

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS

PHILADELPHIA

SELECTED RESIDENT BIRTH STATISTICS BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 2009-2011

RACE or ETHNICITY of MOTHER	LOW BIRTH WEIGHT		NO PRENATAL CARE IN FIRST TRIMESTER		BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER 18	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
ALL RACES	7,703	11.1	29,262	46.1	3,179	4.6
WHITE	1,416	7.6	6,016	33.9	254	1.4
BLACK	4,625	13.9	15,468	51.7	2,115	6.3
ASIAN/PI*	348	8.5	1,622	42.6	49	1.2
HISPANIC	1,143	9.7	5,519	50.6	742	6.2

RACE or ETHNICITY of MOTHER	SMOKED IN FIRST TRIMESTER		PRETERM BIRTHS		BIRTHS TO MOTHERS WHO DID NOT BREASTFEED	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
ALL RACES	7,290	10.9	8,271	12.0	26,421	38.6
WHITE	2,851	15.5	1,741	9.3	6,061	32.7
BLACK	3,257	10.2	4,729	14.2	13,781	42.0
ASIAN/PI*	98	2.4	348	8.4	1,267	31.0
HISPANIC	1,049	9.0	1,255	10.6	4,854	41.2

DEATHS AMONG RESIDENTS 15 TO 19 YEARS OF AGE BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, SELECTED CAUSES, 2007-2011

RACE or ETHNICITY	ALL CAUSES	MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE)
ALL RACES	437	52	27
WHITE	99	24	11
BLACK	324	23	13
ASIAN/PI*	10	4	3
HISPANIC	50	14	3

RESIDENT INFANT DEATHS, NUMBER AND RATE BY RACE AND ETHNICITY, 2011 AND 2007-2011

RACE or ETHNICITY	2011		2007-2011	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
ALL RACES	219	9.5	1,261	10.8
WHITE	49	7.7	310	9.9
BLACK	147	13.4	821	14.6
ASIAN/PI*	2	ND	35	5.0
HISPANIC	19	4.7	136	6.9

NOTES: Rates based on less than 10 events are considered statistically unreliable and are not displayed (ND).
 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, V83-V86, V87.0-V87.8, V88.0-V88.8, V89.0, V89.2), Intentional Self-harm (Suicide) (U03, X60-X84, Y87.0).

Low birth weight is less than 2,500 grams or 5 pounds and 9 ounces.

Preterm births are less than 37 weeks gestation.

Any unknown data are excluded from calculations.

Hispanics can be of any race.

*Asian/Pacific Islander

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