

# Quick Reference: Volume 1

## Summary of Oregon Vital Events, 2001

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| <b>Population</b>  | 3,471,700                                  | Population increased 34,950 or 1.0 percent over 2000.  |
| <b>Live Births</b><br>Number<br>Crude Rate<br>Fertility Rate | <b>Residents</b><br>45,318<br>13.1<br>61.6 | Number decreased by 468. Both the crude rate and the fertility rate decreased slightly.  |
| <b>Marriages</b><br>Number<br>Crude Rate                     | <b>Occurrence</b><br>25,990<br>7.5         | Number of Marriages increased by 64, an increase of 0.2 percent from 2000. The rate remained the same.   |
| <b>Divorces</b><br>Number<br>Crude Rate                      | <b>Occurrence</b><br>16,559<br>4.8         | Number of divorces decreased 20 from 2000. The rate remained the same.   |
| <b>Unmarried Mothers</b><br>Number<br>Rate                   | <b>Residents</b><br>13,733<br>30.4         | Number decreased by 45. Proportion of births which were to unmarried mothers increased slightly.   |
| <b>Low Birthweight Infants</b><br>Number<br>Rate             | <b>Residents</b><br>2,521<br>55.6          | Number of low birthweight infants decreased by 70. Rate decreased by 1.7 percent.  |
| <b>Induced Abortions</b><br>Number<br>Ratio                  | <b>Occurrence</b><br>14,272<br>308.9       | The number of reported abortions increased by 78, an increase of less than one percent from 2000. The abortion ratio increased by 1.8 percent. |

Crude birth, death, marriage, and divorce rates are per 1,000 population; fertility rate per 1,000 15-44 year old females; unmarried mother rate and low birthweight rate, per 1,000 live resident births; induced abortion ratio per 1,000 live occurrence births. Rates and percentages are calculated excluding missing and unknown values.