

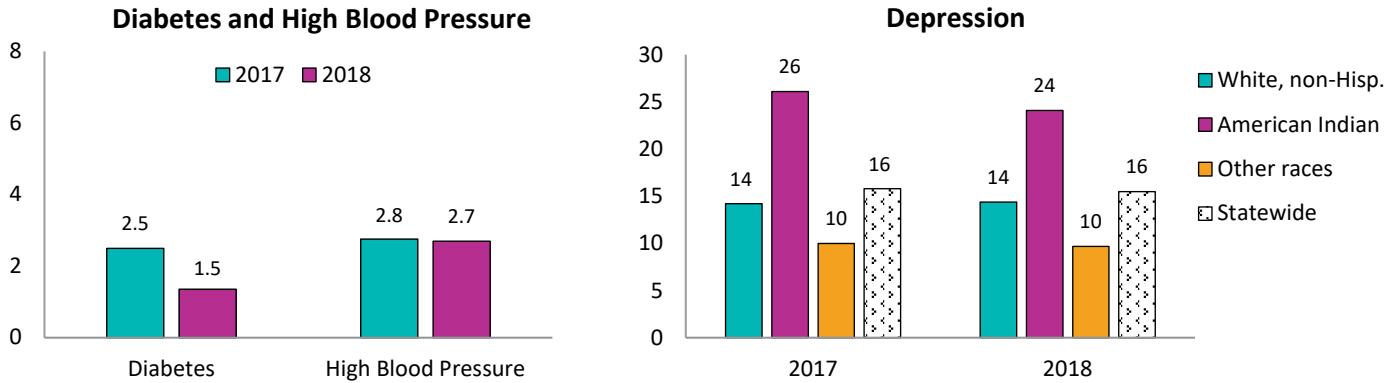


# PRECONCEPTION CARE

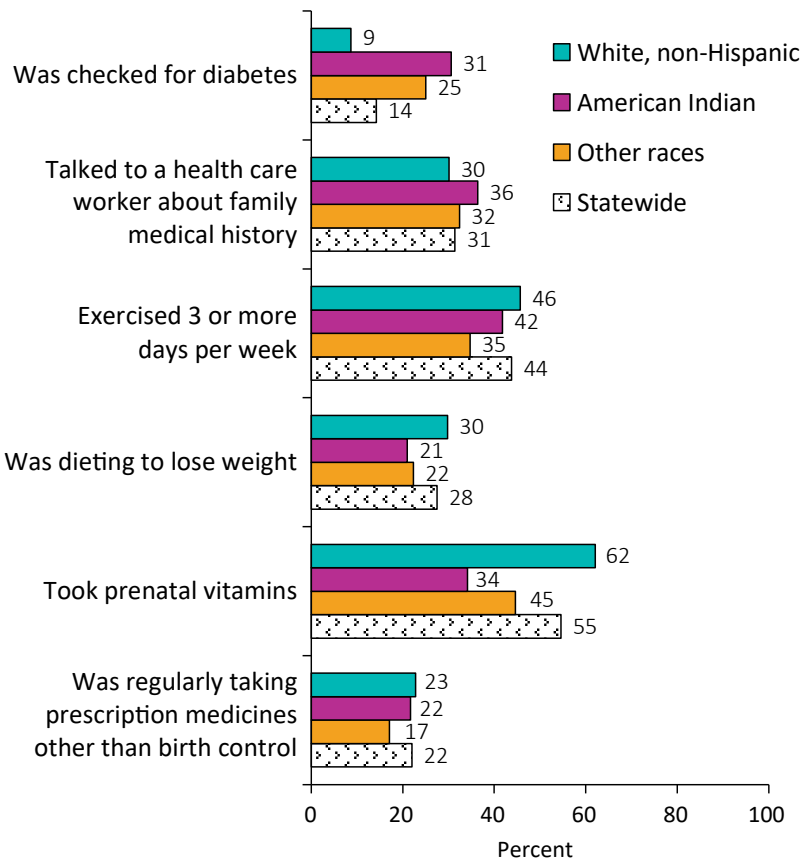
## South Dakota PRAMS, 2018

The goal of **PRECONCEPTION CARE** is to reduce the risk of adverse health effects and poor pregnancy outcomes for mothers & their infants.

### Percent of Women with Health Conditions During the 3 Months Before Pregnancy



### Health Behaviors Before Pregnancy



**69% OF MOTHERS HAD A HEALTH CARE VISIT IN THE 12 MONTHS BEFORE PREGNANCY. THEY WERE MORE LIKELY TO BE:**

- ▶ White
- ▶ Non-Hispanic
- ▶ More years of education
- ▶ Older
- ▶ Married
- ▶ Higher household income

**TOP 3 TOPICS COVERED IN HEALTH CARE VISITS 12 MONTHS BEFORE PREGNANCY:**

- ▶ Asked if the mother was smoking (82%)
- ▶ Asked if the mother was feeling down or depressed (68%)
- ▶ Asked if mother was being emotionally or physically abused (68%)

