# Pregnancy Screening Survey ONLINE Fieldwork Dates: 28th October-1st November 2011

Table 1
Q.1 Which one of the following statements applies best to your situation at the moment?
Base: All respondents

			Age Children						G							Reg	gion					
	_Total_	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	_AB	<u>C1</u>		DE	Scot- land	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	<u>London</u>	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	210 21%	22 9%	49 15%	139 32%	207 44%	3 1%	49 15%	47 17%	35 27%	79 30%	13 19%	11 22%	27 22%	27 27%	16 20%	19 26%	11 22%	11 16%	27 19%	29 19%	17 22%	2 11%
I have one or more children and plan to have more	227 23%	33 14%	85 26%	109 25%	227 49%	-	68 20%	56 21%	42 32%	61 23%	12 17%	10 20%	25 20%	16 16%	26 32%	20 27%	16 33%	17 25%	32 23%	39 25%	10 13%	4 22%
I am currently pregnant	54 5%	14 6%	16 5%	24 6%	32 7%	22 4%	26 8%	8 3%	6 5%	14 5%	3 4%	4 8%	10 8%	7 7%	2 2%	1 1%	3 6%	4 6%	3 2%	7 5%	6 8%	4 22%
I don't have any children now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	388 39%	141 60%	144 44%	103 24%	2 *	385 73%	154 46%	125 46%	39 30%	70 27%	31 45%	19 38%	50 41%	36 36%	26 32%	24 32%	19 39%	31 46%	60 43%	56 37%	29 38%	7 39%
I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point	121 12%	24 10%	37 11%	60 14%	-	118 22%	39 12%	36 13%	10 8%	36 14%	10 14%	6 12%	10 8%	13 13%	11 14%	10 14%	-	5 7%	18 13%	22 14%	15 19%	1 6%



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	_Total	I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	I have one or more children and plan to have more	I am currently pregnant	I don't have any children now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point in the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	210 21%	210 100%	-	-	-	- -
I have one or more children and plan to have more	227 23%	-	227 100%	-	-	- -
I am currently pregnant	54 5%	-	-	54 100%	-	-
I don't have any children now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	388 39%	-	- -	- -	388 100%	-
I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point in the future	121 12%	- -	-	-	-	121 100%



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Table 2
Q.2 Have you heard of Group B Streptococcus (also known as Group B Strep)?
Base: All respondents

		Age Children SEG													Re	gion						
	_Total_	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	AB			DE	Scot- land	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
No, I've never heard of Group B Strep	457 46%	151 65%	150 45%	156 36%	155 33%	300 57%	137 41%	123 45%	62 47%	135 52%	31 45%	26 52%	57 47%	44 44%	37 46%	33 45%	24 49%	31 46%	75 54%	61 40%	32 42%	6 33%
NET: Yes	543 54%	83 35%	181 55%	279 64%	313 67%	228 43%	199 59%	149 55%	70 53%	125 48%	38 55%	24 48%	65 53%	55 56%	44 54%	41 55%	25 51%	37 54%	65 46%	92 60%	45 58%	12 67%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep but I'm not sure what it is	341 34%	58 25%	111 34%	172 40%	170 36%	171 32%	113 34%	106 39%	40 30%	82 32%	25 36%	14 28%	42 34%	31 31%	29 36%	27 36%	14 29%	21 31%	40 29%	60 39%	30 39%	8 44%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep, and I know what it is, but I haven't been affected by it directly	171 17%	23 10%	59 18%	89 20%	117 25%	52 10%	76 23%	35 13%	21 16%	39 15%	12 17%	8 16%	22 18%	20 20%	13 16%	13 18%	10 20%	15 22%	19 14%	24 16%	11 14%	4 22%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep, I know what it is and I have been affected by it directly	31 3%	2 1%	11 3%	18 4%	26 6%	5 1%	10 3%	8 3%	9 7%	4 2%	1 1%	2 4%	1 1%	4 4%	2 2%	1 1%	1 2%	1 1%	6 4%	8 5%	4 5%	-



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					I don't have any children	
	_Total	I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	I have one or more children and plan to have more	I am currently pregnant	now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point in the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
No, I've never heard of Group B Strep	457 46%	70 33%	76 33%	19 35%	216 56%	76 63%
NET: Yes	543 54%	140 67%	151 67%	35 65%	172 44%	45 37%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep but I'm not sure what it is	341 34%	76 36%	83 37%	18 33%	129 33%	35 29%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep, and I know what it is, but I haven't been affected by it directly	171 17%	54 26%	55 24%	14 26%	38 10%	10 8%
Yes I've heard of Group B Strep, I know what it is and I have been affected by it directly	31 3%	10 5%	13 6%	3 6%	5 1%	-



Absolutes/col percents

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Table 3
Q.3 Group B Strep is the UK's most common cause of life-threatening infection in newborn babies. Do you think that information about Group B Strep should be routinely given to pregnant women as part of their antenatal care, or not?

