

**TABLE 4-1.**  
**Oregon Pregnancies to Teens 15-19, 1974-1999**

Year	Pregnancies <sup>1</sup>						Births			
	15 to 17		18 to 19		15 to 19		15 to 17		18 to 19	
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate
1974	3,361	---	4,881	---	8,242	77.2	1,918	---	3,438	---
1975	3,718	---	5,135	---	8,853	80.2	1,868	---	3,338	---
1976	3,883	---	5,644	---	9,527	85.7	1,837	---	3,530	---
1977	3,853	---	5,718	---	9,571	85.5	1,793	---	3,510	---
1978	3,895	---	5,968	---	9,863	87.1	1,892	---	3,696	---
1979	3,802	---	6,240	---	10,042	88.4	1,790	---	3,754	---
1980	3,844	59.3	6,576	141.9	10,420	93.8	1,775	27.4	3,883	83.8
1981	3,504	56.8	6,202	138.6	9,706	91.2	1,655	26.8	3,828	85.6
1982	2,978	49.5	5,332	119.9	8,310	79.4	1,466	24.4	3,317	74.6
1983	2,694	45.5	4,823	112.3	7,517	73.6	1,397	23.6	2,978	69.3
1984	2,677	45.6	4,693	114.3	7,370	73.9	1,365	23.2	2,880	70.2
1985	2,589	43.8	4,440	118.0	7,029	72.7	1,349	22.8	2,787	74.1
1986	2,536	43.1	4,271	108.3	6,807	69.2	1,368	23.2	2,791	70.8
1987	2,629	46.7	4,365	115.6	6,994	74.4	1,507	26.8	2,856	75.6
1988	2,893	51.2	4,869	122.2	7,762	80.6	1,547	27.4	2,949	74.0
1989	2,751	50.8	5,271	121.9	8,022	82.4	1,519	28.0	3,331	77.1
1990	2,842	52.2	5,174	133.4	8,016	86.0	1,660	30.5	3,420	88.2
1991	2,913	51.8	5,147	139.9	8,060	86.6	1,764	31.4	3,373	91.7
1992	2,756	47.8	4,715	125.9	7,471	78.6	1,787	31.0	3,321	88.6
1993	2,858	47.9	4,734	120.0	7,592	76.6	1,843	30.9	3,248	82.3
1994	3,031	49.0	4,780	118.6	7,811	76.5	1,905	30.8	3,333	82.7
1995	3,093	49.3	4,999	120.3	8,092	77.6	1,977	31.5	3,460	83.3
1996	3,108	47.3	5,242	122.9	8,350	77.1	2,015	30.7	3,661	85.8
1997	3,013	44.2	5,121	117.5	8,134	72.8	1,886	27.6	3,458	79.4
1998	2,985	42.1	5,263	118.5	8,248	71.5	1,872	26.4	3,693	83.2
1999	2,810	39.3	5,311	114.8	8,121	68.9	1,796	25.1	3,695	79.8
Change Between 1989 and 1999	59	-11.5	40	-7.1	99	-13.5	277	-2.9	364	2.7
% Change Between 1989 and 1999	2.1%	22.6%	0.8%	-5.8%	1.2%	-16.4%	18.2%	-10.4%	10.9%	3.5%
Change Between 1994 and 1999	-221	-9.7	531	-3.8	310	-7.6	-109	-5.7	362	-2.9
% Change Between 1994 and 1999	-7.3%	-19.8%	11.1%	-3.2%	4.0%	-9.9%	-5.7%	-18.5%	10.9%	-3.5%
Change Between 1998 and 1999	-175	-2.8	48	-3.7	-127	-2.6	-76	-1.3	2	-3.4
% Change Between 1998 and 1999	-5.9%	-6.7%	0.9%	-3.1%	-1.5%	-3.6%	-4.1%	-4.9%	0.1%	-4.1%

<sup>1</sup> Pregnancy estimates are based on the total number of births and abortions. See also footnote (2) on the opposite page regarding changes in estimating abortions. Percentage change calculations may vary due to computer rounding.

--- Data are not available.

All rates are per 1,000 females.

