

**TABLE 4-1.**  
**OREGON PREGNANCIES FOR TEENS 15-19, 1974-1996**

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
CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986	-1,308	-16.2	-2,305	-33.6	-3,613	-24.6	-407	-4.2	-1,092	-13.0
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986	-34%	-27%	-35%	-24%	-35%	-26%	-23%	-15%	-28%	-16%
CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996	572	4.2	971	14.6	1,543	7.9	647	7.5	870	15.0
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996	23%	10%	23%	13%	23%	11%	47%	32%	31%	21%
CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996	15	-2.0	243	2.6	258	-0.5	38	-0.8	201	2.5
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996	0%	-4%	5%	2%	3%	-1%	2%	-3%	6%	3%
CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996	-736	-12.0	-1,334	-19.0	-2,070	-16.7	240	3.3	-222	2.0
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996	-19%	-20%	-20%	-13%	-20%	-18%	14%	12%	-6%	2%

<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 FOR TEENS 15-19, 1974-1996 (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	22	1996
-1,499	-8.6	-901	-12.1	-1,213	-20.6	-2,114	-16.0		CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986
-26%	-17%	-44%	-38%	-45%	-35%	-44%	-37%		% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986
1517	10.1	-75	-3.2	101	-0.4	26	-2.2		CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996
36%	24%	-6%	-16%	7%	-1%	1%	-8%		% CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996
239	0.2	-23	-1.2	42	0.1	19	-0.8		CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996
4%	0%	-2%	-7%	3%	0%	1%	-3%		% CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996
18	1.5	-976	-15.3	-1,112	-21.0	-2,088	-18.2		CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996
0%	3%	-47%	-48%	-41%	-36%	-44%	-42%		% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996

<sup>2</sup> For 1985 and 1988-1996, 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 FOR YOUNG TEENS (10-17 YEARS), 1974-1996**

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%
CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986	-58	-1366	-6.4	-7	-414	-1.5	-51	-952	-4.9		
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1986	-29%	-34%	-26%	-10%	-22%	-13%	-39%	-43%	-36%		
CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996	21	593	0.4	27	674	2.3	-6	-81	-1.8		
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1986 AND 1996	14%	22%	2%	42%	47%	23%	-7%	-6%	-22%		
CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996	-25	-10	-0.4	-13	25	-0.1	-12	-35	-0.3		
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1995 AND 1996	-13%	0%	-2%	-13%	1%	-1%	-14%	-3%	-4%		
CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996	-37	-773	-5.9	20	260	0.8	-57	-1,033	-6.7		
% CHANGE BETWEEN 1980 AND 1996	-18%	-19%	-24%	28%	14%	7%	-43%	-47%	-50%		

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

<sup>2</sup> For 1985 and 1988-1996, 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.

All rates per 1,000 females 10-17 years of age. 1996: 174,230.

**TABLE 4-3.  
BIRTHS TO 15- TO 19-YEAR-OLD TEENS BY RACE/ETHNICITY BY ADEQUACY  
OF PRENATAL CARE AND BIRTHWEIGHT, OREGON RESIDENTS, 1996**

RACE/ETHNICITY AND AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	ADEQUACY OF PRENATAL CARE					
		INADEQUATE		ADEQUATE		NOT STATED	
		< 2500 GRAMS	2500+ GRAMS	< 2500 GRAMS	2500+ GRAMS	< 2500 GRAMS	2500+ GRAMS
<b>TOTAL BIRTHS*</b>							
15-19	5,676	68	453	312	4,796	2	44
15-17	2,015	28	193	117	1,669	-	8
18-19	3,661	40	260	195	3,127	2	36
<b>ETHNICITY/RACE</b>							
<b>NON-HISPANIC</b>	4,647	49	330	257	3,972	2	36
15-17	1,577	18	138	92	1,322	-	7
18-19	3,070	31	192	165	2,650	2	29
WHITE	4,174	40	279	217	3,601	2	34
15-17	1,371	12	117	74	1,163	-	5
18-19	2,803	28	162	143	2,438	2	29
AFRICAN AMERICAN	223	3	16	27	177	-	-
15-17	103	2	8	12	81	-	-
18-19	120	1	8	15	96	-	-
INDIAN	137	4	21	5	105	-	2
15-17	66	3	9	4	48	-	2
18-19	71	1	12	1	57	-	-
OTHER NONWHITE	112	2	14	8	88	-	-
15-17	36	1	4	2	29	-	-
18-19	76	1	10	6	59	-	-
UNKNOWN RACE	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
15-17	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
18-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>HISPANIC</b>	1,023	19	123	55	818	-	8
15-17	437	10	55	25	346	-	1
18-19	586	9	68	30	472	-	7
WHITE	999	19	121	54	797	-	8
15-17	422	10	55	24	332	-	1
18-19	577	9	66	30	465	-	7
AFRICAN AMERICAN	6	-	-	-	6	-	-
15-17	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
18-19	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
INDIAN	17	-	1	1	15	-	-
15-17	12	-	-	1	11	-	-
18-19	5	-	1	-	4	-	-
OTHER NONWHITE	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
15-17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18-19	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
UNKNOWN RACE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

