 15.7      | 12.5        | 5.8         | 2.1         | 2.1         | 3.7       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,359 | 30.6            | 5.5       | 20.2      | 19.1      | 10.3        | 4.8         | 1.8         | 2.5         | 5.1       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,563 | 40.9            | 4.3       | 16.1      | 14.4      | 12.8        | 4.2         | 2.3         | 1.5         | 3.5       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,203 | 39.8            | 4.8       | 11.1      | 14.4      | 14.9        | 7.4         | 2.1         | 2.3         | 3.2       | 100       |
| 35+                          | 706   | 38.0            | 6.7       | 14.3      | 14.0      | 11.8        | 8.4         | 2.4         | 2.3         | 2.3       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,500 | 24.5            | 4.0       | 17.6      | 20.7      | 16.9        | 7.7         | 2.2         | 2.5         | 3.9       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,170 | 43.9            | 5.7       | 14.6      | 13.2      | 10.2        | 4.8         | 2.1         | 1.9         | 3.5       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,040 | 42.8            | 4.9       | 16.9      | 12.1      | 11.3        | 3.3         | 1.7         | 2.1         | 4.8       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,740 | 39.5            | 5.7       | 17.0      | 16.2      | 9.7         | 4.8         | 2.3         | 1.6         | 3.2       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,450 | 35.1            | 4.3       | 11.2      | 17.0      | 15.5        | 9.4         | 2.1         | 2.5         | 3.0       | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,170 | 41.8            | 5.4       | 17.0      | 14.1      | 9.8         | 3.1         | 2.2         | 2.2         | 4.5       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,669 | 36.5            | 5.0       | 17.0      | 16.8      | 12.0        | 6.1         | 1.9         | 1.8         | 2.9       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,002 | 28.8            | 4.6       | 11.1      | 17.3      | 19.0        | 11.0        | 2.5         | 2.4         | 3.4       | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| No                           | 3,217 | 36.9            | 4.9       | 15.0      | 16.0      | 13.8        | 6.8         | 1.8         | 1.7         | 3.1       | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,615 | 38.1            | 5.5       | 17.3      | 15.0      | 9.8         | 3.7         | 2.7         | 2.8         | 5.0       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| White                        | 3,821 | 38.8            | 5.3       | 15.4      | 15.6      | 12.1        | 5.9         | 2.0         | 1.9         | 3.1       | 100       |
| Black                        | 294   | 22.4            | 4.8       | 19.4      | 20.7      | 15.3        | 5.8         | 2.4         | 4.4         | 4.8       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 330   | 35.5            | 3.0       | 18.2      | 13.3      | 13.0        | 3.9         | 4.8         | 1.2         | 7.0       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                 |           |           |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| Northeast                    | 818   | 35.3            | 4.4       | 12.5      | 15.4      | 13.4        | 8.6         | 2.6         | 2.9         | 4.9       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,395 | 32.5            | 5.2       | 18.0      | 18.1      | 14.9        | 5.2         | 2.0         | 1.1         | 3.1       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,677 | 38.4            | 5.2       | 16.5      | 16.3      | 11.3        | 4.6         | 1.7         | 2.7         | 3.3       | 100       |
| West                         | 951   | 44.2            | 5.4       | 14.1      | 11.1      | 10.2        | 6.3         | 2.6         | 1.7         | 4.4       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P23, P24

**Table 1.20. Percent of pregnant women planning to work for each number of hours per week by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to work for pay during their babies' first year**

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|                              | N     | 1-9 hours | 10-19 hours | 20-29 hours | 30-34 hours | 35-40 hours | >40 hours | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,011 | 7.6       | 10.5        | 23.5        | 11.7        | 38.5        | 8.2       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| 18-24                        | 933   | 5.4       | 9.8         | 28.8        | 15.5        | 34.6        | 5.9       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 918   | 7.1       | 10.8        | 23.0        | 10.2        | 41.3        | 7.6       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 717   | 8.8       | 11.6        | 20.9        | 8.6         | 40.0        | 10.0      | 100       |
| 35+                          | 437   | 11.7      | 9.8         | 17.6        | 11.7        | 37.8        | 11.4      | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,130 | 3.9       | 9.1         | 24.0        | 12.5        | 42.7        | 7.9       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,758 | 10.2      | 11.6        | 22.8        | 10.8        | 36.1        | 8.6       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| HS or less                   | 587   | 4.8       | 9.5         | 29.6        | 13.5        | 36.6        | 6.0       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,050 | 6.4       | 11.9        | 25.4        | 12.6        | 36.8        | 7.0       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 928   | 11.1      | 10.9        | 18.6        | 7.1         | 41.1        | 11.2      | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,251 | 7.3       | 11.4        | 27.0        | 14.4        | 33.7        | 6.2       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,052 | 10.1      | 10.9        | 22.1        | 9.9         | 39.0        | 8.0       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 708   | 4.5       | 8.2         | 19.2        | 9.7         | 46.2        | 12.1      | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| No                           | 2,018 | 8.6       | 10.2        | 21.0        | 10.6        | 40.6        | 9.1       | 100       |
| Yes                          | 988   | 5.6       | 10.9        | 28.5        | 14.1        | 34.4        | 6.5       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| White                        | 2,318 | 8.1       | 11.4        | 23.6        | 11.0        | 37.7        | 8.2       | 100       |
| Black                        | 228   | 5.3       | 5.7         | 18.4        | 15.4        | 48.2        | 7.0       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 213   | 5.6       | 8.5         | 24.9        | 13.6        | 39.4        | 8.0       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |           |             |             |             |             |           |           |
| Northeast                    | 523   | 9.8       | 13.8        | 24.1        | 9.9         | 36.3        | 6.1       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 934   | 7.6       | 9.6         | 23.6        | 12.1        | 37.9        | 9.2       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,025 | 5.4       | 8.5         | 21.4        | 13.1        | 43.1        | 8.6       | 100       |
| West                         | 529   | 9.8       | 12.7        | 26.8        | 10.2        | 32.7        | 7.8       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P25

**Table 1.21. Percent of pregnant women preferring to work for each number of hours per week when they return to work by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to work for pay during their babies' first year**

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|                              | N     | 1-9 hours | 10-19 hours | 20-29 hours | 30-34 hours | 35-40 hours | > 40 hours | Prefer not to work | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|--------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,016 | 10.0      | 13.2        | 32.5        | 10.9        | 15.3        | 3.4        | 14.8               | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| 18-24                        | 937   | 8.4       | 12.2        | 30.4        | 10.4        | 18.7        | 4.5        | 15.5               | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 921   | 10.5      | 12.7        | 32.9        | 11.5        | 14.1        | 2.7        | 15.5               | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 720   | 10.7      | 14.4        | 33.5        | 10.6        | 14.2        | 2.9        | 13.8               | 100       |
| 35+                          | 432   | 11.6      | 14.4        | 34.5        | 10.9        | 11.8        | 3.5        | 13.4               | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,132 | 7.1       | 12.6        | 34.5        | 11.1        | 15.6        | 2.9        | 16.2               | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,760 | 12.3      | 13.8        | 31.0        | 10.3        | 14.8        | 3.7        | 14.1               | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| HS or less                   | 590   | 6.4       | 11.2        | 30.3        | 11.9        | 20.8        | 3.4        | 15.9               | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,049 | 9.7       | 14.4        | 33.2        | 10.6        | 13.5        | 3.5        | 15.1               | 100       |
| College graduate             | 929   | 13.1      | 15.0        | 33.8        | 10.2        | 10.9        | 1.9        | 15.1               | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,258 | 9.6       | 12.7        | 29.5        | 10.6        | 18.4        | 4.7        | 14.5               | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,052 | 12.7      | 14.8        | 31.5        | 10.0        | 13.4        | 2.6        | 15.0               | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 706   | 6.8       | 11.5        | 39.4        | 12.7        | 12.3        | 2.4        | 14.9               | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| No                           | 2,015 | 10.8      | 13.3        | 34.4        | 10.6        | 13.4        | 2.7        | 14.8               | 100       |
| Yes                          | 996   | 8.4       | 13.0        | 28.5        | 11.4        | 19.0        | 4.9        | 14.8               | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| White                        | 2,319 | 10.3      | 14.7        | 32.9        | 10.1        | 13.6        | 2.5        | 15.8               | 100       |
| Black                        | 229   | 6.6       | 8.7         | 25.8        | 16.6        | 28.8        | 5.2        | 8.3                | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 214   | 10.3      | 7.5         | 31.8        | 13.1        | 16.8        | 6.5        | 14.0               | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |           |             |             |             |             |            |                    |           |
| Northeast                    | 522   | 11.7      | 17.2        | 31.8        | 9.0         | 12.5        | 1.7        | 16.1               | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 935   | 10.1      | 12.8        | 31.8        | 11.9        | 15.7        | 4.0        | 13.8               | 100       |
| South                        | 1,030 | 6.9       | 10.5        | 32.9        | 11.8        | 19.3        | 4.3        | 14.3               | 100       |
| West                         | 529   | 14.6      | 14.9        | 33.6        | 9.1         | 9.3         | 2.5        | 16.1               | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P26

**Table 1.22. Percent of pregnant women planning each baby care arrangement while they are working by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who plan to work for pay during their babies' first year**

