

# MOBILE MOMS:

Engaging Women at Every Step of the Consumer Journey

## Welcome

Women's Marketing is the leading **marketing and media services** agency for emerging and high growth brands. Our **insights and data** help us reach and activate consumers, especially women, to help brands grow.



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### Analytics & Insights

- Solving business challenges with custom data solutions
- Insights tools, proprietary data & research
- Driving investment, channel selection & results
- Social insights from technology & proprietary social community
- Deep understanding of women's behaviors and purchasing patterns

### **Full Funnel Media Services**

- Best-in-class media, based on women's path to purchase
- Innovative activations & creative integrations
- Data-driven solutions, with in-house trading desk
- Social ★ Influencer ★ Content ★ Creative studio
- Amazon Marketplace Center of Excellence

### Nimble Marketing Strategy

• Strategic business planning

- Market assessment & segmentation
- Brand, channel, and consumer expertise





# Welcome To Motherhood



# Looking At The World Differently



When women become mothers, they begin to look at the world differently

# Moms changed purchase criteria in the following categories:



63% food/beverage



52% detergents/cleansers



48% personal care/baby care

41% apparel/shoes

9 in 10 pregnant women and moms re-evaluate brands and product choices

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# **Critical Factors When Evaluating Brands**

- Offers consistent quality
- Proven to be safe
- Easy to use
- Good online reviews
- Low prices
- Recommended by friend
- Brand understands what it's like to be a mom
- Offers real-time customer service
- Environmentally conscious

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#### Sources: Baby Center Trend Tracker Volumes 1& 2 October 2016, February 2017; Baby Center Perception vs. Reality Exploring the Disconnect Between Moms & Marketers May 2016

# They Rely on Trusted Brands, But Are Open To Trying Something New

60% 21% 16%

Mostly stick to traditional brands but sometimes try new or emerging brands

often try new or emerging brands and sometimes buy brands that are more traditional

always buy traditional brands

# Mobile – It's How Moms Connect With Brands



# A Mother's Smartphone Is Her Lifeline

97% of all moms own smartphones

**63%** say they use their smartphone more since becoming a mom

Moms spend an average of **21.32** hours per week on their phone

50% own both a smartphone and a tablet



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Sources: Nielsen Mom Genes Looking at the Media DNA of Working and Stay at Home Mothers; Edison Research Moms & Media 2016; Mintel BabyCenter 21<sup>st</sup> Century Mom Insights Series

# Moms on Mobile

## What she's doing on her smartphone or tablet

- Checking social media
- Taking/sharing photos
- Listening to music
- Watching video
- Looking up recipes
- Getting parenting advice
- Paying bills
- Shopping

# Social Media: How She Engages With The World

**90%** of moms actively use at least one social networking site and spend almost 7 hours a week connecting with friends, family, and brands on her smartphone





**66%** of mothers view social networks as a good source of information about brands

**65%** learn about products and services through social networking



Sources: eMarketer Edison Research "Moms and Media 2017," Punchtab, "Scoring Points with Mom—The Secrets for Engaging Moms to Try, Buy and Share"

# YouTube: Mother's Little Helper



#### YOUTUBE: MOTHER'S LITTLE HELPER

Researchers at Google (which owns YouTube) found that moms solve hundreds of problems every day. From helping her daughter with her science fair project to teaching her son how to properly swing a bat, it seems as though mom has all the answers. But where does mom turn when she needs help? YouTube! Researchers found that 87% of moms view online video, and of those who do, 83% search for answers to questions on YouTube. **Women's Marketing** looked at the different ways moms use YouTube to discover brands and the role of video on her path-to-purchase.

MOMS ON YOU TUDE

69% of moms go to YouTube first over other online video

81% watch "How To" content

a source for answering parenting questions

#### MOM, WATCH ME!

S YouTube has more than 1 Billion users, on 6 continents

Solution 200 hours of video are uploaded every minute

subscriptions to brand channels soared 47% in 2015

the number of advertisers on YouTube increased by 40% in 2015

#### YOUTUBE IS A STOP ON MOM'S PATH-TO-PURCHASE

58% agree they're likely to search for videos about a certain product before making a purchase

54% say YouTube helped them discover new brands and products that fit into their lifestyle and interests

When looking for fashion or beauty items, only 42% start shopping with a particular brand in mind. They start by searching for trends and styles and discover brands as they go

Marketing Tip: Fashion and beauty brands should create videos that cater to upper-funnel level searches such as, "Fun Party Dresses "or "How to do French braids"

61% when it comes to baby and kid products, moms agree that YouTube helps them learn about brands and products through how-to videos, product reviews, and ads

Marketing Tip: Create content that addresses mom's challenges and offer solutions

Sources: Think With Google How Moms Use YouTube September 2015, Total Beauty What Women Watch Study 2013, CNBC Google Steps Up Ad Game With Impressive Figures, eMarketer What Data Marketers Think of YouTube August 2015, YouTube Statistics.

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**83%** of moms use YouTube as a source for answering parenting questions

81% watch how to and DIY videos

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# **Our Social Community**

## We wanted to know more....so we asked our own social community







# Engaging Women at Every Step of the Consumer Journey

To better understand how moms are using mobile to discover, research, and shop, we engaged our own Glimmer community and asked them about their experience

This is what we learned...



## What We Learned

### Who did we speak to?

500 moms from across the U.S.



53% Millennials47% Generation X

Moms can't live without...



# Her Most Trusted Advisors? Grandma & Google

Who is you most trusted advisor, the one that you can't buy a baby product without consulting first?

My Mom	25%
Search (Google)	17%
Other Family	17%
Friends	17%
Mom Groups	15%
Pediatrician	6%



# Baby #2? I've Got This!

Although they still seek out product recommendations from family and friends, second time Moms are more confident in their choices and rely heavily on social media and search almost as much as family members to make product choices

		Family	Search	Social
8	First Time Mom	23%	15%	11%
	Second Time Mom	18%	17%	15%

# Where Mom Shops

**71%** of Moms said they didn't belong to monthly subscription services, such as Honest Company or Diapers.com, of those that did **20%** belonged to Amazon Family





# Increasingly, It's Amazon

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More consumers start their product search on Amazon than anywhere else on the web



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# How Moms Interact With Baby Brands Online



# Moms Are Loyal To The Retailers And Brands They Trust



79% say they are loyal to the retailers they shop

Almost half of moms are loyal to between **1-3 brands** and a quarter of moms are loyal to between 4-6 brands

12% of moms are loyal to more than 7 brands

But they're willing to try something new if...

66% they receive a free sample

19% lower price

6% have a coupon\*

\*81% of moms use coupons for baby products

# Natural/Organic Is Important To Moms

Moms said natural/organic "very important" or "important" in each product category:

Baby Food	91%
Other Food	90%
Baby Personal Care	86%
Facial skincare	82%
Body care	82%
Feminine Care	74%
Hair Care	71%
Personal Care	67%



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