- Quantity is zero.

\* Includes 6 cases with unknown ethnicity.

**TABLE 4-4.**  
**BIRTHS TO TEENS 15-19 BY MARITAL STATUS, RACE/ETHNICITY, AND AGE**  
**BY ADEQUACY OF PRENATAL CARE AND BIRTHWEIGHT, OREGON**  
**RESIDENTS, 1996**

MARITAL STATUS, RACE/ETHNICITY AND AGE OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS		FIRST TRIMESTER CARE		INADEQUATE CARE <sup>1</sup>	
		NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
<b>TOTAL BIRTHS*</b>							
15-19	5,676	382	67.3	3,651	654.1	521	92.5
15-17	2,015	145	72.0	1,240	624.4	221	110.1
18-19	3,661	237	64.8	2,411	670.5	300	82.8
WHITE	4,180	259	62.0	2,760	669.1	319	77.0
15-17	1,372	86	62.7	871	641.9	129	94.4
MARRIED	160	7	43.8	101	639.2	15	94.9
NOT MARRIED	1,211	79	65.2	769	641.9	114	94.4
18-19	2,808	173	61.6	1,889	682.4	190	68.4
MARRIED	893	41	46.0	643	729.9	44	49.8
NOT MARRIED	1,908	131	68.7	1,243	660.5	145	76.8
HISPANIC (ALL RACES)	1,023	74	72.3	598	599.8	142	139.9
15-17	437	35	80.1	245	571.1	65	149.1
MARRIED	87	3	34.5	51	586.2	9	103.4
NOT MARRIED	350	32	91.4	194	567.3	56	160.5
18-19	586	39	66.6	353	621.5	77	133.0
MARRIED	253	16	63.2	167	684.4	23	92.4
NOT MARRIED	332	23	69.3	186	575.9	54	164.1
AFRICAN AMERICAN	223	30	134.5	161	731.8	19	85.2
15-17	103	14	135.9	71	696.1	10	97.1
MARRIED	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOT MARRIED	102	14	137.3	71	703.0	10	98.0
18-19	120	16	133.3	90	762.7	9	75.0
MARRIED	9	-	-	8	888.9	-	-
NOT MARRIED	111	16	144.1	82	752.3	9	81.1
AMERICAN INDIAN	137	9	65.7	75	581.4	25	185.2
15-17	66	7	106.1	36	590.2	12	187.5
MARRIED	4	1	250.0	2	666.7	1	250.0
NOT MARRIED	62	6	96.8	34	586.2	11	183.3
18-19	71	2	28.2	39	573.5	13	183.1
MARRIED	16	-	-	13	812.5	1	62.5
NOT MARRIED	55	2	36.4	26	500.0	12	218.2
OTHER NONWHITE	112	10	89.3	56	509.1	16	142.9
15-17	36	3	83.3	16	444.4	5	138.9
MARRIED	8	1	125.0	4	500.0	1	125.0
NOT MARRIED	28	2	71.4	12	428.6	4	142.9
18-19	76	7	92.1	40	540.5	11	144.7
MARRIED	31	3	96.8	22	709.7	4	129.0
NOT MARRIED	45	4	88.9	18	418.6	7	155.6
RACE & ETHNICITY UNKNOWN	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
15-17	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
MARRIED	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOT MARRIED	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
18-19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MARRIED	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NOT MARRIED	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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

NOTE: All racial categories are non-Hispanic unless noted.

- Quantity is zero.

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

\* Includes 9 cases where marital status was unknown.