**TABLE 4-1.**  
**Oregon Pregnancies to Teens 15-19, 1974-1999 (Continued)**

Births		Abortions <sup>2</sup>						Age Not Stated	Year
15 to 19		15 to 17		18 to 19		15 to 19			
No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate		
5,356	50.1	1,443	---	1,443	---	2,886	27.0	30	1974
5,206	47.2	1,850	---	1,797	---	3,647	33.1	23	1975
5,367	48.3	2,046	---	2,114	---	4,160	37.4	14	1976
5,303	47.4	2,060	---	2,208	---	4,268	38.1	25	1977
5,588	49.3	2,003	---	2,272	---	4,275	37.7	33	1978
5,544	48.8	2,012	---	2,486	---	4,498	39.6	34	1979
5,658	50.9	2,069	31.9	2,693	58.1	4,762	42.9	903	1980
5,483	51.5	1,849	30.0	2,374	53.1	4,223	39.7	1,541	1981
4,783	45.7	1,512	25.1	2,015	45.3	3,527	33.7	2,091	1982
4,375	42.8	1,297	21.9	1,845	42.9	3,142	30.8	1,850	1983
4,245	42.5	1,312	22.3	1,813	44.2	3,125	31.3	1,700	1984
4,136	42.8	1,240	21.0	1,653	43.9	2,893	29.9	737	1985
4,159	42.3	1,168	19.8	1,480	37.5	2,648	26.9	114	1986
4,363	46.4	1,122	19.9	1,509	40.0	2,631	28.0	47	1987
4,496	46.7	1,346	23.8	1,920	48.2	3,266	33.9	48	1988
4,850	49.8	1,232	22.7	1,940	44.9	3,172	32.6	222	1989
5,080	54.5	1,182	21.7	1,754	45.2	2,936	31.5	122	1990
5,137	55.2	1,149	20.4	1,774	48.2	2,923	31.4	131	1991
5,108	53.7	969	16.8	1,394	37.2	2,363	24.9	169	1992
5,091	51.3	1,015	17.0	1,486	37.7	2,501	25.2	256	1993
5,238	51.3	1,126	18.2	1,447	35.9	2,573	25.2	180	1994
5,437	52.2	1,116	17.8	1,539	37.0	2,655	25.5	25	1995
5,676	52.4	1,093	16.6	1,581	37.1	2,674	24.7	21	1996
5,344	47.8	1,127	16.5	1,663	38.2	2,790	25.0	3	1997
5,565	48.3	1,113	15.7	1,570	35.4	2,683	23.3	43	1998
5,491	46.6	1,014	14.2	1,616	34.9	2,630	22.3	18	1999
641	-3.2	-218	-8.5	-324	-10.0	-542	-10.3		Change Between 1989 and 1999
13.2%	-6.4%	-17.7%	-37.4%	-16.7%	-22.3%	-17.1%	-31.6%		% Change Between 1989 and 1999
253	-4.7	-112	-4.0	169	-1.0	57	-2.9		Change Between 1994 and 1999
4.8%	-9.2%	-9.9%	-22.0%	11.7%	-2.8%	2.2%	-11.5%		% Change Between 1994 and 1999
-74	-1.7	-99	-1.5	46	-0.5	-53	-1.0		Change Between 1998 and 1999
-1.3%	-3.5%	-8.9%	-9.6%	2.9%	-1.4%	-2.0%	-4.3%		% Change Between 1998 and 1999

<sup>2</sup> For 1985 and 1988-1998, abortion estimates are based on reported in-state and out-of-state occurrences among Oregon residents. For years prior to 1985 (and in 1986-1987), abortion estimates were based on Oregon occurrences only but included abortions obtained by out-of-state residents. Because some neighboring states do not report abortions to the state of residence (especially California), this results in minimal estimates for both abortions and pregnancies.

--- Data not available.

All rates are per 1,000 females.

TABLE 4-2.  
Oregon Pregnancies to Young Teens (10-17 Years), 1974-1999

Year	Pregnancies <sup>1</sup>			Births			Abortions <sup>2</sup>			Live Births <sup>3</sup>	
	10-14	10-17		10-14	10-17		10-14	10-17		10-14	10-17
	No.	No.	Rate	No.	No.	Rate	No.	No.	Rate	Percent	
1974	191	3,552	---	67	1,985	---	124	1,567	---	35.1%	55.9%
1975	216	3,934	---	67	1,935	---	149	1,999	---	31.0%	49.2%
1976	221	4,104	---	67	1,904	---	154	2,200	---	30.3%	46.4%
1977	209	4,062	---	69	1,862	---	140	2,200	---	33.0%	45.8%
1978	174	4,069	---	72	1,964	---	102	2,105	---	41.4%	48.3%
1979	201	4,003	---	70	1,860	---	131	2,143	---	34.8%	46.5%
1980	203	4,047	24.7	71	1,846	11.3	132	2,201	13.4	35.0%	45.6%
1981	158	3,662	22.8	61	1,716	10.7	97	1,946	12.1	38.6%	46.9%
1982	157	3,135	19.8	52	1,518	9.6	105	1,617	10.2	33.1%	48.4%
1983	135	2,829	18.3	52	1,449	9.4	83	1,380	8.9	38.5%	51.2%
1984	134	2,811	18.6	56	1,421	9.4	78	1,390	9.2	41.8%	50.6%
1985	132	2,721	18.2	42	1,391	9.3	90	1,330	8.9	31.8%	51.1%
1986	145	2,681	18.4	64	1,432	9.8	81	1,249	8.5	44.1%	53.4%
1987	115	2,744	19.2	59	1,566	11.0	56	1,178	8.3	51.3%	57.1%
1988	122	3,015	20.6	57	1,604	10.9	64	1,410	9.6	46.7%	53.2%
1989	136	2,887	19.6	68	1,587	10.8	68	1,300	8.8	50.0%	55.0%
1990	144	2,986	19.7	76	1,736	11.4	68	1,250	8.2	52.8%	58.1%
1991	173	3,086	19.3	88	1,852	11.6	85	1,234	7.7	50.9%	60.0%
1992	157	2,913	17.9	86	1,873	11.5	71	1,040	6.4	54.8%	64.3%
1993	169	3,027	18.2	83	1,926	11.6	86	1,101	6.6	49.1%	63.6%
1994	183	3,214	18.9	117	2,022	11.9	66	1,192	7.0	63.9%	62.9%
1995	191	3,284	19.2	104	2,081	12.2	87	1,203	7.0	54.5%	63.4%
1996	166	3,274	18.8	91	2,106	12.1	75	1,168	6.7	54.8%	64.3%
1997	184	3,197	18.0	104	1,990	11.2	80	1,207	6.8	56.5%	62.2%
1998	191	3,176	17.2	95	1,967	10.7	96	1,209	6.6	49.7%	61.9%
1999	151	2,961	15.9	86	1,882	10.1	65	1,079	5.8	57.0%	63.6%
Change Between 1989 and 1999	15	74	-3.7	18	295	-0.7	-3	-221	-3.0		
% Change Between 1989 and 1999	11%	3%	-19%	27%	19%	-7%	-4%	-17%	-34%		
Change Between 1994 and 1999	-32	-253	-3	-31	-140	-1.8	-1	-113	-1.2		
% Change Between 1994 and 1999	-18%	-8%	-16%	-27%	-7%	-15%	-2%	-10%	-17%		
Change Between 1998 and 1999	-40	-215	-1.3	-9	-85	-0.6	-31	-130	-0.8		
% Change Between 1998 and 1999	-21%	-7%	-8%	-10%	-4%	-6%	-32%	-11%	-12%		

<sup>1</sup>Pregnancy estimates are based on the total number of births and abortions.

