

TEENAGE VITAL STATISTICS DATA
BY DISTRICT OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF MOTHER
MISSISSIPPI, 2003

DISTRICT: MISSISSIPPI

RACE	TOTAL POPULATION ALL AGES	FEMALES AGES 10-19	FEMALES AGES 10-14	FEMALES AGES 15-19	TOTAL LIVE BIRTHS
TOTAL	2,881,283	213,187	107,195	105,992	42,321
WHITE	1,763,609	111,308	55,440	55,868	23,118
NONWHITE	1,117,674	101,879	51,755	50,124	19,203

	ALL RACES				WHITE				NONWHITE			
	ALL TEENS	AGES 10-14	AGES 15-17	AGES 18-19	ALL TEENS	AGES 10-14	AGES 15-17	AGES 18-19	ALL TEENS	AGES 10-14	AGES 15-17	AGES 18-19
TEENAGE BIRTHS	6,769	154	2,217	4,398	2,752	26	802	1,924	4,017	128	1,415	2,474
TEENAGE IMMATURE BIRTHS	934	25	313	596	289	3	94	192	645	22	219	404
TEENAGE PREMATURE BIRTHS	1,249	24	431	794	401	2	121	278	848	22	310	516
TEENAGE ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS	5,670	151	2,024	3,495	1,765	23	618	1,124	3,905	128	1,406	2,371
TEENS WHO HAD PREVIOUS LIVE BIRTHS	1,545	1	265	1,279	497	0	67	430	1,048	1	198	849
TEENS WHO HAD PREVIOUS PREGNANCIES	1,890	5	342	1,543	641	1	95	545	1,249	4	247	998
TEENS WITH INADEQUATE* PRENATAL CARE	502	22	181	299	104	1	28	75	398	21	153	224
TEENAGE FERTILITY RATE	31.8	1.4	62.4	(15-19)	24.7	0.5	48.8	(15-19)	39.4	2.5	77.6	(15-19)
TEENAGE FETAL DEATHS**	72	1	25	46	17	0	6	11	55	1	19	35
TEENAGE FETAL DEATH RATIO	10.6	6.5	11.3	10.4	6.2	-	7.5	5.7	13.7	7.8	13.4	14.1
TEENAGE INDUCED TERMINATIONS#	901	56	296	549	300	12	93	195	594	44	200	350
TEENAGE INDUCED TERMINATION RATIO	133.1	363.6	133.5	124.8	109.0	461.5	116.0	101.4	147.9	343.8	141.3	141.5
TEENAGE PREGNANCIES#	7,742	211	2,538	4,993	3,069	38	901	2,130	4,666	173	1,634	2,859
TEENAGE PREGNANCY RATE	36.3	2.0	71.0	(15-19)	27.6	0.7	54.2	(15-19)	45.8	3.3	89.6	(15-19)
INFANT DEATHS TO TEENAGE MOTHERS	101	3	32	66	28	0	8	20	73	3	24	46
INFANT MORTALITY RATE, TEEN MOMS	14.9	19.5	14.4	15.0	10.2	-	10.0	10.4	18.2	23.4	17.0	18.6

* ACCORDING TO THE KESSNER INDEX.

** SPONTANEOUS FETAL DEATHS OF 20 WEEKS OR MORE GESTATION OR WEIGHT OF 350 GRAMS OR MORE.

FIGURES BY RACE MAY NOT ADD TO TOTAL BECAUSE TOTAL FIGURES INCLUDE SOME FOR WHICH RACE OF MOTHER WAS UNKNOWN.

RATE/RATIO NOT CALCULATED BECAUSE THERE WERE NO LIVE BIRTHS TO MOTHERS IN THIS AGE/RACE GROUP.

DEFINITIONS:

IMMATURE=BIRTHWEIGHT LESS THAN 2,500 GRAMS.

PREMATURE=GESTATION LESS THAN 37 WEEKS.

FERTILITY RATE=LIVE BIRTHS TO MOTHERS IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP PER 1,000 FEMALES IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.

FETAL DEATH RATIO=FETAL DEATHS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.

INDUCED TERM. RATIO=INDUCED TERMINATIONS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.

PREGNANCIES=LIVE BIRTHS PLUS FETAL DEATHS PLUS INDUCED TERMINATIONS.

PREGNANCY RATE=PREGNANCIES OF WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP PER 1,000 FEMALES IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.

INFANT DEATH=DEATH OF A LIVE-BORN INFANT BEFORE REACHING 1 YEAR OF AGE.

INFANT MORTALITY RATE=INFANT DEATHS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS TO WOMEN IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.