MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS

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DEATHS AMONG RESIDENTS 1 TO 17 YEARS OF AGE BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, SELECTED CAUSES, 2006-2010

	ALL RACES	WHITE	BLACK	ASIAN/PI*	HISPANIC
ALL CAUSES	25	19	6	0	19
MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	2	2	0	0	1
RESIDENTIAL FIRE	3	3	0	0	3
DROWNING or SUFFOCATION	1	1	0	0	1
OTHER ACCIDENTS	1	0	1	0	1
ASSAULT (HOMICIDE)	3	0	3	0	1
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE)	2	1	1	0	1
ALL OTHER CAUSES	13	12	1	0	11

RESIDENT INFANT DEATHS, NUMBER AND RATE BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 2010 AND 2006-2010

RACE or ETHNICITY	2010		2006-2010	
	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE
ALL RACES	21	11.6	81	8.6
WHITE	13	24.7	53	17.2
BLACK	7	ND	25	23.1
ASIAN/PI*	0	ND	0	ND
HISPANIC	12	9.8	45	7.2

CHILDREN UNDER 18 LIVING BELOW POVERTY LEVEL IN 2010, BY RACE AND ETHNICITY NUMBER AND PERCENT

RACE or ETHNICITY	NUMBER	PERCENT
ALL RACES	12,805	48.6
WHITE	4,607	42.5
BLACK	1,632	45.9
ASIAN/PI*	0	ND
HISPANIC	10,260	53.9

SELECTED RESIDENT BIRTH STATISTICS BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 2008-2010

RACE or ETHNICITY of MOTHER	LOW BIRTH WEIGHT		NO PRENATAL CARE IN FIRST TRIMESTER		BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER 18		SMOKED IN FIRST TRIMESTER	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
ALL RACES	536	9.5	2,413	45.1	439	7.8	887	16.5
WHITE	139	8.4	621	40.1	68	4.1	435	27.5
BLACK	85	12.9	330	52.6	52	7.9	135	21.6
ASIAN/PI*	4	ND	25	45.5	0	ND	3	ND
HISPANIC	357	9.4	1,675	46.2	352	9.3	360	10.0

NOTES: Rates based on less than 10 events are considered statistically unreliable and are not displayed (ND).
NA=Not Available

Infant mortality rates are per 1,000 live births for specified year/s and race or ethnicity.

ICD-10 Codes:Motor Vehicle Accidents (V02-V04, V09.0, V09.2, V12-V14, V19.0-V19.2, V19.4-V19.6, V20-V79, V80.3-V80.5, V81.0-V81.1, V82.0-V82.1, V-83-V86, V87.0-V87.8, V88.0-V88.8, V89.0, V89.2), Residential Fire (X00-X09 and place of accident = home), Drowning/Suffocation (W65-W84), Other Accidents (V01, V05-V08, V09.1, V09.3-V09.9, V10-V11, V15-V18, V19.3, V19.7-V19.9, V80.0-V80.2, V80.6-V80.9, V81.2-V81.9, V82.2-V82.9, V87.9, V88.9, V89.1, V-89.3-V89.9, V90-W64, W85-W99, X10-X59, Y85-Y86), Assault (Homicide) (U01-U02, X85-Y09, Y87.1), Intentional Self-harm (Suicide) (U03, X60-X84, Y87.0).

Hispanics can be of any race. Low birth weight is less than 2,500 grams or 5 pounds and 9 ounces. Any unknown data are excluded.

*Asian/Pacific Islander

SOURCES: Poverty Data: American Community Survey (ACS), U.S. Census Bureau

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