<sup>2</sup> For 1985 and 1988-1998, abortion estimates are based on reported in-state and out-of-state occurrences among Oregon residents. For years prior to 1985 (and in 1986-1987), abortion estimates were based on Oregon occurrences only but included abortions obtained by out-of-state residents. This change permits closer comparison with the figures in Table 4-7 (and Table 4-5) but, because some neighboring states do not report abortions to the state of residence (especially California), this results in minimal estimates for both abortions and pregnancies.

<sup>3</sup> Percentage of pregnancies resulting in a live birth.

--- Data not available.

Rates per 1,000 females 10-17 years of age. 1999: 186,248.

**TABLE 4-3.**  
**Births to 15- to 19-year-old Teens by Race/Ethnicity, Adequacy of Prenatal Care, and Birthweight, Oregon Residents, 1999**

Race/Ethnicity and Age of Mother	Total Births*	Adequacy of Prenatal Care <sup>1</sup>					
		Inadequate		Adequate		Not Stated	
		< 2500 Grams	2500+ Grams	< 2500 Grams	2500+ Grams	< 2500 Grams	2500+ Grams
<b>Total Births* 15-19</b>	5,491	70	405	310	4,652	10	44
15-17	1,796	24	157	103	1,491	3	18
18-19	3,695	46	248	207	3,161	7	26
<b>Non- Hispanic</b>							
	4,246	55	264	259	3,629	7	32
15-17	1,304	15	96	80	1,101	-	12
18-19	2,942	40	168	179	2,528	7	20
White	3,794	45	225	235	3,254	6	29
15-17	1,124	12	78	68	955	-	11
18-19	2,670	33	147	167	2,299	6	18
African American	176	4	7	11	153	-	1
15-17	64	1	4	4	54	-	1
18-19	112	3	3	7	99	-	-
Indian	145	3	15	5	119	1	2
15-17	66	1	7	2	56	-	-
18-19	79	2	8	3	63	1	2
Other nonwhite	126	3	16	7	100	-	-
15-17	48	1	7	5	35	-	-
18-19	78	2	9	2	65	-	-
Unknown race	5	-	1	1	3	-	-
15-17	2	-	-	1	1	-	-
18-19	3	-	1	-	2	-	-
<b>Hispanic</b>	1,196	13	137	48	984	3	11
15-17	475	8	60	22	376	3	6
18-19	721	5	77	26	608	-	5
White	1,168	12	135	47	960	3	11
15-17	461	7	59	22	364	3	6
18-19	707	5	76	25	596	-	5
African American	8	1	-	1	6	-	-
15-17	4	1	-	-	3	-	-
18-19	4	-	-	1	3	-	-
Indian	14	-	1	-	13	-	-
15-17	7	-	1	-	6	-	-
18-19	7	-	-	-	7	-	-
Other nonwhite	6	-	1	-	5	-	-
15-17	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
18-19	3	-	1	-	2	-	-
Unknown race	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

- Quantity is zero.

\* Includes 49 cases with unknown ethnicity.

<sup>1</sup> Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than 5.

**TABLE 4-4.**  
**Births to Teens 15-19 by Marital Status, Race/Ethnicity, and Age by Adequacy of Prenatal Care and Birthweight, Oregon Residents, 1999**

Marital Status, Race/Ethnicity and Age of Mother	Total Births	Low Weight Births <sup>1</sup>		First Trimester Care		Inadequate Care <sup>2</sup>	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
<b>Total Births*</b>							
15-19	5,491	390	71.0	3,672	673.0	475	87.4
15-17	1,796	130	72.4	1,129	633.6	181	102.0
18-19	3,695	260	70.4	2,543	692.2	294	80.3
<b>White</b>	<b>3,823</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>75.6</b>	<b>2,663</b>	<b>700.2</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>71.8</b>
15-17	1,134	81	71.4	749	664.0	90	80.1
Married	110	4	36.4	71	657.4	4	37.4
Not married	1,024	77	75.2	678	664.7	86	84.6
18-19	2,689	208	77.4	1,914	715.5	182	68.3
Married	790	59	74.7	587	745.9	37	47.5
Not married	1,899	149	78.5	1,327	702.9	145	76.9
<b>Hispanic (All Races)</b>	<b>1,196</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>53.5</b>	<b>708</b>	<b>598.0</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>126.9</b>
15-17	475	33	69.5	270	578.2	68	145.9
Married	74	9	121.6	43	581.1	11	150.7
Not married	401	24	59.9	227	577.6	57	145.0
18-19	721	31	43.0	438	610.9	82	114.5
Married	271	11	40.6	165	608.9	24	88.9
Not married	450	20	44.4	273	612.1	58	130.0
<b>African American</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>85.2</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>710.2</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>62.9</b>
15-17	64	5	78.1	44	687.5	5	79.4
Married	2	-	-	2	1000.0	-	-
Not married	62	5	80.6	42	677.4	5	82.0
18-19	112	10	89.3	81	723.2	6	53.6
Married	8	-	-	5	625.0	1	125.0
Not married	104	10	96.2	76	730.8	5	48.1
<b>American Indian</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>61.2</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>575.3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>125.0</b>
15-17	66	3	45.5	36	545.5	8	121.2
Married	3	-	-	3	1000.0	-	-
Not married	63	3	47.6	33	523.8	8	127.0
18-19	81	6	74.0	48	600.0	10	128.2
Married	15	-	-	11	733.3	-	-
Not married	66	6	90.9	37	569.2	10	158.7
<b>Other Nonwhite</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>79.4</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>632.0</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>150.8</b>
15-17	48	6	125.0	24	500.0	8	166.7
Married	6	-	-	4	666.7	1	166.7
Not married	42	6	142.9	20	476.2	7	166.7
18-19	78	4	51.3	55	714.3	11	141.0
Married	25	2	80.0	19	760.0	1	40.0
Not married	53	2	37.7	36	692.3	10	188.7
<b>Unknown race</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>130.4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>590.9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>227.3</b>
15-17	9	2	222.2	6	666.7	2	222.2
Married	1	-	-	1	1000.0	-	-
Not married	8	2	250.0	5	625.0	2	250.0
18-19	14	1	71.4	7	538.5	3	230.8
Married	2	-	-	2	1000.0	-	-
Not married	12	1	83.3	5	454.5	3	272.7