**TABLE 4-5.**  
**PREGNANCY RATES OF TEENS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, OREGON, 1996**

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>	55,941	166	3,108	5,242	8,350	18.8	47.3	122.9	77.1
BAKER	174	1	7	14	21	§8.1	§19.1	§69.7	§37.0
BENTON	1,099	-	36	69	105	§10.0	§26.7	§30.5	§29.1
CLACKAMAS	5,162	12	255	409	664	§15.0	§36.7	§95.4	§59.1
CLATSOP	528	1	46	48	94	24.4	62.2	100.4	77.2
COLUMBIA	647	3	49	72	121	21.2	49.0	113.4	74.0
COOS	788	1	52	102	154	15.3	38.8	116.3	69.4
CROOK	247	1	18	35	53	21.3	53.1	170.7	97.4
CURRY	203	-	12	23	35	11.8	31.2	95.0	§55.8
DESCHUTES	1,652	1	95	176	271	17.9	47.6	§160.9	87.7
DOUGLAS	1,303	1	83	174	257	§14.7	37.6	117.0	69.6
GILLIAM	18	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
GRANT	108	1	3	11	14	§8.0	§15.0	91.7	§43.8
HARNEY	91	1	5	12	17	13.6	28.7	95.2	56.7
HOOD RIVER	348	-	17	31	48	15.0	39.5	122.0	70.2
JACKSON	2,332	4	152	242	394	17.3	43.8	116.0	70.9
JEFFERSON	380	2	32	41	73	§32.6	§94.4	§199.0	§133.9
JOSEPHINE	932	3	60	87	147	16.7	41.4	102.7	§64.1
KLAMATH	979	3	81	109	190	24.2	§62.8	125.7	88.1
LAKE	82	-	3	10	13	§6.7	§18.2	77.5	§44.2
LANE	4,927	14	275	511	786	17.6	44.1	§93.8	§67.2
LINCOLN	586	-	41	67	108	17.9	46.2	130.4	77.0
LINN	1,667	7	102	179	281	19.1	47.6	135.9	81.2
MALHEUR	519	3	38	54	92	21.9	51.8	131.4	80.3
MARION	5,334	24	328	559	887	§23.9	§59.4	§171.2	§101.0
MORROW	163	2	10	17	27	20.2	45.9	137.1	78.9
MULTNOMAH	13,344	42	697	1,191	1,888	§23.3	§60.0	§171.1	§101.7
POLK	841	5	45	90	135	15.7	35.7	120.6	67.2
SHERMAN	25	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
TILLAMOOK	292	3	19	26	45	17.3	38.2	§81.0	§55.0
UMATILLA	1,187	5	79	131	210	21.2	52.3	§154.7	89.1
UNION	346	1	22	52	74	15.9	37.4	140.2	77.1
WALLOWA	83	-	2	7	9	§4.1	§11.0	70.7	§32.1
WASCO	349	-	25	36	61	18.7	47.0	113.6	71.8
WASHINGTON	7,926	18	329	520	849	16.5	43.3	118.8	§70.9
WHEELER	13	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
YAMHILL	1,265	7	87	129	216	19.6	47.1	123.0	74.6

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

- Quantity is zero.

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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.

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**TABLE 4-6.**  
**BIRTH RATES OF TEEN MOTHERS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, OREGON, 1996**

