

Number and percent of women who smoked during the last three months of pregnancy
by select sociodemographic characteristics: NYC PRAMS, 2006*

Characteristic	Number	Percent	95% CI
Overall			
All NYC mothers, 2006	4,590	3.9	2.8 - 5.4
Age			
19 and under	285	3.7	1.1 - 12.0
20 to 24	646	2.5	1.2 - 5.3
25 to 34	2,845	4.7	3.0 - 7.1
35 and over	814	3.6	1.8 - 7.1
Race/ethnicity			
White non-Hispanic	1,120	3.1	1.6 - 6.1
Black non-Hispanic	1,378	5.1	2.8 - 9.0
Hispanic	1,757	4.4	2.6 - 7.2
Asian/Pacific Islander	334	2.4	0.6 - 9.2
Education			
Less than high school	1,510	6.2	3.4 - 11.1
High school	1,240	3.5	1.9 - 6.2
More than high school	1,813	3.2	2.0 - 5.3
Insurance before pregnancy			
No insurance	1,492	4.4	2.5 - 7.9
Medicaid	1,479	4.6	2.6 - 8.0
Other insurance	1,618	3.2	1.9 - 5.4
Nativity			
Foreign born	1,417	2.1	1.2 - 3.9
US born (Includes Puerto Rico & U.S. Virgin Islands)	3,156	6.2	4.2 - 9.0
Borough of residence			
Bronx	1,586	7.2	4.1 - 12.4
Brooklyn	980	2.6	1.3 - 5.1
Manhattan	667	3.1	1.4 - 6.7
Queens	761	2.6	1.2 - 5.6
Staten Island	595	11.2	4.6 - 24.8

* Notes.

1. PRAMS Question #32: In the 3 last months of pregnancy, how many cigarettes did you smoke on an average day?

Answers:

- 41 cigarettes or more
- 21-40 cigarettes
- 11 to 20 cigarettes
- 6 to 10 cigarettes
- 1 to 5 cigarettes
- Less than 1 cigarette
- None (0 cigarettes)

Women who reported smoking any cigarettes were counted as smokers.

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 1,525 NYC women giving birth in 2006.