1 Less than 2,500 grams.

2 Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five.

WARNING: Rates based on less than 5 events are unreliable.

- Quantity is zero.

NOTE: All racial categories are non-Hispanic unless noted. Rates and percentages are calculated excluding missing and unknown values. Rates are per 1,000 births.

**TABLE 4-5.  
Pregnancy Rates of Teens by County of Residence, Oregon, 1999**

County of Residence	Total Pregnancies (All Ages)	Age				Pregnancy Rate <sup>1</sup>			
		< 15	15-17	18-19	15-19	10-17	15-17	18-19	15-19
<b>Total</b>	57,744	151	2,810	5,311	8,121	15.9	39.3	114.8	68.9
Baker	184	1	9	26	35	10.8	25.2	150.6	66.1
Benton	1,014	2	36	64	100	§9.9	§24.3	§29.3	§27.3
Clackamas	5221	6	228	413	641	§11.9	§29.9	§100.2	§54.6
Clatsop	472	-	26	54	80	12.9	32.1	115.8	62.7
Columbia	696	1	28	68	96	§10.1	§25.7	123.8	58.5
Coos	756	3	48	98	146	14.9	36.6	§146.5	73.7
Crook	245	1	10	27	37	11.3	25.8	139.5	63.6
Curry	167	-	11	18	29	10.2	28.0	104.1	51.3
Deschutes	1660	4	66	166	232	§11.6	29.9	§135.7	67.6
Douglas	1,335	5	101	183	284	17.8	43.8	§144.5	§79.5
Gilliam	26	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grant	88	-	7	9	16	14.5	34.9	91.2	53.5
Harney	99	-	10	14	24	20.0	51.7	173.3	87.5
Hood River	384	1	13	25	38	11.6	30.9	109.8	58.7
Jackson	2562	2	112	254	366	§11.5	§28.6	107.6	§58.4
Jefferson	335	3	30	40	70	§30.6	§72.3	§193.5	§112.6
Josephine	964	4	62	84	146	16.6	39.9	110.3	63.1
Klamath	971	1	60	114	174	16.8	42.0	125.7	74.5
Lake	76	-	5	9	14	10.5	28.0	143.3	58.0
Lane	5,001	19	245	492	737	15.3	36.5	§89.1	§60.2
Lincoln	571	2	36	58	94	16.8	43.0	147.4	76.4
Linn	1,670	5	96	188	284	16.7	39.9	130.7	73.8
Malheur	512	1	20	70	90	§9.8	§23.8	151.2	69.0
Marion	5,452	17	318	582	900	§20.7	§51.7	§149.9	§89.7
Morrow	194	-	16	13	29	23.8	57.4	114.2	73.9
Multnomah	13,462	33	619	1,127	1,746	§20.3	§50.3	122.0	§81.0
Polk	758	1	40	70	110	§11.2	29.3	§65.6	§45.2
Sherman	19	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tillamook	274	1	26	29	55	21.0	56.2	129.5	80.1
Umatilla	1,324	7	83	158	241	§21.3	50.6	§159.2	§91.5
Union	360	1	20	41	61	13.1	31.4	93.6	56.7
Wallowa	68	1	4	5	9	11.6	24.2	75.4	38.8
Wasco	332	1	21	30	51	16.0	39.0	117.7	64.3
Washington	8,998	23	326	620	946	15.1	36.9	124.0	68.4
Wheeler	12	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yamhill	1,482	5	78	157	235	15.5	39.5	111.3	69.4

<sup>1</sup> All rates per 1,000 females.

- Quantity is zero.

\* Detailed reporting of small numbers may breach confidentiality.

WARNING: Rates based on less than 5 events may be unreliable.

NOTE: Includes reported abortions obtained out-of-state by Oregon residents. Because some states (e.g., California) do not record data on residence, all out-of-state abortions are not included.

§ Indicates statistically significant difference from the total.

