

Number and percent of women who drank any alcohol during the last three months of pregnancy by select sociodemographic characteristics: NYC PRAMS, 2009

Characteristic	Number	Percent	95% CI
Overall			
2009 Births	10,647	9.3	7.5 - 11.4
Age			
19 and under	767	10.8	4.8 - 22.6
20 to 24	1,361	5.7	3.1 - 10.4
25 to 34	5,290	8.7	6.5 - 11.6
35 and over	3,229	14.0	9.7 - 19.9
Race/ethnicity			
White non-Hispanic	5,711	18.6	14.2 - 24.2
Black non-Hispanic	734	3.1	1.4 - 6.7
Hispanic	2,262	5.8	3.6 - 9.0
Asian/Pacific Islander	1,272	8.1	4.5 - 14.3
Other	667	12.6	5.5 - 26.0
Education			
Not a High School Graduate	1,728	6.5	3.8 - 11.2
High School Graduate	1,420	4.7	2.7 - 8.3
Some College	1,591	6.4	3.8 - 10.8
College Graduate	5,891	17.7	13.5 - 22.7
Payment for Prenatal Care			
Medicaid	3,173	5.2	3.5 - 7.6
No Medicaid	7,474	14.0	11.0 - 17.7
Nativity			
US Born	6,178	11.7	8.9 - 15.2
Foreign born	4,469	7.2	5.3 - 9.9
Borough of residence			
Bronx	1,061	4.5	2.2 - 8.8
Brooklyn	3,143	7.5	5.2 - 10.9
Manhattan	3,369	19.6	13.7 - 27.2
Queens	2,777	10.2	6.8 - 15.0
Staten Island**	296	6.1	1.7 - 19.3

* Notes.

1. Question #33a: During the last 3 months of your pregnancy, how many alcoholic drinks did you have in an average week? Answers:

14 drinks or more a week	7 to 13 drinks a week
4 to 6 drinks a week	1 to 3 drinks a week
Less than 1 drink a week	I didn't drink then

[Women who reported drinking any quantity were counted as drinking alcohol.]

2. Totals for each category may not equal overall total due to missing data or rounding.

3. Data are weighted and are based on responses of 1,394 NYC women giving birth in 2009.

** estimates based on <60 respondents and may not be reliable.