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>	43,645	91	2,015	3,661	5,676	12.1	30.7	85.8	52.4
BAKER	164	1	5	12	17	§ 6.1	§ 13.7	59.7	§ 30.0
BENTON	842	-	15	40	55	§ 4.2	§ 11.1	§ 17.7	§ 15.2
CLACKAMAS	4,055	6	130	263	393	§ 7.6	§ 18.7	§ 61.3	§ 35.0
CLATSOP	395	1	31	30	61	16.6	41.9	62.8	50.1
COLUMBIA	512	1	26	49	75	11.0	26.0	77.2	45.9
COOS	643	-	31	84	115	8.9	23.1	95.8	51.8
CROOK	214	-	15	31	46	16.8	44.2	§151.2	§ 84.6
CURRY	180	-	11	21	32	10.8	28.6	86.8	51.0
DESCHUTES	1,293	-	58	133	191	10.8	29.0	§121.6	61.8
DOUGLAS	1,103	-	61	139	200	10.7	27.7	93.5	54.2
GILLIAM	17	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
GRANT	98	1	2	11	13	6.0	§ 10.0	91.7	40.6
HARNEY	82	1	4	12	16	11.3	23.0	95.2	53.3
HOOD RIVER	305	-	14	27	41	12.4	32.6	106.3	59.9
JACKSON	2,062	3	118	208	326	13.4	34.0	99.7	58.7
JEFFERSON	327	1	27	34	61	§ 26.8	§ 79.6	§165.0	§111.9
JOSEPHINE	828	2	48	73	121	13.3	33.1	86.2	52.7
KLAMATH	830	2	61	91	152	§ 18.2	§ 47.3	§105.0	§70.5
LAKE	76	-	2	10	12	§ 4.4	§ 12.1	77.5	40.8
LANE	3,671	8	177	326	503	11.3	28.4	§ 59.8	§ 43.0
LINCOLN	437	-	20	49	69	8.7	22.5	95.3	49.2
LINN	1,409	5	76	146	222	14.2	35.5	§110.9	§ 64.2
MALHEUR	481	2	34	51	85	§ 19.2	46.3	§124.1	§ 74.2
MARION	4,404	16	239	428	667	§ 17.3	§ 43.3	§131.0	§ 75.9
MORROW	145	1	9	13	22	16.8	41.3	104.8	64.3
MULTNOMAH	9,122	16	398	696	1,094	13.1	34.3	§100.0	§ 58.9
POLK	674	3	33	55	88	11.3	26.1	73.7	43.8
SHERMAN	20	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
TILLAMOOK	231	1	14	22	36	11.8	28.2	68.5	44.0
UMATILLA	997	5	58	108	166	15.9	38.4	§127.5	§ 70.4
UNION	298	-	17	40	57	11.8	28.9	107.8	59.4
WALLOWA	77	-	2	6	8	§ 4.1	§ 11.0	60.6	§ 28.6
WASCO	288	-	17	27	44	12.7	32.0	85.2	51.8
WASHINGTON	6,292	11	193	321	514	§ 9.7	§ 25.4	§ 73.4	§ 42.9
WHEELER	12	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
YAMHILL	1,061	4	67	99	166	14.8	36.3	94.4	57.3

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

- Quantity is zero.

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**TABLE 4-7.**  
**ABORTION RATES OF TEENS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, OREGON, 1996**

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>	12,296	75	1,093	1,581	2,674	6.7	16.6	37.1	24.7
BAKER	10	-	2	2	4	§ 2.0	§ 5.5	§ 10.0	§ 7.1
BENTON	257	-	21	29	50	5.8	15.6	§ 12.8	§ 13.9
CLACKAMAS	1,107	6	125	146	271	7.3	18.0	34.0	24.1
CLATSOP	133	-	15	18	33	7.8	20.3	37.7	27.1
COLUMBIA	135	2	23	23	46	10.2	23.0	36.2	28.1
COOS	145	1	21	18	39	6.3	15.7	§ 20.5	§ 17.6
CROOK	33	1	3	4	7	4.5	8.8	19.5	§ 12.9
CURRY	23	-	1	2	3	§ 1.0	§ 2.6	§ 8.3	§ 4.8
DESCHUTES	359	1	37	43	80	7.1	18.5	39.3	25.9
DOUGLAS	200	1	22	35	57	§ 4.0	§ 10.0	§ 23.5	§ 15.4
GILLIAM	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
GRANT	10	-	1	-	1	§ 2.0	§ 5.0	-	§ 3.1
HARNEY	9	-	1	-	1	2.3	5.7	-	§ 3.3
HOOD RIVER	43	-	3	4	7	§ 2.6	§ 7.0	§ 15.7	§ 10.2
JACKSON	270	1	34	34	68	§ 3.9	§ 9.8	§ 16.3	§ 12.2
JEFFERSON	53	1	5	7	12	5.7	14.7	34.0	22.0
JOSEPHINE	104	1	12	14	26	§ 3.5	§ 8.3	§ 16.5	§ 11.3
KLAMATH	149	1	20	18	38	6.1	15.5	§ 20.8	§ 17.6
LAKE	6	-	1	-	1	2.2	6.1	-	§ 3.4
LANE	1,256	6	98	185	283	6.3	15.7	34.0	24.2
LINCOLN	149	-	21	18	39	9.2	23.6	35.0	27.8
LINN	258	2	26	33	59	4.9	12.1	§ 25.1	§ 17.1
MALHEUR	38	1	4	3	7	§ 2.7	§ 5.4	§ 7.3	§ 6.1
MARION	930	8	89	131	220	6.6	16.1	40.1	25.0
MORROW	18	1	1	4	5	3.4	§ 4.6	32.3	14.6
MULTNOMAH	4,222	26	299	495	794	§ 10.2	§ 25.8	§ 71.1	§ 42.8
POLK	167	2	12	35	47	4.4	§ 9.5	46.9	23.4
SHERMAN	5	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
TILLAMOOK	61	2	5	4	9	5.5	10.1	§ 12.5	§ 11.0
UMATILLA	190	-	21	23	44	5.3	13.9	27.2	18.7
UNION	48	1	5	12	17	4.2	8.5	32.3	17.7
WALLOWA	6	-	-	1	1	-	-	§ 10.1	§ 3.6
WASCO	61	-	8	9	17	6.0	15.0	28.4	20.0
WASHINGTON	1,634	7	136	199	335	6.8	17.9	§ 45.5	28.0
WHEELER	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
YAMHILL	204	3	20	30	50	4.8	§ 10.8	28.6	§ 17.3

