



MIHA Data Snapshot, Humboldt County, 2013-2014

Maternal and Infant Health Assessment (MIHA) Survey

✓ better than rest of California ✗ worse than rest of California ♦ no statistical difference

		Humboldt County			California		
		%	95% CI	Population Estimate	%	95% CI	Population Estimate
Health Status Before Pregnancy							
In good to excellent health	♦	91.6	87.8 - 95.4	1,400	92.4	91.5 - 93.3	452,800
Chronic conditions							
Diabetes†	♦	4.2 *	0.6 - 7.9	100	2.3	1.8 - 2.8	10,900
Hypertension†	♦	3.5 *	1.4 - 5.7	100	2.5	2.0 - 2.9	11,900
Asthma†	✗	14.7	10.0 - 19.5	200	7.8	7.0 - 8.6	37,500
Nutrition and Weight							
Daily folic acid use, month before pregnancy	✗	23.3	18.8 - 27.8	300	32.7	31.1 - 34.3	159,900
Overweight before pregnancy	♦	28.2	22.6 - 33.8	400	24.7	23.2 - 26.2	114,900
Obese before pregnancy	♦	21.0	15.7 - 26.3	300	20.3	18.9 - 21.7	94,400
Inadequate weight gain during pregnancy	✓	9.6	6.4 - 12.7	100	17.7	16.2 - 19.2	72,900
Excessive weight gain during pregnancy	✗	50.2	43.6 - 56.8	600	41.4	39.5 - 43.2	170,100
Food insecurity during pregnancy	♦	17.7	13.1 - 22.3	300	16.6	15.4 - 17.9	80,500
Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) and Depressive Symptoms							
Physical or psychological IPV during pregnancy	♦	9.1	5.7 - 12.4	100	7.1	6.2 - 7.9	34,500
Prenatal depressive symptoms	♦	14.3	9.6 - 19.0	200	14.1	12.9 - 15.3	68,900
Postpartum depressive symptoms	♦	16.9	12.2 - 21.6	200	13.0	11.8 - 14.1	63,200
Hardships and Support during Pregnancy							
Experienced two or more hardships during childhood	✗	36.1	30.2 - 42.0	500	25.3	23.8 - 26.7	121,600
Homeless or did not have a regular place to sleep	♦	1.8 *	0.5 - 3.0	< 100	2.9	2.4 - 3.4	14,000
Moved due to problems paying rent or mortgage	♦	5.1	3.0 - 7.3	100	6.9	6.0 - 7.7	33,600
Woman or partner lost job	♦	14.4	10.5 - 18.2	200	14.6	13.4 - 15.8	71,000
Woman or partner had pay or hours cut back	♦	15.5	11.4 - 19.5	200	11.8	10.7 - 12.8	57,100
Became separated or divorced	✗	11.3	7.2 - 15.4	200	7.6	6.7 - 8.5	37,000
Had no practical or emotional support	✓	2.1 *	0.7 - 3.6	< 100	4.4	3.7 - 5.2	21,700
Substance Use							
Any smoking, 3 months before pregnancy	✗	25.4	19.8 - 30.9	400	11.6	10.5 - 12.7	56,500
Any smoking, 3rd trimester†	✗	10.4	6.6 - 14.2	200	2.9	2.3 - 3.4	13,900
Any smoking, postpartum	✗	12.8	8.5 - 17.1	200	5.6	4.8 - 6.3	27,300
Any binge drinking, 3 months before pregnancy	✗	22.5	17.6 - 27.3	300	15.1	13.8 - 16.3	72,900
Any alcohol use, 3rd trimester†	✗	12.2	8.2 - 16.1	200	7.6	6.6 - 8.6	37,000
Pregnancy Intention and Family Planning							
Mistimed or unwanted pregnancy	✓	23.4	18.4 - 28.4	300	31.2	29.6 - 32.8	151,800
Unsure of pregnancy intentions	✗	18.0	13.0 - 23.1	300	12.9	11.8 - 14.0	62,700
Postpartum birth control use†	♦	81.0	75.9 - 86.1	1,200	81.6	80.3 - 83.0	390,200
Infant Sleep and Breastfeeding							
Placed infant on back to sleep	♦	76.9	71.7 - 82.0	1,100	79.7	78.3 - 81.1	383,200
Infant always or often shared bed	✗	57.0	51.2 - 62.9	800	34.1	32.5 - 35.7	163,700
Intended to breastfeed, before birth	♦	92.9	90.1 - 95.8	1,400	92.4	91.5 - 93.4	444,100
Intended to breastfeed exclusively, before birth	✓	79.8	75.1 - 84.4	1,200	64.2	62.6 - 65.9	308,500
Breastfeeding practices							
Any breastfeeding, 1 month after delivery	♦	87.7	84.0 - 91.5	1,300	83.5	82.3 - 84.8	398,500
Exclusive breastfeeding, 1 month after delivery	✓	59.6	53.7 - 65.6	900	42.7	41.0 - 44.4	200,700
Any breastfeeding, 3 months after delivery	✓	79.4	74.2 - 84.7	900	66.2	64.3 - 68.2	244,200
Exclusive breastfeeding, 3 months after delivery	✓	45.9	38.9 - 53.0	500	27.4	25.7 - 29.1	99,800