**TABLE 4-6.**  
**Birth Rates to Teens by County of Residence, Oregon, 1999**

County of Residence	Total Births	Mother's Age				Birth Rate <sup>1</sup>			
		< 15	15-17	18-19	15-19	10 -17	15 -17	18 -19	15 -19
<b>Total</b>	45,193	86	1,796	3,695	5,491	10.1	25.1	79.8	46.6
Baker	170	1	8	24	32	9.7	22.4	§139.0	60.4
Benton	821	-	23	32	55	§6.0	§15.5	§14.6	§15.0
Clackamas	4,107	1	111	254	365	§5.7	§14.5	§61.6	§31.1
Clatsop	376	-	18	45	63	9.0	22.3	96.6	49.4
Columbia	571	-	15	53	68	§5.2	§13.7	96.5	41.5
Coos	647	2	32	77	109	10.0	24.4	§115.1	55.0
Crook	216	1	5	25	30	6.2	12.9	§129.2	51.6
Curry	141	-	5	13	18	4.6	12.7	75.2	31.8
Deschutes	1,316	2	42	124	166	7.3	19.0	§101.4	48.4
Douglas	1,120	3	74	151	225	12.9	32.1	§119.2	§63.0
Gilliam	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant	78	-	3	7	10	6.2	15.0	70.9	33.4
Harney	92	-	9	12	21	18.0	46.5	148.5	76.6
Hood River	338	-	9	21	30	7.5	21.4	92.2	46.3
Jackson	2,079	1	84	182	266	8.6	21.5	77.1	42.4
Jefferson	297	3	25	36	61	§26.0	§60.2	§174.2	§98.1
Josephine	832	2	53	68	121	13.8	34.1	89.3	52.3
Klamath	813	1	45	89	134	12.7	31.5	98.2	§57.4
Lake	66	-	1	7	8	2.1	5.6	111.4	33.2
Lane	3,752	10	149	338	487	9.2	22.2	§61.2	§39.8
Lincoln	423	1	22	39	61	10.2	26.3	99.1	49.6
Linn	1,458	4	68	155	223	11.9	28.2	§107.8	§58.0
Malheur	499	1	19	69	88	9.4	22.6	§149.0	§67.5
Marion	4,545	13	229	455	684	§15.0	§37.2	§117.2	§68.1
Morrow	180	-	15	12	27	§22.3	§53.8	105.5	68.8
Multnomah	9,212	20	365	658	1,023	§12.0	§29.6	§71.3	47.5
Polk	651	-	30	58	88	8.2	22.0	§54.3	§36.2
Sherman	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tillamook	215	1	15	23	38	12.5	32.4	102.7	55.4
Umatilla	1,132	7	69	128	197	§18.0	§42.0	§129.0	§74.8
Union	313	1	17	36	53	11.3	26.7	82.2	49.3
Wallowa	59	-	3	5	8	6.9	18.1	75.4	34.5
Wasco	283	-	18	24	42	13.1	33.4	94.1	52.9
Washington	7,100	8	160	361	521	§7.3	§18.1	72.2	§37.7
Wheeler	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yamhill	1,245	3	55	114	169	10.8	27.8	80.8	49.9

<sup>1</sup> All rates per 1,000 females.

- Quantity is zero.

WARNING: Rates based on less than 5 events are unreliable.

§ Rate is significantly different than state rate.

**TABLE 4-7.**  
**Abortion Rates of Teens By County of Residence, Oregon, 1999**

County of Residence	Total	Age				Abortion Rate <sup>1</sup>			
		< 15	15-17	18-19	15-19	10 -17	15 -17	18 -19	15 -19
<b>Total</b>	12,551	65	1,014	1,616	2,630	5.8	14.2	34.9	22.3
Baker	14	-	1	2	3	1.1	2.8	11.6	§5.7
Benton	193	2	13	32	45	3.9	8.8	§14.6	§12.3
Clackamas	1,114	5	117	159	276	6.2	15.3	38.6	23.5
Clatsop	96	-	8	9	17	4.0	9.9	19.3	§13.3
Columbia	125	1	13	15	28	4.9	11.9	27.3	17.1
Coos	109	1	16	21	37	5.0	12.2	31.4	18.7
Crook	29	-	5	2	7	5.1	12.9	10.3	12.0
Curry	26	-	6	5	11	5.5	15.3	28.9	19.5
Deschutes	344	2	24	42	66	4.3	10.9	34.3	19.2
Douglas	215	2	27	32	59	4.9	11.7	25.3	§16.5
Gilliam	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Grant	10	-	4	2	6	8.3	19.9	20.3	20.1
Harney	7	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hood River	46	1	4	4	8	4.2	9.5	17.6	12.4
Jackson	483	1	28	72	100	§2.9	§7.2	30.5	§15.9
Jefferson	38	-	5	4	9	4.6	12.0	19.4	14.5
Josephine	132	2	9	16	25	§2.8	§5.8	21.0	§10.8
Klamath	158	-	15	25	40	4.1	10.5	27.6	17.1
Lake	10	-	4	2	6	8.4	22.4	31.8	24.9
Lane	1,249	9	96	154	250	6.1	14.3	§27.9	20.4
Lincoln	148	1	14	19	33	6.6	16.7	48.3	26.8
Linn	212	1	28	33	61	4.8	11.6	§22.9	§15.9
Malheur	13	-	1	1	2	§0.5	§1.2	§2.2	§1.5
Marion	907	4	89	127	216	5.7	14.5	32.7	21.5
Morrow	14	-	1	1	2	1.5	3.6	8.8	§5.1
Multnomah	4,250	13	254	469	723	§8.3	§20.6	§50.8	§33.6
Polk	107	1	10	12	22	§3.0	7.3	§11.2	§9.0
Sherman	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tillamook	59	-	11	6	17	8.6	23.8	26.8	24.8
Umatilla	192	-	14	30	44	3.3	8.5	30.2	16.7
Union	47	-	3	5	8	1.9	4.7	§11.4	§7.4
Wallowa	9	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wasco	49	1	3	6	9	2.9	5.6	23.5	11.3
Washington	1,898	15	166	259	425	§7.8	§18.8	§51.8	§30.7
Wheeler	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yamhill	237	2	23	43	66	4.7	11.6	30.5	19.5

<sup>1</sup> All rates per 1,000 females.