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|                              | N     | Care by a family member | Care by someone not in her family | Keep baby with her while working outside her home | Keep baby with her while working at home | Haven't decided yet |
|------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--|---------------------|
| ALL                          | 3,051 | 54.2                    | 27.6                              | 6.1   | 12.0                                     | 16.1                |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| 18-24                        | 948   | 65.6                    | 19.2                              | 4.3   | 7.5                                      | 19.5                |
| 25-29                        | 930   | 51.5                    | 26.0                              | 7.3   | 13.5                                     | 16.8                |
| 30-34                        | 727   | 45.8                    | 36.3                              | 6.5   | 13.8                                     | 12.5                |
| 35+                          | 440   | 49.3                    | 35.0                              | 7.0   | 15.2                                     | 13.2                |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| Primiparous                  | 1,137 | 59.5                    | 28.1                              | 4.6   | 8.7                                      | 19.1                |
| Multiparous                  | 1,787 | 50.1                    | 28.3                              | 7.1   | 14.4                                     | 13.7                |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| HS or less                   | 601   | 59.6                    | 18.3                              | 5.0   | 8.2                                      | 21.5                |
| Some college                 | 1,056 | 52.6                    | 26.3                              | 7.1   | 13.4                                     | 18.3                |
| College graduate             | 944   | 45.8                    | 40.1                              | 6.8   | 16.2                                     | 10.6                |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| < 185%                       | 1,273 | 58.6                    | 21.0                              | 6.5   | 9.7                                      | 18.5                |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,063 | 53.3                    | 27.3                              | 6.7   | 13.8                                     | 14.9                |
| >=350%                       | 715   | 47.7                    | 40.0                              | 4.6   | 13.3                                     | 13.8                |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| No                           | 2,039 | 50.1                    | 32.6                              | 6.8   | 13.5                                     | 13.7                |
| Yes                          | 1,007 | 62.6                    | 17.8                              | 4.9   | 8.9                                      | 20.9                |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| White                        | 2,352 | 52.8                    | 28.8                              | 6.6   | 12.7                                     | 15.1                |
| Black                        | 229   | 61.6                    | 25.8                              | 3.1   | 7.4                                      | 18.3                |
| Hispanic                     | 214   | 56.5                    | 24.3                              | 4.7   | 10.7                                     | 22.0                |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                         |                                   |   |  |                     |
| Northeast                    | 530   | 58.7                    | 25.7                              | 6.4   | 11.1                                     | 14.2                |
| Midwest                      | 945   | 53.0                    | 31.6                              | 4.7   | 9.6                                      | 15.0                |
| South                        | 1,042 | 53.5                    | 26.6                              | 5.2   | 10.6                                     | 17.8                |
| West                         | 534   | 53.4                    | 24.5                              | 10.3  | 19.7                                     | 16.9                |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P27A-E

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.23. Percent of pregnant women planning each feeding method for their baby in the first few weeks by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | Breastfeed only | Formula feed only | Both breast and formula feed | Don't know yet | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,881 | 57.0            | 14.5              | 24.6                         | 3.9            | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,371 | 49.7            | 17.4              | 27.9                         | 5.0            | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,574 | 61.8            | 12.7              | 22.5                         | 3.0            | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,213 | 59.1            | 13.8              | 23.3                         | 3.7            | 100       |
| 35+                          | 711   | 57.2            | 13.5              | 25.0                         | 4.2            | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,515 | 64.6            | 10.2              | 20.5                         | 4.7            | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,190 | 53.8            | 16.4              | 26.4                         | 3.4            | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,048 | 44.6            | 22.4              | 27.6                         | 5.4            | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,751 | 59.3            | 11.8              | 25.4                         | 3.5            | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,460 | 69.7            | 8.5               | 18.7                         | 3.2            | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,190 | 50.1            | 17.9              | 27.5                         | 4.5            | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,681 | 60.4            | 13.1              | 22.8                         | 3.6            | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,010 | 66.1            | 9.3               | 21.5                         | 3.1            | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| No                           | 3,245 | 61.9            | 12.2              | 22.4                         | 3.5            | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,627 | 47.3            | 19.1              | 28.8                         | 4.9            | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| White                        | 3,851 | 58.7            | 15.2              | 22.4                         | 3.7            | 100       |
| Black                        | 296   | 39.5            | 19.3              | 37.2                         | 4.1            | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 333   | 51.1            | 8.4               | 35.7                         | 4.8            | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                 |                   |                              |                |           |
| Northeast                    | 822   | 51.0            | 19.2              | 25.7                         | 4.1            | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,407 | 54.6            | 16.5              | 25.2                         | 3.8            | 100       |
| South                        | 1,694 | 54.3            | 15.3              | 25.8                         | 4.6            | 100       |
| West                         | 958   | 70.5            | 5.8               | 21.0                         | 2.7            | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P28

**Table 1.24. Percent of pregnant women planning to first feed their baby formula or any other foods besides breast milk at each infant age by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to breastfeed in the first few weeks**

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|                              | N     | < 1 month | 1-2 months | 3-4 months | 5-6 months | 7-9 months | >9 months | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,976 | 31.1      | 8.4        | 19.9       | 27.5       | 8.3        | 4.8       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,063 | 36.9      | 9.7        | 19.8       | 23.5       | 6.1        | 4.0       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,325 | 27.5      | 7.3        | 19.7       | 31.2       | 9.2        | 5.0       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 997   | 29.1      | 9.0        | 20.0       | 27.6       | 8.7        | 5.6       | 100       |
| 35+                          | 582   | 31.8      | 7.2        | 20.6       | 26.5       | 9.5        | 4.5       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,285 | 24.9      | 8.3        | 19.9       | 30.1       | 11.8       | 5.0       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 2,555 | 33.9      | 8.4        | 20.0       | 26.5       | 6.6        | 4.5       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| HS or less                   | 756   | 39.0      | 8.1        | 21.6       | 21.8       | 5.6        | 4.0       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,481 | 30.9      | 9.2        | 19.9       | 27.0       | 8.4        | 4.6       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,284 | 22.2      | 7.7        | 20.5       | 33.6       | 10.9       | 5.1       | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,699 | 36.6      | 7.7        | 18.5       | 25.7       | 6.4        | 5.2       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,393 | 28.1      | 9.3        | 21.2       | 28.6       | 8.5        | 4.1       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 884   | 25.5      | 8.3        | 20.7       | 29.2       | 11.4       | 5.0       | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| No                           | 2,731 | 27.5      | 8.3        | 20.7       | 29.2       | 9.6        | 4.8       | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,237 | 39.0      | 8.6        | 18.5       | 23.8       | 5.2        | 4.9       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| White                        | 3,113 | 28.5      | 8.9        | 20.9       | 28.7       | 8.5        | 4.5       | 100       |
| Black                        | 229   | 48.9      | 4.4        | 13.1       | 21.0       | 9.2        | 3.5       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 288   | 42.7      | 5.9        | 19.4       | 21.2       | 5.9        | 4.9       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |           |            |            |            |            |           |           |
| Northeast                    | 629   | 34.0      | 9.1        | 18.9       | 26.7       | 7.3        | 4.0       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,119 | 32.3      | 9.1        | 20.8       | 26.1       | 7.2        | 4.5       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,354 | 33.5      | 8.1        | 19.4       | 26.2       | 8.6        | 4.3       | 100       |
| West                         | 874   | 24.0      | 7.4        | 20.4       | 31.8       | 9.8        | 6.5       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P28, P29

**Table 1.25. Percent of pregnant women planning to continue breastfeeding after they return to work by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to breastfeed**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Yes  | No   | No plan to work after birth | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|------|------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,968 | 53.9 | 10.2 | 35.9                        | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |      |      |                             |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,062 | 58.5 | 12.6 | 28.9                        | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,323 | 51.9 | 9.7  | 38.4                        | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 995   | 51.3 | 8.6  | 40.1                        | 100       |
| 35+                          | 579   | 54.9 | 9.5  | 35.6                        | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |      |      |                             |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,285 | 68.2 | 10.5 | 21.2                        | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 2,547 | 46.3 | 9.7  | 44.0                        | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |      |      |                             |           |
| HS or less                   | 755   | 47.2 | 11.9 | 40.9                        | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,478 | 51.1 | 10.3 | 38.6                        | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,284 | 58.7 | 6.6  | 34.7                        | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |      |      |                             |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,696 | 48.6 | 11.3 | 40.1                        | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,393 | 54.9 | 8.8  | 36.3                        | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 879   | 62.5 | 10.4 | 27.2                        | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |      |      |                             |           |
| No                           | 2,724 | 55.2 | 8.6  | 36.2                        | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,236 | 51.2 | 13.5 | 35.3                        | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |      |      |                             |           |
| White                        | 3,105 | 52.8 | 9.2  | 38.0                        | 100       |
| Black                        | 228   | 61.4 | 17.5 | 21.1                        | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 289   | 55.4 | 14.2 | 30.4                        | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |      |      |                             |           |
| Northeast                    | 624   | 55.0 | 12.3 | 32.7                        | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,121 | 57.6 | 10.3 | 32.1                        | 100       |
| South                        | 1,350 | 52.2 | 10.4 | 37.4                        | 100       |
| West                         | 873   | 51.0 | 8.2  | 40.8                        | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P30

**Table 1.26. Average months of child's age when pregnant women expect to completely stop breastfeeding by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to breastfeed**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Planned breastfeeding duration (months)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|--|
| ALL                          | 3,810    | 9.6  |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |  |
| 18-24                        | 1,019    | 8.5  |
| 25-29                        | 1,264    | 9.9  |
| 30-34                        | 962      | 10.0   |
| 35+                          | 556      | 10.2   |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,237    | 9.1  |
| Multiparous                  | 2,444    | 9.9  |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |  |
| HS or less                   | 705      | 8.9  |
| Some college                 | 1,430    | 9.4  |
| College graduate             | 1,242    | 10.6   |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |  |
| < 185%                       | 1,621    | 9.5  |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,332    | 9.9  |
| >=350%                       | 857      | 9.2  |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |  |
| No                           | 2,633    | 9.9  |
| Yes                          | 1,169    | 9.0  |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |  |
| White                        | 2,982    | 9.7  |
| Black                        | 223      | 8.4  |
| Hispanic                     | 275      | 9.0  |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |  |
| Northeast                    | 840      | 10.4   |
| Midwest                      | 1,068    | 9.2  |
| South                        | 1,296    | 9.3  |
| West                         | 606      | 9.6  |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P31

