

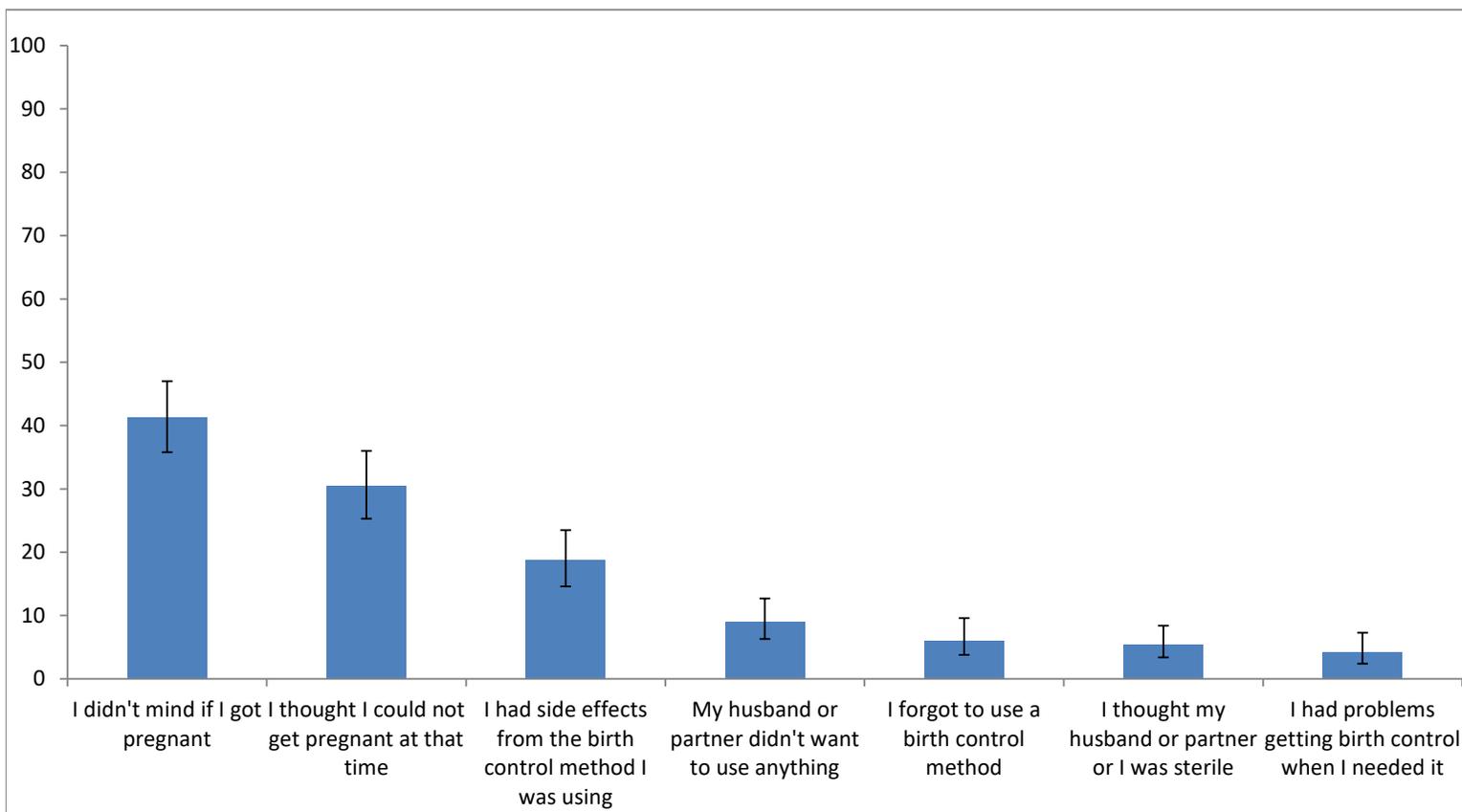
Family Planning

Percentage (%) of recent mothers in Illinois who reported the following reasons for not using birth control

Among women who were not trying to get pregnant

Survey Question 18: What were your reasons or your husband's or partner's reasons for not doing anything to keep from getting pregnant?

Response: Yes



	Percentage ¹	95% CI ²		Respondents ³	Estimated Population Affected ⁴
I didn't mind if I got pregnant	41.3	35.8	47.0	371	15,419
I thought I could not get pregnant at that time	30.4	25.3	36.0	371	11,351
I had side effects from the birth control method I was using	18.7	14.6	23.5	371	6,966
My husband or partner didn't want to use anything	9.0	6.3	12.7	371	3,358
I forgot to use a birth control method	6.0	3.8	9.6	371	2,259
I thought my husband or partner or I was sterile	5.4	3.4	8.4	371	2,008
I had problems getting birth control when I needed it	4.2	2.4	7.3	371	1,571

¹Percentage = Weighted percentage

²CI = Confidence interval lower/upper bounds

-- Indicates denominator <30 respondents or numerator <6 respondents

³Respondents = The total number who responded to the survey question

⁴Estimated Population Affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers/infants with characteristic or condition