- Quantity is zero.

\* Detail reporting on small numbers may breach confidentiality.

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§ Rate is significantly different than state rate.

NOTE: Table 4-7 includes reported abortions obtained out-of-state by Oregon residents. Because some states (e.g., California) do not record data on residence, all out-of-state abortions are not included.



**TABLE 4-8.**  
**Teens 15-19: Births, Level of Prenatal Care and Low Birthweight Rates by**  
**County of Residence, Oregon, 1999**

County of Residence	Total Births Ages 15-19		Low Weight Births		First Trimester Care		Inadequate Care <sup>1</sup>	
	Number	Rate <sup>2</sup>	Number	Rate <sup>3</sup>	Number	Rate <sup>3</sup>	Number	Rate <sup>3</sup>
<b>Total</b>	5,491	46.6	390	71.0	3,672	673.0	475	87.4
Baker	32	60.4	3	93.8	25	781.3	-	-
Benton	55	§15.0	6	109.1	40	727.3	6	109.1
Clackamas	365	§31.1	24	65.8	253	698.9	32	89.4
Clatsop	63	49.4	2	31.7	50	793.7	2	32.3
Columbia	68	41.5	7	102.9	44	647.1	6	88.2
Coos	109	55.0	8	73.4	60	550.5	11	100.9
Crook	30	51.6	1	33.3	20	666.7	2	66.7
Curry	18	31.9	1	55.6	12	666.7	1	55.6
Deschutes	166	48.4	15	90.4	113	680.7	12	72.3
Douglas	225	§63.0	13	57.8	181	§808.0	8	§35.7
Gilliam	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grant	10	33.3	1	100.0	5	500.0	2	200.0
Harney	21	76.6	3	142.9	15	714.3	2	95.2
Hood River	30	46.3	2	66.7	22	733.3	1	33.3
Jackson	266	42.4	15	56.4	158	596.2	28	105.7
Jefferson	61	§98.1	5	82.0	34	557.4	9	147.5
Josephine	121	52.3	10	82.6	86	716.7	6	50.8
Klamath	134	§57.4	5	37.3	93	699.2	11	84.0
Lake	8	33.2	1	125.0	4	500.0	-	-
Lane	487	§39.8	37	76.0	301	619.3	42	86.2
Lincoln	61	49.6	5	82.0	45	775.9	3	50.8
Linn	223	§58.0	13	58.3	156	699.6	13	58.3
Malheur	88	§67.4	6	68.2	52	597.7	7	80.5
Marion	684	§68.1	45	65.8	416	618.1	87	§130.0
Morrow	27	68.7	2	74.1	11	407.4	4	148.1
Multnomah	1,023	47.5	71	69.4	689	679.5	98	96.6
Polk	88	§36.2	4	45.5	68	772.7	7	80.5
Sherman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tillamook	38	55.4	4	105.3	26	684.2	3	78.9
Umatilla	197	§74.8	19	96.4	123	624.4	13	67.7
Union	53	49.3	3	56.6	35	660.4	2	37.7
Wallowa	8	34.6	-	-	6	750.0	2	250.0
Wasco	42	53.0	3	71.4	32	761.9	2	47.6
Washington	521	§37.7	37	71.0	394	§757.7	36	69.5
Wheeler	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yamhill	169	49.9	19	112.4	103	616.8	17	102.4

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five.

<sup>2</sup> Rates per 1,000 females 15-19 years of age.

<sup>3</sup> Rates per 1,000 births.

WARNING: Rates based on less than 5 events are unreliable.

§ Rate is significantly different than state rate.

NOTE: Rates and percentages are calculated excluding missing and unknown values.