Base: All respondents

		Age Children SEG						G							Re	gion						
	<u>Total</u>	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE_	Scot- land	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
Yes, it should be	922 92%	208 89%	304 92%	410 94%	438 94%	482 91%	308 92%	253 93%	123 93%	238 92%	62 90%	44 88%	113 93%	92 93%	76 94%	73 99%	46 94%	61 90%	127 91%	142 93%	69 90%	17 94%
No, it should not be	14 1%	3 1%	6 2%	5 1%	9 2%	5 1%	8 2%	-	-	6 2%	-	1 2%	3 2%	2 2%	1 1%	1 1%	-	2 3%	3 2%	-	1 1%	-
Don't know	64 6%	23 10%	21 6%	20 5%	21 4%	41 8%	20 6%	19 7%	9 7%	16 6%	7 10%	5 10%	6 5%	5 5%	4 5%	-	3 6%	5 7%	10 7%	11 7%	7 9%	1 6%



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		Q.1 V		following state uation at the m	ements applies be coment?	est to
					I don't have any children	
	_Total	I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	I have one or more children and plan to have more	I am currently pregnant	now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point in the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
Yes, it should be	922 92%	195 93%	215 95%	51 94%	358 92%	103 85%
No, it should not be	14 1%	3 1%	6 3%	- -	3 1%	2 2%
Don't know	64	12	6	3	27	16



Absolutes/col percents

Table 4

Q.4 There is a test available for Group B Strep which poses no risk at all to mother or baby. Do you think that women should be routinely offered this test during pregnancy to see if they are carrying Group B Strep?

Base: All respondents

		Age Children					SE	<u>G</u>							Reg	gion						
	_Total_	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE	Scot- land	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	London	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
Yes	916 92%	218 93%	309 93%	389 89%	432 92%	483 91%	306 91%	249 92%	124 94%	237 91%	64 93%	43 86%	111 91%	89 90%	74 91%	70 95%	48 98%	65 96%	123 88%	142 93%	69 90%	18 100%
No	14 1%	2 1%	3 1%	9 2%	11 2%	2	5 1%	1	-	8 3%	1 1%	-	1 1%	3 3%	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	6 4%	1 1%	-	-
Don't know	70 7%	14 6%	19 6%	37 9%	25 5%	43 8%	25 7%	22 8%	8 6%	15 6%	4 6%	7 14%	10 8%	7 7%	6 7%	3 4%	1 2%	3 4%	11 8%	10 7%	8 10%	-



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		Q.1 W		following state	ments applies be oment?	est to
					I don't have any children	
	_Total	I have one or more children and don't plan to have any more	I have one or more children and plan to have more	I am currently pregnant	now but hope to have one or more children at some point in the future	I don't have any children and don't expect to at any point in the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
Yes	916 92%	193 92%	212 93%	49 91%	359 93%	103 85%
No	14 1%	3 1%	8 4%	- -	1	2 2%
Don't know	70 7%	14 7%	7 3%	5 9%	28 7%	16 13%



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Table 5

Q.5 If a mother is found to be carrying Group B Strep in pregnancy, she can receive intravenous antibiotics during labour which are known to reduce the risk of Group B Strep infection in the baby by up to 90%. Do you think women carrying Group B Strep should be offered this choice or not?

