

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

Characteristic	Number	Percent	95% CI
<b>Overall</b>	11,661	8.7	7.2 - 10.4
<b>Age</b>			
≤19	315	3.3	0.9 - 11.3
20-24	574	2.0	0.8 - 4.8
25-34	6,989	10.2	8.0 - 12.9
≥35	3,783	14.0	10.2 - 18.8
<b>Race</b>			
White non-Hispanic	6,681	17.2	13.5 - 21.7
Black non-Hispanic	1,963	6.2	3.9 - 9.8
Hispanic	2,221	4.5	3.0 - 6.8
Asian/Pacific Islander	613	4.3	1.9 - 9.4
<b>Education</b>			
<12 years	831	2.9	1.5 - 5.6
12 years	1,951	4.5	2.7 - 7.3
>12 years	8,713	14.1	11.4 - 17.2
<b>Insurance Status Before Pregnancy</b>			
No insurance	1,777	4.4	2.8 - 7.0
Medicaid	1,654	4.6	2.8 - 7.6
Other insurance	8,218	14.2	11.5 - 17.6
<b>Country of Birth</b>			
US born (Includes Puerto Rico & U.S. Virgin Islands)	6,179	10.5	8.2 - 13.5
Foreign born	5,084	6.8	5.1 - 9.0
<b>Borough of Residence</b>			
Bronx	1,085	5.6	3.1 - 10.0
Brooklyn	4,352	8.4	6.2 - 11.5
Manhattan	3,946	17.4	12.8 - 23.2
Queens	1,986	5.8	3.6 - 9.1
Staten Island	292	4.4	1.5 - 12.5

\* Notes.

1. PRAMS Question #36a: 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 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.