**Table 1.27. Percent of pregnant women feeling each level of confidence that they will be able to breastfeed until the baby is the age they desire by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>, among those who plan to breastfeed**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Not at all confident (1) | (2) | (3)  | (4)  | Very confident (5) | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-----|------|------|--------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 3,759 | 1.8                      | 6.1 | 24.9 | 30.2 | 37.0               | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,006 | 1.2                      | 5.9 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 35.3               | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,249 | 2.0                      | 5.8 | 24.7 | 31.1 | 36.3               | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 950   | 2.0                      | 6.9 | 22.9 | 31.1 | 37.1               | 100       |
| 35+                          | 545   | 2.4                      | 5.9 | 21.3 | 28.6 | 41.8               | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,220 | 1.3                      | 4.6 | 32.9 | 34.9 | 26.3               | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 2,413 | 2.2                      | 6.8 | 20.4 | 27.6 | 43.0               | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| HS or less                   | 698   | 1.7                      | 5.9 | 27.9 | 27.5 | 37.0               | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,415 | 1.5                      | 6.6 | 24.0 | 29.5 | 38.4               | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,223 | 1.7                      | 5.9 | 22.4 | 33.9 | 36.1               | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,599 | 2.1                      | 6.1 | 24.6 | 26.8 | 40.4               | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,316 | 1.7                      | 6.4 | 22.7 | 31.4 | 37.8               | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 844   | 1.7                      | 5.6 | 28.9 | 34.6 | 29.3               | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| No                           | 2,602 | 1.6                      | 5.9 | 24.4 | 31.9 | 36.1               | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,149 | 2.3                      | 6.5 | 25.7 | 26.3 | 39.2               | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| White                        | 2,948 | 1.7                      | 6.1 | 24.6 | 31.3 | 36.3               | 100       |
| Black                        | 216   | 3.7                      | 3.7 | 29.2 | 22.2 | 41.2               | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 269   | 1.1                      | 5.6 | 27.9 | 27.9 | 37.5               | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                          |     |      |      |                    |           |
| Northeast                    | 599   | 1.3                      | 6.0 | 22.7 | 30.2 | 39.7               | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,056 | 2.1                      | 6.8 | 25.4 | 32.6 | 33.1               | 100       |
| South                        | 1,271 | 2.0                      | 6.1 | 26.4 | 27.8 | 37.7               | 100       |
| West                         | 833   | 1.6                      | 5.2 | 23.6 | 30.7 | 38.9               | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P32

**Table 1.28. Percent of pregnant women who would feel each level of comfort nursing their baby in the presence of close women friends by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who may breastfeed in the first few weeks**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Very uncomfortable (1) | (2)  | (3)  | (4)  | Very comfortable (5) | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|------------------------|------|------|------|----------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,171 | 11.5                   | 8.7  | 13.7 | 20.3 | 45.8                 | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,131 | 13.0                   | 8.9  | 14.6 | 18.5 | 45.0                 | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,374 | 11.2                   | 8.4  | 13.0 | 20.7 | 46.8                 | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,045 | 10.1                   | 8.3  | 15.0 | 22.0 | 44.5                 | 100       |
| 35+                          | 612   | 11.4                   | 10.0 | 11.9 | 20.1 | 46.6                 | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,361 | 12.0                   | 11.2 | 15.9 | 24.1 | 36.8                 | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 2,666 | 10.8                   | 7.5  | 12.7 | 18.3 | 50.7                 | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| HS or less                   | 814   | 14.1                   | 9.7  | 14.1 | 19.2 | 42.9                 | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,547 | 11.9                   | 8.1  | 12.3 | 18.8 | 48.9                 | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,333 | 8.3                    | 8.7  | 14.9 | 23.4 | 44.8                 | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,801 | 12.0                   | 8.4  | 13.0 | 17.8 | 48.8                 | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,456 | 11.5                   | 7.7  | 14.3 | 20.6 | 45.9                 | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 914   | 10.3                   | 10.9 | 14.3 | 24.8 | 39.6                 | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| No                           | 2,843 | 10.3                   | 9.3  | 14.3 | 22.3 | 43.8                 | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,320 | 13.9                   | 7.7  | 12.4 | 16.0 | 50.1                 | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| White                        | 3,261 | 10.8                   | 8.2  | 13.6 | 21.4 | 46.0                 | 100       |
| Black                        | 240   | 13.3                   | 10.4 | 12.9 | 12.9 | 50.4                 | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 304   | 12.2                   | 8.9  | 11.5 | 19.7 | 47.7                 | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| Northeast                    | 663   | 11.8                   | 8.6  | 14.3 | 21.9 | 43.4                 | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,175 | 12.7                   | 9.4  | 14.6 | 21.4 | 41.9                 | 100       |
| South                        | 1,432 | 11.5                   | 8.9  | 14.2 | 18.9 | 46.6                 | 100       |
| West                         | 901   | 9.5                    | 7.7  | 11.4 | 20.1 | 51.3                 | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P33A

<sup>2</sup> Those who may breastfeed include all in Table 23 except those who said that they plan to formula feed only

**Table 1.29. Percent of pregnant women who would feel each level of comfort nursing their baby in the presence of men and women who are close friends by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who may breastfeed in the first few weeks**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Very uncomfortable (1) | (2)  | (3)  | (4)  | Very comfortable (5) | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|------------------------|------|------|------|----------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,168 | 22.6                   | 16.8 | 21.1 | 18.4 | 21.1                 | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,132 | 23.8                   | 17.4 | 21.6 | 16.6 | 20.7                 | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,371 | 21.9                   | 16.1 | 21.2 | 18.8 | 22.0                 | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,045 | 21.0                   | 18.4 | 20.0 | 20.3 | 20.4                 | 100       |
| 35+                          | 611   | 24.7                   | 14.4 | 22.3 | 17.5 | 21.1                 | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,360 | 25.3                   | 18.5 | 24.3 | 17.2 | 14.7                 | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 2,664 | 21.1                   | 15.6 | 19.7 | 19.1 | 24.5                 | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| HS or less                   | 813   | 23.7                   | 16.6 | 20.9 | 17.1 | 21.6                 | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,547 | 21.7                   | 16.4 | 21.1 | 18.7 | 22.0                 | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,333 | 20.9                   | 18.6 | 22.2 | 20.0 | 18.3                 | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| < 185%                       | 1,799 | 22.6                   | 15.7 | 19.9 | 18.1 | 23.7                 | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,457 | 20.9                   | 16.8 | 21.5 | 19.1 | 21.8                 | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 912   | 25.3                   | 18.8 | 23.0 | 17.9 | 15.0                 | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| No                           | 2,843 | 22.7                   | 18.0 | 22.1 | 18.3 | 18.9                 | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,317 | 22.3                   | 14.0 | 19.1 | 18.7 | 25.9                 | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| White                        | 3,260 | 21.3                   | 16.9 | 22.0 | 18.7 | 21.1                 | 100       |
| Black                        | 238   | 23.1                   | 16.8 | 20.2 | 15.5 | 24.4                 | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 304   | 25.0                   | 15.8 | 20.1 | 19.1 | 20.1                 | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                        |      |      |      |                      |           |
| Northeast                    | 662   | 23.0                   | 18.4 | 21.9 | 16.2 | 20.5                 | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,175 | 23.5                   | 17.4 | 22.0 | 18.0 | 19.1                 | 100       |
| South                        | 1,432 | 24.0                   | 16.4 | 20.9 | 17.7 | 21.0                 | 100       |
| West                         | 899   | 19.0                   | 15.2 | 19.8 | 21.7 | 24.2                 | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P33B

<sup>2</sup> Those who may breastfeed include all in Table 23 except those who said that they plan to formula feed only

**Table 1.30. Percent of pregnant women who would feel each level of comfort nursing their baby in the presence of men and women who are not close friends by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who may breastfeed in the first few weeks**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Very uncomfortable<br>(1) | (2)  | (3)  | (4)  | Very<br>comfortable<br>(5) | Total<br>(%) |
|------------------------------|-------|---------------------------|------|------|------|----------------------------|--------------|
| ALL                          | 4,166 | 44.1                      | 18.1 | 18.4 | 9.8  | 9.6                        | 100          |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| 18-24                        | 1,131 | 49.1                      | 17.7 | 16.7 | 7.1  | 9.5                        | 100          |
| 25-29                        | 1,372 | 42.8                      | 18.2 | 19.3 | 9.8  | 9.8                        | 100          |
| 30-34                        | 1,044 | 41.8                      | 17.9 | 19.3 | 12.0 | 9.0                        | 100          |
| 35+                          | 610   | 42.1                      | 18.9 | 17.7 | 11.0 | 10.3                       | 100          |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| Primiparous                  | 1,359 | 51.3                      | 19.1 | 17.1 | 7.0  | 5.5                        | 100          |
| Multiparous                  | 2,665 | 40.1                      | 17.7 | 19.1 | 11.2 | 11.9                       | 100          |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| HS or less                   | 813   | 47.5                      | 16.9 | 17.8 | 7.6  | 10.2                       | 100          |
| Some college                 | 1,547 | 43.9                      | 17.9 | 18.4 | 9.7  | 10.1                       | 100          |
| College graduate             | 1,331 | 41.6                      | 20.1 | 19.1 | 11.8 | 7.4                        | 100          |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| < 185%                       | 1,799 | 43.2                      | 17.2 | 18.3 | 9.8  | 11.3                       | 100          |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,454 | 41.6                      | 18.6 | 19.8 | 10.2 | 9.8                        | 100          |
| >=350%                       | 913   | 49.9                      | 19.1 | 16.1 | 9.1  | 5.8                        | 100          |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| No                           | 2,841 | 44.8                      | 18.9 | 18.0 | 10.0 | 8.3                        | 100          |
| Yes                          | 1,317 | 42.4                      | 16.6 | 19.1 | 9.4  | 12.5                       | 100          |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| White                        | 3,258 | 43.1                      | 18.5 | 19.1 | 10.1 | 9.2                        | 100          |
| Black                        | 239   | 45.2                      | 15.9 | 15.1 | 10.5 | 13.4                       | 100          |
| Hispanic                     | 305   | 46.9                      | 17.7 | 18.4 | 6.9  | 10.2                       | 100          |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                           |      |      |      |                            |              |
| Northeast                    | 663   | 46.8                      | 17.9 | 18.9 | 7.1  | 9.4                        | 100          |
| Midwest                      | 1,173 | 46.8                      | 17.5 | 17.7 | 10.5 | 7.5                        | 100          |
| South                        | 1,430 | 45.5                      | 17.4 | 16.4 | 9.9  | 10.8                       | 100          |
| West                         | 900   | 36.6                      | 20.1 | 22.0 | 10.8 | 10.6                       | 100          |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P33C