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

- Quantity is zero.

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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, 1996**

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>	5,676	52.4	382	67.3	3,651	643.2	521	92.5
BAKER	17	§ 30.0	1	58.8	12	705.9	-	-
BENTON	55	§ 15.2	2	36.4	35	636.4	2	36.4
CLACKAMAS	393	§ 35.0	21	53.4	260	661.6	40	102.3
CLATSOP	61	50.1	6	98.4	40	655.7	3	49.2
COLUMBIA	75	45.9	7	93.3	52	693.3	4	53.3
COOS	115	51.8	7	60.9	64	556.5	11	99.1
CROOK	46	§ 84.6	2	43.5	27	587.0	3	65.2
CURRY	32	51.0	3	93.8	16	500.0	5	156.3
DESCHUTES	191	61.8	14	73.3	136	712.0	10	§ 52.4
DOUGLAS	200	54.2	15	75.0	153	§ 765.0	12	60.0
GILLIAM	4	48.2	*	*	*	*	*	*
GRANT	13	40.6	-	-	10	769.2	-	-
HARNEY	16	53.3	1	62.5	11	687.5	1	62.5
HOOD RIVER	41	59.9	3	73.2	26	634.1	5	122.0
JACKSON	326	58.7	28	85.9	196	601.2	36	112.1
JEFFERSON	61	§ 111.9	9	147.5	34	557.4	11	183.3
JOSEPHINE	121	52.7	6	49.6	75	619.8	12	106.2
KLAMATH	152	§ 70.5	11	72.4	91	598.7	14	93.3
LAKE	12	40.8	1	83.3	6	500.0	1	83.3
LANE	503	43.0	39	77.5	310	616.3	48	95.8
LINCOLN	69	49.2	2	29.0	43	623.2	6	89.6
LINN	222	§ 64.2	12	54.1	134	603.6	16	72.4
MALHEUR	85	§ 74.2	4	47.1	44	517.6	12	144.6
MARION	667	§ 75.9	47	70.5	407	610.2	68	103.0
MORROW	22	64.3	2	90.9	5	§ 227.3	9	§ 409.1
MULTNOMAH	1,094	§ 58.9	87	79.5	739	675.5	97	88.9
POLK	88	43.8	5	56.8	62	704.5	3	§ 34.1
SHERMAN	3	48.4	*	*	*	*	*	*
TILLAMOOK	36	44.0	2	55.6	27	750.0	3	83.3
UMATILLA	166	§ 70.4	8	48.2	91	548.2	23	140.2
UNION	57	59.4	1	17.5	40	701.8	4	70.2
WALLOWA	8	§ 28.6	-	-	7	875.0	-	-
WASCO	44	51.8	4	90.9	34	772.7	2	45.5
WASHINGTON	514	§ 42.9	22	§ 42.8	362	§ 704.3	44	86.1
WHEELER	1	18.2	*	*	*	*	*	*
YAMHILL	166	57.3	10	60.2	97	584.3	16	97.0

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five. Care was unknown for 46 births.