**Base: All respondents** 

		Age Children SEG											Reg	gion								
	_Total_	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE_	Scot- land	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	<u>London</u>	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
Yes	947 95%	221 94%	312 94%	414 95%	451 96%	496 94%	315 94%	262 96%	128 97%	242 93%	68 99%	46 92%	114 93%	94 95%	74 91%	74 100%	47 96%	65 96%	129 92%	146 95%	72 94%	18 100%
No	9 1%	1	6 2%	2	6 1%	2	3 1%	1	-	5 2%	-	1 2%	1 1%	1 1%	-	-	1 2%	1 1%	3 2%	1 1%	-	-
Don't know	44 4%	12 5%	13 4%	19 4%	11 2%	30 6%	18 5%	9 3%	4 3%	13 5%	1 1%	3 6%	7 6%	4 4%	7 9%	-	1 2%	2 3%	8 6%	6 4%	5 6%	-



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**Base: All respondents** 

Q.	1	Which	one	of t	he	foll	owing	g st	tatements	ар	plies best to	

			your sit	uation at the m	oment?	
		I have one or more	lhava ara		I don't have any children now but hope to have one or	I don't have any children
	<u>Total</u>	children and don't plan to have any more	I have one or more children and plan to have more	I am currently pregnant	more children at some point in the future	and don't expect to at any point in the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
Yes	947 95%	203 97%	219 96%	50 93%	371 96%	104 86%
No	9 1%	1	4 2%	1 2%	2 1%	1 1%
Don't know	44 4%	6 3%	4 2%	3 6%	15 4%	16 13%



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Table 6

Q.6 If you were found to be carrying Group B Strep, would you agree to receive intravenous antibiotics in labour if it would minimise the risk of serious infection for your baby, or not?

Base: All respondents

			Age Children					SE	G							Reg	gion					
	_Total_	20-25	26-30	31-35	Yes	No	AB	<u>C1</u>	C2	DE	Scot-	North East	North West	York- shire & Hum- ber- side	West Mid- lands	East Mid- lands	Wales	East- ern	<u>London</u>	South East	South West	North- ern Ire- land
Base	1000	234	331	435	468	528	336	272	132	260	69	50	122	99	81	74	49	68	140	153	77	18
NET: Yes	890 89%	215 92%	293 89%	382 88%	432 92%	457 87%	303 90%	239 88%	116 88%	232 89%	65 94%	43 86%	112 92%	88 89%	71 88%	71 96%	45 92%	61 90%	113 81%	140 92%	63 82%	18 100%
Yes definitely	604 60%	132 56%	201 61%	271 62%	326 70%	278 53%	186 55%	160 59%	82 62%	176 68%	39 57%	28 56%	76 62%	60 61%	49 60%	51 69%	35 71%	42 62%	74 53%	96 63%	38 49%	16 89%
Yes probably	286 29%	83 35%	92 28%	111 26%	106 23%	179 34%	117 35%	79 29%	34 26%	56 22%	26 38%	15 30%	36 30%	28 28%	22 27%	20 27%	10 20%	19 28%	39 28%	44 29%	25 32%	2 11%
NET: No	8 1%	1	2 1%	5 1%	5 1%	2	3 1%	2 1%	-	3 1%	-	-	2 2%	2 2%	-	-	-	1 1%	1 1%	-	2 3%	-
Probably not	6 1%	-	2 1%	4 1%	4 1%	1	3 1%	2 1%	-	1	-	-	1 1%	2 2%	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	2 3%	-
Definitely not	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	2 1%	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	-
Not sure	102 10%	18 8%	36 11%	48 11%	31 7%	69 13%	30 9%	31 11%	16 12%	25 10%	4 6%	7 14%	8 7%	9 9%	10 12%	3 4%	4 8%	6 9%	26 19%	13 8%	12 16%	-



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Q.1 Which one of the following statements applies best to

		Q.1 which one of the following statements applies best to				
		your situation at the moment?				
					I don't	
					have any	
					children	
					now but	I don't
		I have one			hope to	have any
		or more			have one or	children
		children	I have one		more	and don't
		and don't	or more		children at	expect to
		plan to	children	I am	some point	at any
		have any	and plan to	currently	in the	point in
	Total	more	have more	pregnant	future	the future
Base	1000	210	227	54	388	121
NET: Yes	890	190	215	46	345	94
	89%	90%	95%	85%	89%	78%
Vac definitely	604	148	160	30	211	55
Yes definitely	60%	70%	70%		211 54%	
				56%		45%
Yes probably	286	42	55	16	134	39
	29%	20%	24%	30%	35%	32%
NET: No	8	2	1	2	_	3
	1%	- 1%	*	4%	_	2%
	.,0	.,,		.,,		270
Probably not	6	1	1	2	-	2
	1%	*	*	4%	-	2%
Definitely not	2	1	-	-	-	1
	*	*	-	-	-	1%
Not sure	102	18	11	6	43	24
	10%	9%	5%	11%	11%	20%