<sup>2</sup> Those who may breastfeed include all in Table 23 except those who said that they plan to formula feed only

**Table 1.31. Percent of pregnant women who consider each feeding method as the best way to feed a baby by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | Breastfeeding | A mix of both breast and formula feeding | Formula feeding | Breastfeeding and formula feeding are equally good ways to feed a baby | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|---------------|--|-----------------|--|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,881 | 67.1          | 12.2                                     | 3.5             | 17.3   | 100.      |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,371 | 60.8          | 15.1                                     | 4.4             | 19.7   | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,576 | 69.7          | 10.5                                     | 3.1             | 16.7   | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,212 | 69.2          | 10.5                                     | 2.7             | 17.6   | 100       |
| 35+                          | 710   | 70.1          | 13.1                                     | 3.4             | 13.4   | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,517 | 69.6          | 12.9                                     | 2.2             | 15.2   | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,191 | 66.2          | 11.8                                     | 3.8             | 18.3   | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,052 | 58.8          | 12.5                                     | 5.9             | 22.7   | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,750 | 69.2          | 11.7                                     | 2.7             | 16.3   | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,460 | 75.9          | 9.2                                      | 1.0             | 13.9   | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,192 | 63.2          | 13.0                                     | 5.2             | 18.6   | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,679 | 68.1          | 12.0                                     | 2.5             | 17.4   | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,010 | 73.7          | 10.7                                     | 1.4             | 14.3   | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| No                           | 3,243 | 70.2          | 10.9                                     | 2.6             | 16.4   | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,629 | 60.9          | 14.9                                     | 5.2             | 19.1   | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| White                        | 3,848 | 68.2          | 10.3                                     | 3.2             | 18.3   | 100       |
| Black                        | 296   | 54.4          | 19.6                                     | 6.4             | 19.6   | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 335   | 63.3          | 22.4                                     | 3.3             | 11.0   | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |               |  |                 |  |           |
| Northeast                    | 822   | 61.1          | 14.7                                     | 5.4             | 18.9   | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,407 | 65.1          | 11.0                                     | 4.1             | 19.8   | 100       |
| South                        | 1,695 | 65.7          | 13.4                                     | 3.2             | 17.7   | 100       |
| West                         | 957   | 77.4          | 9.6                                      | 1.4             | 11.6   | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P34

**Table 1.32. Percent of pregnant women having each level of agreement with each statement about breastfeeding<sup>1</sup>**

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|   | <b>N</b> | <b>Strongly disagree</b> | <b>Somewhat disagree</b> | <b>No opinion</b> | <b>Somewhat agree</b> | <b>Strongly agree</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|---|----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| Infant formula as good as breast milk               | 4,882    | 27.7                     | 30.5                     | 13.5              | 20.6                  | 7.7                   | 100              |
| Ear infections less likely in breastfed baby        | 4,866    | 5.3                      | 6.5                      | 25.4              | 31.2                  | 31.6                  | 100              |
| Respiratory illness less likely in breastfed baby   | 4,875    | 5.1                      | 6.0                      | 25.6              | 32.5                  | 30.7                  | 100              |
| Diarrhea less likely in breastfed baby              | 4,871    | 5.7                      | 8.9                      | 36.1              | 26.6                  | 22.8                  | 100              |
| Babies should be exclusively breastfed 1st 6 months | 4,856    | 11.7                     | 14.4                     | 27.0              | 23.2                  | 23.7                  | 100              |
| Obesity less likely in breastfed baby               | 4,870    | 10.9                     | 10.1                     | 42.8              | 19.7                  | 16.5                  | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P35A-F

**Table 1.33. Percent of pregnant women who believe that selected people think that her baby should be fed by each method in the first few weeks<sup>1</sup>**

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|                                      | N     | Only breastfed | Only formula fed | Both breast and formula fed | No opinion | No one in this category | Total (%) |
|--------------------------------------|-------|----------------|------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| Baby's father                        | 4,831 | 50.2           | 7.4              | 18.4                        | 22.9       | 1.0                     | 100       |
| Mother's mother                      | 4,822 | 37.2           | 8.7              | 17.2                        | 32.8       | 4.0                     | 100       |
| Mother's mother-in-law               | 4,754 | 27.2           | 6.1              | 12.6                        | 46.7       | 7.4                     | 100       |
| Mothers obstetrician or other doctor | 4,811 | 43.0           | 1.7              | 13.5                        | 40.8       | 0.9                     | 100       |
| Baby's pediatrician or other doctor  | 4,862 | 36.5           | 1.4              | 11.6                        | 34.2       | 16.4                    | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P36A-E

**Table 1.34. Percent of pregnant women indicating each level of importance for the opinions of selected people in her decision about how to feed her baby<sup>1</sup>**

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|                                      | <b>N</b> | <b>Not at all important</b> | <b>Not very important</b> | <b>Somewhat important</b> | <b>Very important</b> | <b>No one in this category</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Baby's father                        | 4,853    | 6.6                         | 3.5                       | 20.0                      | 68.9                  | 1.0                            | 100              |
| Mother's mother                      | 4,834    | 14.8                        | 18.4                      | 36.8                      | 25.9                  | 4.0                            | 100              |
| Mother's mother-in-law               | 4,790    | 26.7                        | 26.7                      | 28.8                      | 10.5                  | 7.3                            | 100              |
| Mothers obstetrician or other doctor | 4,815    | 8.1                         | 9.2                       | 39.9                      | 41.9                  | 0.9                            | 100              |
| Baby's pediatrician or other doctor  | 4,870    | 6.3                         | 5.2                       | 32.9                      | 44.1                  | 11.6                           | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P37A-E

**Table 1.35. Percent of pregnant women having each number of friends and relatives who breastfed their babies by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | 1 or 2 | 3 to 5 | > 5  | None have breastfed | None have children | Don't know | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|------|---------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,862 | 23.5   | 27.5   | 33.7 | 3.8                 | 0.7                | 10.8       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,367 | 28.2   | 25.2   | 23.9 | 5.9                 | 1.5                | 15.4       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,566 | 23.6   | 28.5   | 34.8 | 3.6                 | 0.8                | 8.7        | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,212 | 20.3   | 30.0   | 38.2 | 2.9                 | 0.2                | 8.4        | 100       |
| 35+                          | 705   | 18.9   | 25.7   | 42.7 | 1.6                 | 0.3                | 10.9       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,511 | 24.4   | 28.2   | 29.6 | 4.2                 | 1.1                | 12.6       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,179 | 22.8   | 27.4   | 36.1 | 3.6                 | 0.5                | 9.5        | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,049 | 31.6   | 24.3   | 22.0 | 5.9                 | 0.7                | 15.5       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,747 | 24.0   | 30.1   | 31.1 | 3.8                 | 0.6                | 10.4       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,450 | 15.4   | 27.4   | 49.2 | 1.4                 | 0.5                | 6.0        | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,194 | 26.3   | 23.9   | 29.6 | 5.4                 | 0.9                | 13.9       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,667 | 22.8   | 27.7   | 36.2 | 3.1                 | 0.6                | 9.7        | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,001 | 18.4   | 35.0   | 38.6 | 1.5                 | 0.6                | 6.0        | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| No                           | 3,226 | 21.3   | 28.9   | 38.0 | 2.4                 | 0.7                | 8.6        | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,627 | 27.8   | 24.6   | 25.1 | 6.5                 | 0.7                | 15.3       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| White                        | 3,835 | 22.4   | 27.8   | 35.3 | 3.4                 | 0.7                | 10.3       | 100       |
| Black                        | 294   | 38.4   | 21.8   | 17.0 | 10.5                | 1.4                | 10.9       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 333   | 26.7   | 30.9   | 26.4 | 3.6                 | 0.3                | 12.0       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |        |        |      |                     |                    |            |           |
| Northeast                    | 819   | 24.9   | 31.0   | 28.0 | 4.8                 | 0.6                | 10.7       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,403 | 25.4   | 27.4   | 32.1 | 3.6                 | 0.8                | 10.8       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,689 | 25.0   | 28.1   | 29.0 | 4.9                 | 0.8                | 12.2       | 100       |
| West                         | 951   | 16.6   | 23.4   | 49.2 | 1.4                 | 0.7                | 8.6        | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P38