**TABLE 4-9.**  
**Birth Outcomes of Infants by Age of Mother,**  
**Oregon Residents, 1999**

Birth Outcomes	Total Births	Mother's Age								N.S.
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	
<b>Total births</b>	45,193	86	227	581	988	1,582	2,113	5,491	39,613	3
<b>Birthweight<sup>1</sup></b>										
1499 Gr. or less	423	1	9	7	8	33	23	80	342	-
<28 weeks	152	1	6	2	2	13	5	28	123	-
28-36 weeks	223	-	2	3	5	11	15	36	187	-
37-41 weeks	19	-	-	-	1	3	-	4	15	-
42+ weeks	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Unknown	27	-	1	2	-	6	3	12	15	-
1500-2499 grams	2,013	4	16	30	60	83	121	310	1,699	-
<28 weeks	11	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	8	-
28-36 weeks	1,075	2	8	16	33	39	58	154	919	-
37-41 weeks	778	1	7	11	22	37	48	125	652	-
42+ weeks	49	-	-	1	3	1	3	8	41	-
Unknown	100	1	1	2	2	5	10	20	79	-
2500+ grams	42,749	81	202	544	920	1,466	1,969	5,101	37,565	2
<28 weeks	14	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	12	-
28-36 weeks	1,772	4	12	34	40	74	101	261	1,507	-
37-41 weeks	33,376	52	144	387	661	1,067	1,440	3,699	29,624	1
42+ weeks	4,981	16	28	78	152	235	296	789	4,175	1
Unknown	2,606	9	18	43	67	90	132	350	2,247	-
<b>5 Minute APGAR</b>										
0-3	192	1	3	3	10	9	9	34	157	-
4-6	641	2	-	12	13	25	35	85	554	-
7-10	44,156	83	220	565	963	1,544	2,061	5,353	38,718	2
Not stated	204	-	4	1	2	4	8	19	184	1
<b>Tobacco used</b>										
Yes	6,492	16	47	132	255	411	498	1,343	5,132	1
No	38,280	67	178	435	718	1,152	1,594	4,077	34,135	1
Unknown	421	3	2	14	15	19	21	71	346	1
<b>Alcohol used</b>										
Yes	824	3	3	16	11	16	33	79	741	1
No	43,361	79	221	538	949	1,518	2,029	5,255	38,026	1
Unknown	1,008	4	3	27	28	48	51	157	846	1
<b>Birth order</b>										
1st	18,381	86	216	554	880	1,256	1,520	4,426	13,869	-
2nd	14,720	-	11	25	101	301	491	929	13,789	2
3rd	7,243	-	-	2	5	19	89	115	7,128	-
4th	2,829	-	-	-	-	4	10	14	2,815	-
5+	1,931	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1,930	-
Unknown	89	-	-	-	2	2	2	6	82	1
<b>Prenatal care</b>										
No care	327	3	5	9	14	17	20	65	259	-
Little or late <sup>2</sup>	2,082	15	28	56	69	126	131	410	1,657	-
Adequate <sup>3</sup>	42,453	68	193	507	894	1,432	1,936	4,962	37,423	-
Unknown	331	-	1	9	11	7	26	54	274	3

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> The birthweight was unknown for 8 infants.

<sup>2</sup> Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five.

<sup>3</sup> Prenatal care began prior to third trimester; patient made at least five visits to a medical provider.

TABLE 4-10.  
Demographic Characteristics of Mother by Age,  
Oregon Residents, 1999

Demographics of Mother	Births	Mother's Age								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	N.S.
<b>Total Births</b>	45,193	86	227	581	988	1,582	2,113	5,491	39,613	3
<b>Ethnicity/Race</b>										
White (non-Hispanic)	34,431	46	129	361	644	1,138	1,551	3,823	30,561	1
Hispanic (all races)	6,902	32	78	145	252	316	405	1,196	5,673	1
African American (non-Hispanic)	880	3	6	24	34	51	61	176	701	-
American Indian (non-Hispanic)	658	4	10	26	30	35	46	147	507	-
Other nonwhite (non-Hispanic)	2,150	1	4	20	24	37	41	126	2,023	-
Unknown <sup>1</sup>	172	-	-	5	4	5	9	23	148	1
<b>Marital status</b>										
Unmarried	13,738	83	220	543	837	1,187	1,397	4,184	9,469	2
Married	31,455	3	7	38	151	395	716	1,307	30,144	1
<b>Education</b>										
8th grade or less	2,715	66	57	74	94	118	141	484	2,164	1
9th grade	1,812	17	108	146	137	125	135	651	1,144	-
10th grade	2,017	-	49	219	246	199	195	908	1,109	-
11th grade	2,563	-	4	77	266	340	322	1,009	1,553	1
12th grade	14,813	-	-	33	208	691	1,042	1,974	12,839	-
Some college	10,259	-	-	-	8	53	215	276	9,983	-
College	6,268	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,268	-
Postbaccalaureate	3,428	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,428	-
Unknown	1,318	3	9	32	29	56	63	189	1,125	1
<b>Children now alive</b>										
One	14,906	-	11	26	99	300	491	927	13,977	2
Two	7,190	-	-	1	5	17	85	108	7,082	-
Three	2,785	-	-	-	-	4	9	13	2,772	-
Four+	1,799	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1,798	-
Unknown	22	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	20	-
<b>Start of prenatal care</b>										
1st trimester	36,414	34	125	355	649	1,055	1,488	3,672	32,707	1
2nd trimester	6,920	35	79	178	275	432	508	1,472	5,413	-
3rd trimester	1,331	13	17	34	42	73	81	247	1,071	-
No care	327	3	5	9	14	17	20	65	259	-
Unknown	201	1	1	5	8	5	16	35	163	2
<b>Prenatal care</b>										
Inadequate care <sup>2</sup>	2,409	18	33	65	83	143	151	475	1,916	-
Adequate care	42,457	68	193	507	894	1,432	1,936	4,962	37,427	-
Unknown	327	-	1	9	11	7	26	54	270	3
<b>Source of payment</b>										
Private insurance	27,131	22	67	172	320	441	633	1,633	25,476	-
Self-pay	2,615	7	22	52	76	90	122	362	2,246	-
Public insurance	14,364	53	130	333	560	995	1,302	3,320	10,989	2
Other coverage	166	2	3	6	9	9	15	42	122	-
Unknown mention	804	1	5	13	17	36	38	109	693	1
Multiple mention	113	1	-	5	6	11	3	25	87	-

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Both ethnicity and race are unknown or, if non-Hispanic, race is unknown.

<sup>2</sup> Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five.

