

Preconception Health Indicators<sup>a</sup> in PRAMStat  
 Domain: Tobacco, Alcohol, and Substance Use

<b>Domain</b>	<b>PRAMStat Indicator/ PRAMStat Class and Topic Area</b>	<b>Indicator Description<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>Question in PRAMS</b>	<b>Core<sup>c</sup> or Standard<sup>d</sup>/ Years Available</b>	<b>Which States</b>
<b>Tobacco, Alcohol, and Substance Use: Smoking</b>	Indicator of whether mother smoked during the 3 months before getting pregnant  Class: Maternal Behavior/Health  Topic Area: Tobacco Use	Percentage of women aged 18–44 years <sup>e</sup> having a live birth who smoked cigarettes during the 3 months prior to pregnancy	In the <i>3 months before</i> you got pregnant, how many cigarettes did you smoke on an average day? (A pack has 20 cigarettes.)  <input type="checkbox"/> 41 cigarettes or more <input type="checkbox"/> 21 to 40 cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> 11 to 20 cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> 6 to 10 cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> 1 to 5 cigarettes <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 1 cigarette <input type="checkbox"/> I didn't smoke then	PRAMS Core 2004–2011	All <sup>f</sup>
<b>Tobacco, Alcohol, and Substance Use: Alcohol</b>	Indicator of whether mother reported having any alcoholic drinks during the 3 months before getting pregnant  Class: Maternal Behavior/Health  Topic Area: Alcohol Use	Percentage of women aged 18–44 years having a live birth who drank any amount of alcohol during the 3 months prior to pregnancy	During the <i>3 months before</i> you got pregnant, how many alcoholic drinks did you have in an average week?  <input type="checkbox"/> I didn't drink then <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 1 drink a week <input type="checkbox"/> 1 to 3 drinks a week <input type="checkbox"/> 4 to 6 drinks a week <input type="checkbox"/> 7 to 13 drinks a week <input type="checkbox"/> 14 drinks or more a week <input type="checkbox"/> I don't know	PRAMS Core 2004–2011	All

<p><b>Tobacco, Alcohol, and Substance Use:</b> Alcohol</p>	<p>Indicator of binge drinking (4+ drinks) during 3 months before pregnancy</p> <p>Class: Maternal Behavior/Health</p> <p>Topic Area: Alcohol Use</p>	<p>Percentage of women aged 18–44 years having a live birth who participated in binge drinking (4+ drinks) during the 3 months prior to pregnancy</p>	<p>During the <i>3 months before</i> you got pregnant, how many times did you drink 4 alcoholic drinks or more in one sitting? A sitting is a two hour time span.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 6 or more times  <input type="checkbox"/> 4 to 5 times  <input type="checkbox"/> 2 to 3 times  <input type="checkbox"/> 1 time  <input type="checkbox"/> I didn't have 4 drinks or more in 1 sitting  <input type="checkbox"/> I didn't drink then</p>	<p>PRAMS Core 2009–2011</p>	<p>All</p>
<p><b>Tobacco, Alcohol, and Substance Use:</b> Secondhand Smoke Exposure</p>	<p><a href="#">Indicator of whether smoking is allowed in home now</a></p> <p>Class: Infant Health</p> <p>Topic Area: Smoke Exposure</p>	<p>Percentage of women aged 18–44 years having a live birth who reported that smoking is currently allowed in their home</p>	<p>Which of the following statements best describes the rules about smoking <i>inside</i> your home <i>now</i>? Check <u>one</u> answer</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No one is allowed to smoke anywhere inside my home  <input type="checkbox"/> Smoking is allowed in some rooms or at some times  <input type="checkbox"/> Smoking is permitted anywhere inside my home</p>	<p>PRAMS Standard 2004–2008 (7 states)</p> <p>PRAMS Core 2009–2011</p>	<p><b>Years 2004–2008:</b> AR, ME, NJ, OR, PA, VT, WA</p> <p><b>Years 2009–2011:</b> All</p>

<sup>a</sup> All preconception health indicators in PRAMStat include the designation (\*PCH) in their label.

<sup>b</sup> Unless otherwise stated the denominator for all indicators is women aged 18–44 years who delivered a live-born infant.

<sup>c</sup> Core questions are available for all PRAMS states.

<sup>d</sup> Standard questions are not available for all PRAMS states.

<sup>e</sup> PRAMS preconception health indicators are only defined for women aged 18–44 years but PRAMS data include women of all ages who had a live birth. To restrict the estimates to women aged 18–44 years in PRAMStat, use the breakout variable “Break out by Maternal Age — 18–44 years only.”

<sup>f</sup> PRAMS states must reach or exceed the response rate threshold of 70% (for 2000–2006) and 65% (for 2007 and beyond) for their data to be included in PRAMStat.