**Table 1.36. Percent of pregnant women having each number of friends and relatives who never breastfed their babies at all by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | N     | 1 or 2 | 3 to 5 | > 5  | All have breastfed | None have children | Don't know | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|------|--------------------|--------------------|------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,878 | 28.2   | 18.1   | 19.0 | 7.1                | 0.7                | 26.9       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,365 | 24.8   | 15.9   | 17.6 | 8.3                | 1.5                | 32.0       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,578 | 29.0   | 19.5   | 18.3 | 7.7                | 0.8                | 24.8       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,214 | 30.4   | 18.0   | 20.3 | 6.3                | 0.2                | 25.0       | 100       |
| 35+                          | 710   | 29.0   | 19.6   | 20.8 | 5.1                | 0.3                | 25.2       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,516 | 28.3   | 15.8   | 14.2 | 9.4                | 1.1                | 31.2       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,188 | 28.5   | 19.4   | 21.6 | 5.9                | 0.5                | 24.1       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,049 | 23.0   | 16.8   | 21.0 | 5.8                | 0.7                | 32.8       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,753 | 28.8   | 18.3   | 19.6 | 6.2                | 0.6                | 26.6       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,460 | 34.2   | 20.3   | 16.0 | 9.2                | 0.5                | 19.8       | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,191 | 25.4   | 16.7   | 19.9 | 6.9                | 0.9                | 30.2       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,676 | 29.3   | 18.6   | 18.8 | 7.2                | 0.6                | 25.5       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,011 | 32.3   | 20.3   | 17.3 | 7.3                | 0.6                | 22.2       | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| No                           | 3,243 | 30.7   | 18.6   | 18.2 | 7.7                | 0.7                | 24.1       | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,626 | 23.3   | 17.0   | 20.7 | 5.8                | 0.7                | 32.5       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| White                        | 3,849 | 29.6   | 19.0   | 18.9 | 6.2                | 0.7                | 25.6       | 100       |
| Black                        | 294   | 16.0   | 14.6   | 28.2 | 10.5               | 1.4                | 29.3       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 332   | 27.7   | 17.5   | 15.7 | 6.9                | 0.3                | 31.9       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |        |        |      |                    |                    |            |           |
| Northeast                    | 822   | 28.1   | 20.3   | 19.7 | 7.2                | 0.6                | 24.1       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,406 | 26.4   | 19.9   | 21.5 | 4.7                | 0.8                | 26.7       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,690 | 26.6   | 16.5   | 21.8 | 7.0                | 0.8                | 27.3       | 100       |
| West                         | 960   | 33.8   | 16.3   | 9.7  | 10.6               | 0.7                | 29.0       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P38, P39

**Table 1.37. Percent of fathers or mothers of current baby who were ever breastfed when they were infants by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | Baby's mother |      |      |            |           | Baby's father |      |      |            |           |
|------------------------------|---------------|------|------|------------|-----------|---------------|------|------|------------|-----------|
|                              | N             | Yes  | No   | Don't know | Total (%) | N             | Yes  | No   | Don't know | Total (%) |
| ALL                          | 4,873         | 46.0 | 47.0 | 7.0        | 100       | 4,829         | 37.7 | 35.9 | 26.3       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,364         | 50.3 | 42.2 | 7.6        | 100       | 1,349         | 40.8 | 29.7 | 29.5       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,576         | 51.5 | 42.7 | 5.8        | 100       | 1,560         | 41.4 | 32.7 | 25.9       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,214         | 39.2 | 53.0 | 7.8        | 100       | 1,210         | 34.0 | 42.6 | 23.4       | 100       |
| 35+                          | 707           | 37.9 | 55.0 | 7.1        | 100       | 700           | 30.4 | 43.4 | 26.1       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,514         | 49.3 | 44.3 | 6.5        | 100       | 1,496         | 41.6 | 29.6 | 28.8       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,188         | 44.6 | 48.3 | 7.1        | 100       | 3,164         | 35.9 | 39.3 | 24.8       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,051         | 40.1 | 49.9 | 10.1       | 100       | 1,039         | 32.4 | 34.3 | 33.3       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,749         | 46.8 | 45.6 | 7.6        | 100       | 1,739         | 37.1 | 36.7 | 26.2       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,458         | 50.0 | 46.0 | 4.0        | 100       | 1,454         | 42.4 | 36.9 | 20.7       | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,189         | 45.7 | 45.6 | 8.6        | 100       | 2,162         | 36.1 | 33.6 | 30.3       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,675         | 46.1 | 47.9 | 6.0        | 100       | 1,667         | 39.2 | 37.6 | 23.2       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 1,009         | 46.5 | 48.4 | 5.2        | 100       | 1,000         | 38.9 | 38.2 | 22.9       | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| No                           | 3,242         | 47.0 | 46.5 | 6.5        | 100       | 3,220         | 39.6 | 36.2 | 24.2       | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,622         | 44.1 | 47.9 | 8.0        | 100       | 1,600         | 34.1 | 35.4 | 30.5       | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| White                        | 3,843         | 45.4 | 48.0 | 6.6        | 100       | 3,816         | 37.0 | 37.3 | 25.7       | 100       |
| Black                        | 295           | 36.6 | 54.6 | 8.8        | 100       | 291           | 28.2 | 37.1 | 34.7       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 333           | 48.3 | 43.8 | 7.8        | 100       | 326           | 40.2 | 30.1 | 29.8       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |               |      |      |            |           |               |      |      |            |           |
| Northeast                    | 824           | 38.8 | 55.5 | 5.7        | 100       | 814           | 32.3 | 41.5 | 26.2       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,403         | 43.1 | 47.8 | 9.1        | 100       | 1,386         | 35.5 | 36.6 | 27.9       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,689         | 41.6 | 51.6 | 6.8        | 100       | 1,681         | 34.5 | 39.1 | 26.4       | 100       |
| West                         | 957           | 64.4 | 30.3 | 5.3        | 100       | 948           | 51.4 | 24.6 | 24.1       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P40A, P40B

**Table 1.38. Percent of pregnant women who have had each number of other babies by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | Other babies birthed |      |      |      |           |           | Babies adopted when < 12 months old |      |     |     |           |           |
|------------------------------|----------------------|------|------|------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----------|-----------|
|                              | N                    | 0    | 1    | 2    | 3 or more | Total (%) | N                                   | 0    | 1   | 2   | 3 or more | Total (%) |
| ALL                          | 4,721                | 32.2 | 39.0 | 18.1 | 10.6      | 100       | 4,721                               | 99.1 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.1       | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,281                | 52.2 | 35.5 | 9.5  | 2.7       | 100       | 1,281                               | 99.5 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2       | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,529                | 30.5 | 39.9 | 20.7 | 8.9       | 100       | 1,529                               | 99.3 | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.0       | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,194                | 20.5 | 42.6 | 21.4 | 15.4      | 100       | 1,194                               | 99.2 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1       | 100       |
| 35+                          | 706                  | 19.7 | 37.5 | 22.2 | 20.5      | 100       | 706                                 | 97.9 | 1.6 | 0.1 | 0.4       | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,520                | 100  | 0.0  | 0.0  | 0.0       | 100       | 1,520                               | 99.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.1       | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,201                | 0.0  | 57.6 | 26.7 | 15.7      | 100       | 3,201                               | 99.2 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.2       | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| HS or less                   | 1,005                | 30.2 | 33.5 | 21.3 | 14.9      | 100       | 1,005                               | 99.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3       | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,710                | 29.2 | 38.9 | 19.4 | 12.5      | 100       | 1,710                               | 99.2 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.0       | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,440                | 31.7 | 44.8 | 16.6 | 6.9       | 100       | 1,440                               | 99.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0       | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,105                | 26.5 | 34.3 | 22.4 | 16.9      | 100       | 2,105                               | 99.0 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.2       | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,636                | 27.4 | 48.0 | 17.3 | 7.3       | 100       | 1,636                               | 99.1 | 0.7 | 0.1 | 0.1       | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 980                  | 52.6 | 34.3 | 10.4 | 2.8       | 100       | 980                                 | 99.4 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0       | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| No                           | 3,179                | 32.4 | 41.0 | 17.4 | 9.2       | 100       | 3,179                               | 99.2 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.1       | 100.0%    |
| Yes                          | 1,534                | 31.9 | 35.1 | 19.5 | 13.6      | 100       | 1,534                               | 99.1 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.1       | 100.0%    |
| <b>Race</b>                  |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| White                        | 3,743                | 31.0 | 39.1 | 19.2 | 10.7      | 100       | 3,743                               | 99.3 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.1       | 100       |
| Black                        | 281                  | 38.4 | 36.3 | 12.1 | 13.2      | 100       | 281                                 | 97.9 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.7       | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 317                  | 32.2 | 39.7 | 18.0 | 10.1      | 100       | 317                                 | 99.1 | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.3       | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |                      |      |      |      |           |           |                                     |      |     |     |           |           |
| Northeast                    | 793                  | 32.5 | 40.1 | 17.7 | 9.7       | 100.      | 793                                 | 99.6 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.1       | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,364                | 30.6 | 38.3 | 19.4 | 11.7      | 100       | 1,364                               | 99.2 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.1       | 100       |
| South                        | 1,628                | 33.7 | 39.5 | 17.3 | 9.5       | 100       | 1,628                               | 98.7 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2       | 100       |
| West                         | 936                  | 31.6 | 38.4 | 18.1 | 12.0      | 100       | 936                                 | 99.4 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0       | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P41\_1, P41\_2

