

Number and percent of women who smoked during the last three months of pregnancy
by select sociodemographic characteristics: NYC PRAMS, 2004-2005*

Characteristic	Number	Percent	95% CI
Overall	8,210	6.1	4.8 - 7.7
Age			
≤19	777	8.2	3.6 - 17.7
20-24	1,690	5.9	3.6 - 9.6
25-34	4,708	6.8	5.0 - 9.3
≥35	1,035	3.8	2.0 - 7.0
Race			
White non-Hispanic	2,914	7.4	5.0 - 11.0
Black non-Hispanic	1,899	6.0	3.8 - 9.4
Hispanic	2,906	5.9	4.0 - 8.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	370	2.6	0.9 - 7.5
Education			
<12 years	2,781	9.7	6.5 - 14.3
12 years	2,653	6.1	4.0 - 9.4
>12 years	2,655	4.3	2.9 - 6.2
Insurance Status Before Pregnancy			
No insurance	2,827	7.1	4.7 - 10.6
Medicaid	2,625	7.4	5.0 - 10.8
Other insurance	2,758	4.7	3.1 - 7.1
Country of Birth			
US born (Includes Puerto Rico & U.S. Virgin Islands)	4,954	8.4	6.2 - 11.3
Foreign born	3,244	4.3	3.0 - 6.3
Borough of Residence			
Bronx	962	5.0	2.7 - 9.3
Brooklyn	3,022	5.9	4.0 - 8.5
Manhattan	1,148	5.1	2.7 - 9.4
Queens	1,782	5.1	3.0 - 8.6
Staten Island	1,297	19.1	10.6 - 32.1

* Notes.

1. PRAMS Question #32: In the last 3 months of your 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 represent NYC resident births from July to December 2004 and May to December 2005.

Data are weighted and are based on responses of 1,796 women giving birth in these time periods.