**TABLE 4-11.**  
**Demographic Characteristics of Abortion Patients by Age,**  
**Oregon Residents, 1999**

Demographics of Patient	Abortion Patient's Age									
	Total <sup>1</sup>	< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	N.S.
<b>Total Abortions</b>	12,551	65	182	285	547	733	883	2,630	9,841	15
<b>Ethnicity/Race</b>										
White (Non-Hispanic)	9,727	52	149	239	423	582	702	2,095	7,570	10
Hispanic (All Races)	1,133	5	14	21	53	54	80	222	903	3
African American	742	4	10	13	29	54	54	160	576	2
American Indian	241	2	8	5	11	15	18	57	182	-
Other Nonwhite	772	4	4	11	33	36	40	124	644	-
Unknown <sup>2</sup>	97	-	2	2	3	6	3	16	81	-
<b>Marital Status</b>										
Married	2,812	-	1	3	8	24	45	81	2,727	4
Unmarried	9,313	64	175	269	533	688	818	2,483	6,755	11
Unknown	426	1	6	13	6	21	20	66	359	-
<b>Education</b>										
Grade School	391	54	30	14	18	15	24	101	235	1
9th Grade	368	8	92	65	32	10	16	215	145	-
10th Grade	683	2	45	156	125	54	47	427	253	1
11th Grade	950	-	2	33	235	159	88	517	432	1
12th Grade	4,918	-	6	7	125	430	501	1,069	3,845	4
Some College	3,011	-	-	-	6	48	189	243	2,765	3
College	1,500	-	-	-	-	3	3	6	1,491	3
Postbaccalaureate	386	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	385	-
Unknown	344	1	7	10	6	13	15	51	290	2
<b>Children Now Alive</b>										
None	5,753	65	176	251	465	574	612	2,078	3,603	7
One	3,295	-	5	28	74	134	223	464	2,826	5
Two	2,249	-	1	3	6	22	39	71	2,178	-
Three +	1,219	-	-	1	1	3	8	13	1,205	1
Unknown	35	-	-	2	1	-	1	4	29	2
<b>Previous Abortions</b>										
None	7,232	64	174	254	446	591	663	2,128	5,030	10
One	3,113	1	6	26	88	119	168	407	2,704	1
Two	1,301	-	2	1	12	18	43	76	1,225	-
Three+	848	-	-	-	-	2	8	10	836	2
Unknown	57	-	-	4	1	3	1	9	46	2
<b>Gestation</b>										
Eight Weeks or Less	7,284	24	90	136	248	361	472	1,307	5,945	8
9-12	3,599	27	60	100	190	240	281	871	2,699	2
13-16	838	7	16	23	65	66	64	234	595	2
17+	748	5	15	24	42	60	59	200	541	2
Unknown	82	2	1	2	2	6	7	18	61	1
<b>Contraceptive Used</b>										
None Used	8,147	46	136	209	399	530	615	1,889	6,203	9
Pills Used	1,141	2	3	15	30	65	75	188	951	-
Condom Used	2,384	16	39	57	108	122	159	485	1,879	4
Other Contraceptive	1,055	2	4	5	15	24	38	86	966	1
Unknown	59	-	3	1	1	2	4	11	47	1
<b>Medical Procedure</b>										
Suction Curettage	11,614	60	168	263	501	653	816	2,401	9,142	11
Dilation Evacuation	752	5	11	20	43	69	51	194	552	1
Other Specified	181	-	3	2	3	11	16	35	143	3
Unknown	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Includes all abortions known to have been obtained in-state and out-of-state by Oregon residents.

<sup>2</sup> Both ethnicity and race are unknown, or if non-Hispanic, race is unknown.

**TABLE 4-12.**  
**Age of Father by Age of Mother, Oregon Residents, 1999**

Father's Age	Total Births	Mother's Age								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+	N.S.
<b>Total</b>	45,193	86	227	581	988	1,582	2,113	11,896	27,717	3
<15	3	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	28	5	10	8	2	2	-	-	1	-
16	82	4	15	18	21	14	3	6	1	-
17	227	6	25	44	69	41	24	18	-	-
18	532	7	22	85	111	134	76	88	9	-
19	829	3	17	60	98	213	195	222	21	-
20	1,066	5	12	39	112	175	252	443	28	-
21	1,319	-	8	31	73	151	238	729	89	-
22	1,617	1	4	23	55	135	234	1,021	144	-
23	1,747	1	3	11	39	90	163	1,161	279	-
24	1,929	-	1	14	19	50	118	1,248	478	1
25+	30,787	2	6	22	81	191	366	5,292	24,827	-
N.S.	5,027	51	103	225	308	386	444	1,668	1,840	2

- Quantity is zero.

**TABLE 4-13.**  
**Age of Father by Age of Mother, Oregon Residents, 1995-1999**

Father's Age	Total Births	Mother's Age								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+	N.S.
<b>Total</b>	220,546	480	1,367	2,993	5,186	7,693	10,274	57,440	135,083	30
<15	20	7	7	5	1	-	-	-	-	-
15	124	12	42	42	10	7	8	-	3	-
16	422	26	74	113	99	62	29	18	1	-
17	1,186	31	114	252	320	221	138	99	11	-
18	2,529	26	121	350	562	627	397	408	38	-
19	3,974	29	98	276	602	954	888	1,029	98	-
20	5,251	22	67	204	574	892	1,203	2,107	182	-
21	6,256	6	53	138	352	714	1,154	3,443	396	-
22	7,525	7	33	112	263	609	1,039	4,748	713	1
23	8,419	6	22	71	221	449	782	5,580	1,288	-
24	9,396	6	17	60	102	314	570	5,960	2,366	1
25+	149,565	5	48	145	425	890	1,803	25,502	120,744	3
N.S.	25,879	297	671	1,225	1,655	1,954	2,263	8,546	9,243	25

- Quantity is zero.