**Table 1.39. Percent of pregnant women ever giving birth by cesarean by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>No previous births</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|------------------------------|----------|------------|-----------|---------------------------|------------------|
| ALL                          | 4,690    | 17.8       | 49.7      | 32.4                      | 100              |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| 18-24                        | 1,272    | 10.8       | 36.6      | 52.6                      | 100              |
| 25-29                        | 1,524    | 16.1       | 53.3      | 30.6                      | 100              |
| 30-34                        | 1,184    | 20.2       | 59.1      | 20.7                      | 100              |
| 35+                          | 699      | 30.5       | 49.6      | 19.9                      | 100              |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| Primiparous                  | 1,520    | 0.0        | 0.0       | 100.0                     | 100              |
| Multiparous                  | 3,170    | 26.4       | 73.6      | 0.0                       | 100              |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| HS or less                   | 1,001    | 18.0       | 51.6      | 30.4                      | 100              |
| Some college                 | 1,701    | 18.3       | 52.3      | 29.3                      | 100              |
| College graduate             | 1,428    | 17.9       | 50.2      | 31.9                      | 100              |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| < 185%                       | 2,094    | 18.0       | 55.4      | 26.6                      | 100              |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,625    | 20.3       | 52.1      | 27.6                      | 100              |
| >=350%                       | 971      | 13.5       | 33.5      | 53.0                      | 100              |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| No                           | 3,155    | 17.4       | 49.9      | 32.6                      | 100.             |
| Yes                          | 1,527    | 18.7       | 49.3      | 32.0                      | 100              |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| White                        | 3,724    | 18.0       | 50.9      | 31.2                      | 100              |
| Black                        | 276      | 16.3       | 44.6      | 39.1                      | 100              |
| Hispanic                     | 314      | 17.5       | 50.0      | 32.5                      | 100              |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |            |           |                           |                  |
| Northeast                    | 790      | 18.4       | 49.0      | 32.7                      | 100              |
| Midwest                      | 1,350    | 17.8       | 51.3      | 30.9                      | 100              |
| South                        | 1,617    | 18.6       | 47.4      | 34.0                      | 100              |
| West                         | 933      | 16.2       | 52.1      | 31.7                      | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P41\_1, P42

**Table 1.40. Percent of pregnant women who stopped breastfeeding their other baby in each age category by selected demographics<sup>1, 2</sup>**

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|                              | N     | < 1 month | 1 to 2 months | 3 to 4 months | 5 to 6 months | 7 to 9 months | 10 to 12 months | > 12 months | No previous babies | Never breastfed a baby | Total (%) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------|
| ALL                          | 4,674 | 7.1       | 8.1           | 7.1           | 6.7           | 6.3           | 8.6             | 11.1        | 32.5               | 12.4                   | 100       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| 18-24                        | 1,266 | 8.0       | 8.0           | 5.9           | 4.1           | 2.8           | 3.2             | 3.3         | 52.8               | 11.8                   | 100       |
| 25-29                        | 1,521 | 6.2       | 8.4           | 7.5           | 7.4           | 6.8           | 9.0             | 12.0        | 30.6               | 12.1                   | 100       |
| 30-34                        | 1,178 | 7.9       | 8.0           | 7.2           | 7.0           | 8.4           | 13.0            | 14.3        | 20.8               | 13.5                   | 100       |
| 35+                          | 698   | 6.4       | 7.7           | 8.3           | 9.7           | 8.2           | 10.0            | 17.9        | 19.9               | 11.7                   | 100       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| Primiparous                  | 1,520 | 0.0       | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0           | 0.0             | 0.0         | 100.0              | 0.0                    | 100       |
| Multiparous                  | 3,154 | 10.6      | 12.0          | 10.6          | 10.0          | 9.4           | 12.7            | 16.5        | 0.0                | 18.3                   | 100       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| HS or less                   | 998   | 9.3       | 7.7           | 8.5           | 6.4           | 4.9           | 6.1             | 5.8         | 30.5               | 20.7                   | 100       |
| Some college                 | 1,695 | 7.7       | 9.6           | 8.0           | 7.8           | 6.3           | 8.7             | 10.3        | 29.4               | 12.2                   | 100       |
| College graduate             | 1,426 | 4.8       | 6.9           | 6.0           | 6.3           | 8.4           | 12.2            | 17.7        | 32.0               | 5.7                    | 100       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| < 185%                       | 2,082 | 8.3       | 8.7           | 8.3           | 7.4           | 5.7           | 7.7             | 11.1        | 26.8               | 16.0                   | 100       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,619 | 7.4       | 8.2           | 7.2           | 6.7           | 7.8           | 10.2            | 13.3        | 27.7               | 11.6                   | 100       |
| >=350%                       | 973   | 4.3       | 6.4           | 4.7           | 5.3           | 5.2           | 7.7             | 7.5         | 52.9               | 5.9                    | 100       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| No                           | 3,148 | 6.5       | 7.7           | 6.9           | 7.0           | 6.8           | 9.9             | 12.3        | 32.7               | 10.2                   | 100       |
| Yes                          | 1,518 | 8.4       | 8.7           | 7.7           | 6.2           | 5.3           | 5.8             | 8.8         | 32.2               | 16.9                   | 100       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| White                        | 3,709 | 7.4       | 8.3           | 6.9           | 6.5           | 6.4           | 9.0             | 11.8        | 31.3               | 12.4                   | 100       |
| Black                        | 276   | 6.5       | 6.9           | 6.5           | 8.0           | 4.3           | 5.1             | 6.2         | 39.1               | 17.4                   | 100       |
| Hispanic                     | 316   | 6.0       | 8.5           | 13.0          | 8.2           | 6.3           | 8.2             | 7.3         | 32.3               | 10.1                   | 100       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |           |               |               |               |               |                 |             |                    |                        |           |
| Northeast                    | 785   | 6.8       | 5.5           | 6.8           | 7.4           | 6.6           | 8.2             | 11.1        | 32.9               | 14.9                   | 100       |
| Midwest                      | 1,349 | 7.5       | 8.3           | 8.3           | 6.5           | 5.7           | 8.3             | 10.0        | 30.9               | 14.5                   | 100       |
| South                        | 1,611 | 7.9       | 10.1          | 6.3           | 6.6           | 5.0           | 7.8             | 9.4         | 34.1               | 12.8                   | 100       |
| West                         | 929   | 5.7       | 6.4           | 7.3           | 6.6           | 9.4           | 10.8            | 15.7        | 31.9               | 6.4                    | 100       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P41\_1, P43, P44

<sup>2</sup> Mother answered for the youngest one if she has more than one baby

**Table 1.41. Percent of pregnant women who have heard of each problem related to food by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | Listeria |      | Mercury |      | Dioxins or PCB's |      |
|------------------------------|----------|------|---------|------|------------------|------|
|                              | N        | Yes  | N       | Yes  | N                | Yes  |
| ALL                          | 4,821    | 33.0 | 4,863   | 67.7 | 4,818            | 22.8 |
| <b>Age</b>                   |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| 18-24                        | 1,343    | 16.7 | 1,361   | 54.4 | 1,344            | 13.8 |
| 25-29                        | 1,564    | 35.9 | 1,569   | 69.7 | 1,563            | 20.7 |
| 30-34                        | 1,201    | 39.5 | 1,211   | 74.8 | 1,198            | 26.5 |
| 35+                          | 701      | 46.5 | 710     | 76.5 | 702              | 38.6 |
| <b>Parity</b>                |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| Primiparous                  | 1,499    | 34.2 | 1,508   | 69.2 | 1,497            | 23.0 |
| Multiparous                  | 3,148    | 33.1 | 3,180   | 67.8 | 3,148            | 23.2 |
| <b>Education</b>             |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| HS or less                   | 1,035    | 17.9 | 1,045   | 55.2 | 1,036            | 13.0 |
| Some college                 | 1,726    | 30.8 | 1,748   | 67.9 | 1,726            | 19.4 |
| College graduate             | 1,456    | 51.2 | 1,459   | 83.5 | 1,449            | 35.1 |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| < 185%                       | 2,165    | 23.5 | 2,181   | 58.3 | 2,163            | 16.7 |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,652    | 35.0 | 1,674   | 71.2 | 1,651            | 23.7 |
| >=350%                       | 1,004    | 50.0 | 1,008   | 82.0 | 1,004            | 34.6 |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| No                           | 3,210    | 39.5 | 3,234   | 74.0 | 3,205            | 26.3 |
| Yes                          | 1,602    | 20.0 | 1,620   | 55.0 | 1,604            | 15.9 |
| <b>Race</b>                  |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| White                        | 3,806    | 34.6 | 3,838   | 69.8 | 3,802            | 24.3 |
| Black                        | 293      | 22.9 | 293     | 51.2 | 292              | 11.0 |
| Hispanic                     | 330      | 25.8 | 331     | 60.7 | 328              | 15.9 |
| <b>Region</b>                |          |      |         |      |                  |      |
| Northeast                    | 813      | 38.0 | 820     | 71.6 | 810              | 26.5 |
| Midwest                      | 1,398    | 34.3 | 1,403   | 66.2 | 1,392            | 24.8 |
| South                        | 1,668    | 30.9 | 1,685   | 65.1 | 1,670            | 19.8 |
| West                         | 942      | 30.3 | 955     | 70.9 | 946              | 22.1 |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P45A, P45B, P45C

**Table 1.42. Percent of pregnant women who linked each kind of food to *Listeria* by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who have heard of this problem**