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Health Care Utilization and Public Program Participation							
Had a usual source of pre-pregnancy care	♦	71.6	66.5 - 76.7	1,100	70.4	68.8 - 71.9	344,100
Initiated prenatal care in 1st trimester	↓	84.9	79.9 - 89.8	1,200	89.7	88.7 - 90.6	433,500
Had a postpartum medical visit	↑	95.0	92.7 - 97.2	1,400	87.5	86.4 - 88.7	427,500
Mom or infant needed but couldn't afford care postpartum	♦	9.8	6.3 - 13.2	100	12.6	11.4 - 13.7	59,700
Participated in WIC during pregnancy†	♦	54.8	49.2 - 60.4	800	54.1	52.9 - 55.4	259,300
Received CalFresh (food stamps) during pregnancy	↑	34.1	28.5 - 39.7	500	24.9	23.6 - 26.3	121,000
Health Insurance Coverage							
Pre-pregnancy insurance							
Medi-Cal	↑	32.5	26.9 - 38.1	500	24.5	23.1 - 25.8	119,600
Uninsured	♦	22.7	18.3 - 27.0	300	24.0	22.6 - 25.4	117,500
Private	♦	41.9	35.9 - 47.8	600	47.5	46.2 - 48.9	232,500
Prenatal insurance							
Medi-Cal	↑	61.2	55.7 - 66.7	900	49.7	48.4 - 51.0	242,800
Uninsured		--			1.6	1.2 - 2.0	7,900
Private	↓	33.9	28.5 - 39.2	500	44.5	43.1 - 45.8	217,100
Maternal postpartum insurance							
Medi-Cal	↑	48.4	42.8 - 54.0	700	36.2	34.7 - 37.6	175,700
Uninsured	♦	13.5	9.7 - 17.3	200	15.0	13.8 - 16.2	72,800
Private	↓	37.4	31.9 - 42.9	600	45.7	44.3 - 47.0	221,900
Infant health insurance							
Medi-Cal	↑	66.7	61.4 - 72.0	1,000	52.2	50.9 - 53.6	250,400
Uninsured	♦	2.5 *	0.4 - 4.6	< 100	2.9	2.2 - 3.5	13,700
Private	↓	28.7	23.5 - 33.8	400	41.3	40.0 - 42.6	198,000
Maternal Demographics							
Age							
15-19	♦	7.0	3.5 - 10.5	100	5.6	4.9 - 6.4	27,500
20-34	♦	78.8	74.1 - 83.5	1,200	74.5	73.0 - 76.0	365,300
35+	↓	14.2	10.9 - 17.5	200	19.9	18.5 - 21.3	97,400
Did not complete high school (or GED)	♦	11.9	7.7 - 16.1	200	16.5	15.2 - 17.7	79,900
Unmarried	↑	52.5	46.8 - 58.1	800	40.9	39.4 - 42.4	199,000
Race/Ethnicity							
Hispanic	↓	15.7	11.0 - 20.4	200	49.2	47.7 - 50.7	236,500
Black		--			5.7	5.3 - 6.1	27,400
White	↑	70.5	65.2 - 75.7	1,000	29.3	27.9 - 30.7	140,900
Asian/Pacific Islander	↓	4.2 *	1.7 - 6.7	100	15.3	13.9 - 16.7	73,700
Nativity and Language							
Born outside the U.S.	↓	10.0	6.6 - 13.5	100	37.9	36.2 - 39.6	185,700
Speaks non-English language at home	↓	7.1	3.8 - 10.5	100	30.1	28.5 - 31.7	144,800
Lives in a high poverty neighborhood	♦	41.5	35.3 - 47.8	500	38.9	37.3 - 40.5	182,900
Income as a percent of the Federal Poverty Guideline							
0-100%	♦	43.8	37.6 - 50.0	600	41.0	39.5 - 42.4	188,800
101-200%	♦	23.2	18.1 - 28.4	300	20.8	19.4 - 22.2	96,000
> 200%	♦	33.0	27.5 - 38.5	500	38.2	36.9 - 39.6	176,200

-- Estimate not shown because the relative standard error (RSE) is greater than 50% or fewer than 5 women reported.

* Estimate should be interpreted with caution due to low statistical reliability (RSE is between 30% and 50%).

† Measure/definition changed for this indicator and is not comparable to prior years (see Technical Notes).

Notes: MIHA is an annual population-based survey of California resident women with a live birth. Data from MIHA 2013-2014 were combined, resulting in a statewide sample size of 13,963. The sample size of Humboldt County was 379. Percent (%), 95% confidence interval (95% CI) and estimated number of women in the population with the health indicator/characteristic (i.e., numerator of the percent rounded to the nearest hundred) are weighted to represent all women with a live birth who resided in California and the county in 2013-2014. Population estimate is a two-year average. Symbols indicate whether the health indicator in the county was statistically different from the rest of the state (p-value < 0.05, chi-square test). See the Technical Notes for information on weighting, comparability to prior years and technical definitions. Visit the MIHA website at www.cdph.ca.gov/MIHA.

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