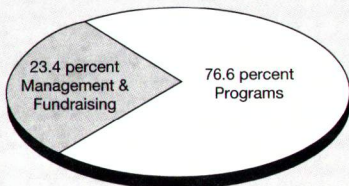


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Five Tips For a Healthier Baby

Do you know someone who is pregnant or plans to be - a friend, daughter or granddaughter? Then do your part to help her deliver a healthy baby by passing along this advice from the March of Dimes.

The March of Dimes recommends that all pregnant women follow these five key steps:

- 1. Get early and regular pre-natal care.** It reduces your risk of having a low birthweight baby.
- 2. Eat nutritious foods.** Make sure that you and your baby get all the protein and nutrients you need through a varied diet.
- 3. Don't smoke!** Women who smoke increase their chances of having a miscarriage or a low birthweight baby.
- 4. Don't take drugs.** Taking drugs, except those approved by a doctor who knows you're pregnant, can cause severe disabilities - or even result in the death of your baby.
- 5. Don't drink.** Hard liquor, wine and beer can all cause birth defects.

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**THE MARCH OF DIMES MESSAGE
TO PREGNANT WOMEN:**

- **Get early and regular prenatal care**
- **Don't take any medicines except those approved by a health care provider**
- **Eat nutritious foods**
- **Don't smoke; avoid secondhand smoke**
- **Don't drink alcoholic beverages**



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