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|                              | N     | Some types of fish | All types of fish | Some types of shell fish | Some types of meat or chicken | All types of meat or chicken | Some types of cheeses | Some types of luncheon meats | All types of luncheon meats | Don't know |
|------------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| ALL                          | 1,566 | 5.3                | 1.6               | 3.2                      | 27.5                          | 7.9                          | 46.2                  | 46.0                         | 26.4                        | 16.8       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| 18-24                        | 217   | 6.9                | 2.3               | 6.5                      | 30.9                          | 9.2                          | 40.6                  | 39.6                         | 18.0                        | 26.7       |
| 25-29                        | 553   | 4.9                | 1.4               | 3.4                      | 27.5                          | 9.8                          | 45.0                  | 47.2                         | 28.9                        | 16.1       |
| 30-34                        | 472   | 4.9                | 1.9               | 2.3                      | 27.3                          | 6.4                          | 48.3                  | 48.3                         | 29.2                        | 15.0       |
| 35+                          | 321   | 5.6                | 0.9               | 1.9                      | 25.5                          | 5.9                          | 49.2                  | 44.9                         | 23.7                        | 14.0       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Primiparous                  | 505   | 5.3                | 1.4               | 2.8                      | 27.7                          | 9.7                          | 49.9                  | 44.8                         | 31.7                        | 14.7       |
| Multiparous                  | 1,028 | 5.2                | 1.6               | 3.2                      | 27.7                          | 7.0                          | 44.1                  | 46.5                         | 23.9                        | 17.9       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| HS or less                   | 181   | 8.3                | 3.9               | 5.0                      | 28.2                          | 6.1                          | 37.0                  | 41.4                         | 21.5                        | 21.5       |
| Some college                 | 524   | 7.3                | 1.3               | 3.1                      | 30.2                          | 9.7                          | 42.6                  | 43.7                         | 24.0                        | 19.3       |
| College graduate             | 740   | 2.7                | 1.2               | 2.2                      | 26.4                          | 6.8                          | 53.4                  | 51.4                         | 30.0                        | 11.2       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| < 185%                       | 499   | 7.2                | 1.8               | 3.8                      | 30.1                          | 9.2                          | 39.7                  | 41.3                         | 23.2                        | 20.8       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 572   | 4.0                | 0.7               | 3.1                      | 25.9                          | 8.2                          | 45.3                  | 47.9                         | 24.3                        | 17.5       |
| >=350%                       | 495   | 4.8                | 2.4               | 2.6                      | 26.9                          | 6.3                          | 53.7                  | 48.5                         | 32.1                        | 11.9       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| No                           | 1,255 | 4.5                | 1.4               | 2.9                      | 27.8                          | 7.7                          | 47.9                  | 47.6                         | 27.0                        | 15.6       |
| Yes                          | 310   | 8.4                | 2.6               | 4.2                      | 26.5                          | 8.7                          | 39.0                  | 39.7                         | 24.2                        | 21.6       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| White                        | 1,303 | 5.0                | 1.3               | 2.6                      | 27.6                          | 7.4                          | 46.4                  | 47.4                         | 26.6                        | 16.8       |
| Black                        | 65    | 1.5                | 6.2               | 4.6                      | 24.6                          | 6.2                          | 38.5                  | 30.8                         | 21.5                        | 20.0       |
| Hispanic                     | 82    | 8.5                | 2.4               | 9.8                      | 26.8                          | 12.2                         | 47.6                  | 32.9                         | 26.8                        | 17.1       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Northeast                    | 303   | 6.3                | 2.3               | 3.0                      | 27.7                          | 8.6                          | 49.2                  | 49.5                         | 32.3                        | 11.6       |
| Midwest                      | 474   | 4.4                | 0.8               | 2.5                      | 30.0                          | 9.1                          | 44.9                  | 46.8                         | 25.3                        | 18.4       |
| South                        | 507   | 5.9                | 2.6               | 3.6                      | 23.9                          | 6.5                          | 42.8                  | 42.4                         | 21.9                        | 17.6       |
| West                         | 282   | 4.6                | 0.4               | 3.9                      | 29.8                          | 7.8                          | 51.1                  | 47.2                         | 30.1                        | 18.4       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P46A1-9

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.43. Percent of pregnant women who linked each kind of food to mercury by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>, among those who have heard of this problem**

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|                              | N     | Some types of fish | All types of fish | Some types of shell fish | Some types of meat or chicken | All types of meat or chicken | Some types of cheeses | Some types of luncheon meats | All types of luncheon meats | Don't know |
|------------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| ALL                          | 3,243 | 83.9               | 14.3              | 32.8                     | 0.6                           | 0.2                          | 0.4                   | 0.9                          | 0.3                         | 3.4        |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| 18-24                        | 722   | 80.3               | 15.9              | 34.3                     | 1.1                           | 0.4                          | 0.7                   | 1.8                          | 0.7                         | 5.7        |
| 25-29                        | 1,075 | 84.3               | 14.7              | 32.9                     | 0.6                           | 0.1                          | 0.2                   | 0.7                          | 0.2                         | 3.0        |
| 30-34                        | 901   | 85.9               | 13.1              | 30.9                     | 0.3                           | 0.1                          | 0.4                   | 0.6                          | 0.2                         | 2.8        |
| 35+                          | 538   | 84.4               | 13.6              | 33.5                     | 0.7                           | 0.0                          | 0.2                   | 0.4                          | 0.2                         | 2.2        |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Primiparous                  | 1,025 | 84.0               | 14.4              | 35.3                     | 0.7                           | 0.1                          | 0.4                   | 0.9                          | 0.4                         | 3.5        |
| Multiparous                  | 2,130 | 84.1               | 14.3              | 31.8                     | 0.6                           | 0.2                          | 0.3                   | 0.8                          | 0.3                         | 3.3        |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| HS or less                   | 563   | 81.0               | 15.5              | 30.0                     | 1.1                           | 0.0                          | 0.9                   | 1.1                          | 0.0                         | 4.3        |
| Some college                 | 1,174 | 82.7               | 15.3              | 32.8                     | 0.7                           | 0.2                          | 0.3                   | 1.0                          | 0.3                         | 3.7        |
| College graduate             | 1,208 | 88.6               | 11.9              | 33.6                     | 0.3                           | 0.1                          | 0.2                   | 0.5                          | 0.2                         | 1.5        |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| < 185%                       | 1,243 | 81.3               | 15.4              | 31.5                     | 0.9                           | 0.2                          | 0.9                   | 1.4                          | 0.4                         | 5.0        |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,183 | 85.4               | 13.4              | 33.8                     | 0.6                           | 0.1                          | 0.1                   | 0.8                          | 0.2                         | 2.9        |
| >=350%                       | 817   | 85.7               | 13.8              | 33.3                     | 0.4                           | 0.2                          | 0.0                   | 0.2                          | 0.4                         | 1.7        |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| No                           | 2,369 | 85.6               | 13.4              | 33.4                     | 0.5                           | 0.1                          | 0.1                   | 0.7                          | 0.3                         | 2.7        |
| Yes                          | 869   | 79.2               | 16.8              | 31.2                     | 1.2                           | 0.2                          | 1.0                   | 1.3                          | 0.5                         | 5.3        |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| White                        | 2,645 | 84.6               | 13.8              | 32.7                     | 0.6                           | 0.1                          | 0.3                   | 0.8                          | 0.3                         | 3.1        |
| Black                        | 146   | 80.8               | 17.1              | 26.7                     | 1.4                           | 0.7                          | 2.7                   | 2.1                          | 0.0                         | 2.1        |
| Hispanic                     | 197   | 77.7               | 16.8              | 32.5                     | 1.5                           | 0.0                          | 0.0                   | 0.0                          | 0.0                         | 6.1        |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Northeast                    | 580   | 86.7               | 12.2              | 29.7                     | 0.3                           | 0.2                          | 0.5                   | 0.9                          | 0.2                         | 2.8        |
| Midwest                      | 915   | 81.6               | 16.5              | 33.0                     | 0.7                           | 0.1                          | 0.1                   | 0.4                          | 0.4                         | 4.2        |
| South                        | 1,082 | 84.8               | 12.8              | 33.5                     | 0.6                           | 0.0                          | 0.4                   | 1.1                          | 0.4                         | 3.0        |
| West                         | 666   | 83.2               | 15.5              | 34.1                     | 0.9                           | 0.5                          | 0.6                   | 1.1                          | 0.2                         | 3.5        |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P46B1-9

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.44. Percent of pregnant women who linked each kind of food to dioxins or PCB's by selected demographics<sup>1, 2</sup>, among those who have heard of this problem**

