MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH STATUS INDICATORS

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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	252	9.0	876	33.2	101	3.6
WHITE	178	8.8	535	27.7	68	3.4
BLACK	27	12.8	93	49.2	6	ND
ASIAN/PI*	9	ND	34	36.2	0	ND
HISPANIC	48	8.6	258	49.5	37	6.7

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	677	24.3	327	11.8	1,508	54.1
WHITE	572	28.3	239	11.9	1,168	57.8
BLACK	63	30.0	37	17.8	131	62.1
ASIAN/PI*	0	ND	8	ND	23	23.5
HISPANIC	57	10.3	55	10.0	238	43.0

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	11	0	3
WHITE	11	0	3
BLACK	0	0	0
ASIAN/PI*	0	0	0
HISPANIC	0	0	0

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	9	ND	42	8.8
WHITE	5	ND	29	8.2
BLACK	4	ND	11	30.7
ASIAN/PI*	0	ND	1	ND
HISPANIC	0	ND	4	ND

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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