

<b>Differences in Experiences of LGBTQ+ and Straight Birthing People</b>			
	All Birthing People	LGBTQ+	Straight
<b>Childbirth Experiences that Occurred in the Last Five Years Described as Fair, Poor, Very Poor</b>	20%	31%	18% *
<b>Felt Care Was Impacted by Any Bias or Discrimination</b>	37%	51%	35% *
<b>Had an Impact on Pregnancy, Birthing, and/or Postpartum Experience:</b>			
...Own Health and Well-Being	70%	84%	68% *
...Economic Stability	64%	79%	62% *
...Neighborhood and Physical Environment	44%	61%	41% *
...Intimate Partner Violence (IPV)	22%	28%	21%
<b>After Most Recently Giving Birth, Experienced Complications with:</b>			
...Physical Health	23%	40%	21% *
...Mental Health	38%	61%	34% *
...Returning to Work	17%	25%	16% *
...Lactation/Breastfeeding	36%	44%	35% *
...Experienced No Complications	34%	17%	37% *
<b>Used Any Telemedicine/Telehealth for Services Related to Pregnancy, Birth, and Postpartum Health:</b>			
...In the Last Five Years	43%	56%	41% *
...Before Pandemic (2017-2019)	37%	52%	35% *
...During Pandemic (2020-2022)	49%	59%	47%

NOTE: \* Indicates a statistically significant difference between LGBTQ+ and straight birthing people at the p<0.05 level.

SOURCE: Morning Consult online poll of 1,206 birthing people (April 2022).