Infant Feeding Practices Study II

|                              | N     | Some types of fish | All types of fish | Some types of shell fish | Some types of meat or chicken | All types of meat or chicken | Some types of cheeses | Some types of luncheon meats | All types of luncheon meats | Don't know |
|------------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| ALL                          | 1,077 | 21.4               | 6.4               | 14.2                     | 13.6                          | 4.0                          | 5.7                   | 11.8                         | 5.0                         | 48.7       |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| 18-24                        | 178   | 11.8               | 7.3               | 10.1                     | 12.9                          | 2.8                          | 5.6                   | 15.7                         | 5.6                         | 53.4       |
| 25-29                        | 318   | 18.9               | 4.1               | 10.7                     | 15.1                          | 4.1                          | 8.2                   | 11.9                         | 4.1                         | 52.5       |
| 30-34                        | 313   | 24.0               | 8.0               | 21.1                     | 12.5                          | 3.8                          | 4.8                   | 8.3                          | 4.8                         | 47.9       |
| 35+                          | 266   | 28.2               | 6.8               | 13.2                     | 13.5                          | 4.9                          | 3.8                   | 12.8                         | 6.0                         | 41.7       |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Primiparous                  | 338   | 18.9               | 7.7               | 13.0                     | 14.8                          | 4.7                          | 7.1                   | 12.4                         | 6.5                         | 46.2       |
| Multiparous                  | 716   | 22.8               | 5.9               | 14.8                     | 12.8                          | 3.5                          | 5.0                   | 11.7                         | 4.5                         | 49.9       |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| HS or less                   | 132   | 9.1                | 4.5               | 9.8                      | 14.4                          | 3.0                          | 6.1                   | 17.4                         | 3.8                         | 60.6       |
| Some college                 | 326   | 21.5               | 5.8               | 12.9                     | 13.8                          | 3.7                          | 7.1                   | 8.9                          | 6.4                         | 47.9       |
| College graduate             | 501   | 25.7               | 6.8               | 16.4                     | 13.8                          | 4.4                          | 4.8                   | 12.0                         | 4.0                         | 45.7       |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| < 185%                       | 351   | 17.9               | 2.3               | 12.5                     | 16.0                          | 4.0                          | 6.0                   | 14.2                         | 4.0                         | 52.1       |
| 185- < 350%                  | 385   | 21.3               | 7.3               | 15.3                     | 13.5                          | 3.1                          | 4.7                   | 10.4                         | 5.7                         | 49.9       |
| >=350%                       | 341   | 25.2               | 9.7               | 14.7                     | 11.1                          | 5.0                          | 6.5                   | 10.9                         | 5.3                         | 43.7       |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| No                           | 828   | 22.8               | 7.1               | 15.5                     | 13.0                          | 4.0                          | 5.7                   | 11.7                         | 4.7                         | 47.6       |
| Yes                          | 247   | 16.6               | 4.0               | 10.1                     | 15.4                          | 4.0                          | 5.7                   | 12.1                         | 6.1                         | 52.2       |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| White                        | 909   | 21.6               | 6.8               | 14.6                     | 12.4                          | 3.4                          | 5.2                   | 12.0                         | 4.0                         | 50.2       |
| Black                        | 30    | 16.7               | 3.3               | 3.3                      | 26.7                          | 10.0                         | 10.0                  | 3.3                          | 6.7                         | 40.0       |
| Hispanic                     | 51    | 21.6               | 3.9               | 13.7                     | 25.5                          | 5.9                          | 9.8                   | 13.7                         | 13.7                        | 39.2       |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                    |                   |                          |                               |                              |                       |                              |                             |            |
| Northeast                    | 209   | 28.2               | 6.2               | 19.1                     | 10.0                          | 4.3                          | 4.3                   | 12.0                         | 5.3                         | 42.6       |
| Midwest                      | 340   | 25.0               | 9.1               | 13.8                     | 12.6                          | 3.8                          | 3.2                   | 9.7                          | 2.9                         | 52.1       |
| South                        | 325   | 18.5               | 4.3               | 12.9                     | 15.7                          | 2.5                          | 8.0                   | 13.5                         | 4.9                         | 47.1       |
| West                         | 203   | 13.3               | 5.4               | 11.8                     | 15.3                          | 6.4                          | 7.4                   | 12.3                         | 8.4                         | 51.7       |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P46C1-9

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.45. Percent of pregnant women who have obtained information from each source about their diet or about feeding babies for the current pregnancy<sup>1,2</sup>**

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|  | <b>N</b> | <b>Information about women's diet while pregnant</b> | <b>Information about feeding babies</b> | <b>No information from this source</b> |
|--|----------|--|---|--|
| Doctor, nurse, or other health professional                                    | 4,850    | 81.3   | 56.6                                    | 11.4                                   |
| WIC food program   | 4,769    | 37.9   | 35.4                                    | 55.4                                   |
| Relative or friend   | 4,782    | 52.5   | 61.5                                    | 26.5                                   |
| Books or videos  | 4,782    | 61.8   | 60.0                                    | 27.9                                   |
| Newspaper or magazine  | 4,782    | 55.4   | 57.3                                    | 33.3                                   |
| Television or radio  | 4,733    | 20.3   | 24.3                                    | 70.4                                   |
| The web site, <a href="http://www.4woman.gov">www.4woman.gov</a>               | 4,697    | 2.3  | 2.1                                     | 96.7                                   |
| The web site, <a href="http://www.breastfeeding.com">www.breastfeeding.com</a> | 4,703    | 2.5  | 5.7                                     | 93.5                                   |
| Other government web site  | 4,687    | 2.9  | 3.1                                     | 95.6                                   |
| Other non-government web site  | 4,707    | 27.2   | 28.2                                    | 67.7                                   |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P47A1-3, P47B1-3, P47C1-3, P47D1-3, P47E1-3, P47F1-3, P47G1-3, P47H1-3, P47I1-3, P47J1-3

<sup>2</sup> Percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply

**Table 1.46. Percent of pregnant women who have recently seen, heard, or read anything about breastfeeding or about infant formula from each place by selected demographics<sup>1</sup>**

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|                              | Breastfeeding |      | Infant formula |      |
|------------------------------|---------------|------|----------------|------|
|                              | N             | Yes  | N              | Yes  |
| TV                           | 4,797         | 33.8 | 4,801          | 71.1 |
| Magazine                     | 4,827         | 74.7 | 4,798          | 84.1 |
| Newspaper                    | 4,787         | 10.9 | 4,746          | 17.0 |
| Radio                        | 4,754         | 6.5  | 4,707          | 9.9  |
| On the internet or web       | 4,795         | 56.2 | 4,752          | 57.2 |
| Billboard or outdoor posters | 4,770         | 14.4 | 4,729          | 15.8 |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P48A1-2, P48B1-2, P48C1-2, P48D1-2, P48E1-2, P48F1-2

**Table 1.47. Percent of pregnant women who have recently seen each ad about breastfeeding<sup>1</sup>**

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|   | <b>N</b> | <b>Yes</b> | <b>No</b> | <b>Not sure</b> | <b>Total (%)</b> |
|---|----------|------------|-----------|-----------------|------------------|
| On TV that shows a pregnant woman riding a mechanical bull  | 4,873    | 4.1        | 93.8      | 2.1             | 100              |
| On TV that shows a pregnant woman drinking a soda and eating greasy food                          | 4,870    | 7.8        | 89.2      | 3.1             | 100              |
| On TV that shows pregnant women in a log rolling competition                                      | 4,864    | 5.4        | 92.9      | 1.7             | 100              |
| In a magazine or newspaper that shows two dandelions  | 4,815    | 4.6        | 88.5      | 6.9             | 100              |
| In a magazine or newspaper that shows two otoscopes, the medical tool used to examine the ear     | 4,860    | 3.3        | 92.1      | 4.5             | 100              |
| In a magazine or newspaper that shows two scoops of ice cream                                     | 4,841    | 7.6        | 86.7      | 5.7             | 100              |
| In a magazine, newspaper, a billboard or the internet that has only words regarding breastfeeding | 4,861    | 15.2       | 78.2      | 6.6             | 100              |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P49A-G

**Table 1.48. Percent of pregnant women who have recently heard each type of radio ad featuring a man singing about breastfeeding by selected demographics<sup>1,2</sup>**

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|                              | N     | Yes, the soul music ad | Yes, the country western music ad | No, have not heard either | Not sure |
|------------------------------|-------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|----------|
| ALL                          | 4,875 | 0.7                    | 0.9                               | 94.4                      | 5.2      |
| <b>Age</b>                   |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| 18-24                        | 1,369 | 1.1                    | 1.1                               | 90.9                      | 8.3      |
| 25-29                        | 1,570 | 0.7                    | 1.0                               | 95.0                      | 4.3      |
| 30-34                        | 1,214 | 0.4                    | 0.6                               | 95.9                      | 4.0      |
| 35+                          | 710   | 0.4                    | 0.6                               | 97.2                      | 3.2      |
| <b>Parity</b>                |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| Primiparous                  | 1,514 | 0.7                    | 0.7                               | 93.7                      | 6.1      |
| Multiparous                  | 3,187 | 0.6                    | 0.9                               | 95.1                      | 4.5      |
| <b>Education</b>             |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| HS or less                   | 1,045 | 0.8                    | 1.0                               | 92.0                      | 7.5      |
| Some college                 | 1,753 | 0.5                    | 0.7                               | 95.1                      | 4.7      |
| College graduate             | 1,459 | 0.3                    | 0.4                               | 97.5                      | 2.7      |
| <b>Income (% of poverty)</b> |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| < 185%                       | 2,192 | 1.1                    | 1.3                               | 92.3                      | 6.5      |
| 185- < 350%                  | 1,676 | 0.4                    | 0.6                               | 95.6                      | 4.5      |
| >=350%                       | 1,007 | 0.4                    | 0.4                               | 96.9                      | 3.5      |
| <b>WIC Participant</b>       |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| No                           | 3,241 | 0.4                    | 0.6                               | 95.9                      | 4.1      |
| Yes                          | 1,625 | 1.4                    | 1.4                               | 91.4                      | 7.4      |
| <b>Race</b>                  |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| White                        | 3,844 | 0.4                    | 0.7                               | 95.1                      | 4.6      |
| Black                        | 298   | 1.3                    | 0.7                               | 93.6                      | 7.0      |
| Hispanic                     | 334   | 1.8                    | 1.2                               | 90.4                      | 8.1      |
| <b>Region</b>                |       |                        |                                   |                           |          |
| Northeast                    | 825   | 0.6                    | 1.0                               | 96.0                      | 3.8      |
| Midwest                      | 1,405 | 0.6                    | 0.7                               | 94.7                      | 4.9      |
| South                        | 1,688 | 0.8                    | 0.9                               | 93.2                      | 6.5      |
| West                         | 957   | 0.6                    | 0.9                               | 94.7                      | 4.6      |

<sup>1</sup> Table is based on variables: P50A-D

<sup>2</sup> Row percentages do not add up to 100% because women could choose all that apply