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

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

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**TABLE 4-9.**  
**BIRTH OUTCOMES OF INFANTS BY AGE OF MOTHER,**  
**OREGON RESIDENTS, 1996**

BIRTH OUTCOMES	TOTAL BIRTHS	MOTHER'S AGE								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	N.S.
<b>TOTAL</b>	43,645	91	311	631	1,073	1,515	2,146	5,676	37,874	4
<b>BIRTHWEIGHT<sup>1</sup></b>										
1499 GR. OR LESS	402	1	4	9	13	26	24	76	325	-
<28 WEEKS	136	-	2	5	3	12	10	32	104	-
28-36 WEEKS	223	1	2	4	7	11	13	37	185	-
37-41 WEEKS	20	-	-	-	2	2	-	4	16	-
42+ WEEKS	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-
UNKNOWN	20	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	18	-
1500-2499 GRAMS	1,934	7	24	41	54	87	100	306	1,621	-
<28 WEEKS	13	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	10	-
28-36 WEEKS	910	4	7	20	28	35	44	134	772	-
37-41 WEEKS	856	2	8	17	24	38	42	129	725	-
42+ WEEKS	75	-	6	3	1	8	4	22	53	-
UNKNOWN	80	-	2	1	1	6	9	19	61	-
2500+ GRAMS	41,305	83	283	581	1,006	1,401	2,022	5,293	35,925	4
<28 WEEKS	23	-	1	-	2	1	-	4	19	-
28-36 WEEKS	1,659	7	11	39	50	77	83	260	1,392	-
37-41 WEEKS	31,529	45	191	399	706	967	1,440	3,703	27,777	4
42+ WEEKS	6,005	21	55	92	180	260	380	967	5,017	-
UNKNOWN	2,089	10	25	51	68	96	119	359	1,720	-
<b>5 MINUTE APGAR</b>										
0-3	147	1	1	2	4	10	6	23	123	-
4-6	534	4	6	13	16	30	38	103	427	-
7-10	42,771	86	303	614	1,051	1,467	2,093	5,528	37,153	4
NOT STATED	193	-	1	2	2	8	9	22	171	-
<b>TOBACCO USED</b>										
YES	7,723	24	90	193	313	425	577	1,598	6,100	1
NO	35,656	64	215	434	751	1,071	1,551	4,022	31,567	3
UNKNOWN	266	3	6	4	9	19	18	56	207	-
<b>ALCOHOL USED</b>										
YES	1,003	2	10	18	22	31	40	121	880	-
NO	41,871	84	291	601	1,034	1,446	2,064	5,436	36,347	4
UNKNOWN	771	5	10	12	17	38	42	119	647	-
<b>BIRTH ORDER</b>										
1ST	18,079	90	298	590	942	1,217	1,543	4,590	13,398	1
2ND	13,956	1	13	35	126	255	490	919	13,034	2
3RD	6,913	-	-	5	4	42	95	146	6,766	1
4TH	2,810	-	-	1	1	1	16	19	2,791	-
5+	1,864	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,864	-
UNKNOWN	23	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	21	-
<b>PRENATAL CARE</b>										
NO CARE	311	3	6	7	7	21	21	62	246	-
LITTLE OR LATE <sup>2</sup>	2,045	21	46	69	86	119	139	459	1,564	1
ADEQUATE <sup>3</sup>	41,083	67	258	551	977	1,364	1,958	5,108	35,905	3
UNKNOWN	206	-	1	4	3	11	28	47	159	-

- Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> The birthweight was unknown for four 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, 1996**

DEMOGRAPHICS OF MOTHER	TOTAL BIRTHS	MOTHER'S AGE								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	N.S.
<b>TOTAL</b>	43,645	91	311	631	1,073	1,515	2,146	5,676	37,874	4
<b>ETHNICITY/RACE</b>										
WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)	35,003	55	199	411	762	1,153	1,655	4,180	30,766	2
HISPANIC (ALL RACES)	5,455	24	79	155	203	247	339	1,023	4,407	1
AFRICAN AMERICAN	873	4	15	33	55	51	69	223	645	1
AMERICAN INDIAN	631	4	12	21	33	33	38	137	490	-
OTHER NONWHITE	1,648	4	5	11	20	31	45	112	1,532	-
UNKNOWN <sup>1</sup>	35	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	34	-
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>										
UNMARRIED	12,944	90	296	572	886	1,127	1,324	4,205	8,648	1
MARRIED	30,642	1	15	59	186	385	817	1,462	29,177	2
<b>EDUCATION</b>										
8TH GRADE OR LESS	2,688	74	103	94	124	139	167	627	1,987	-
9TH GRADE	1,716	12	146	184	140	127	117	714	989	1
10TH GRADE	2,182	1	51	231	284	200	204	970	1,211	-
11TH GRADE	2,653	-	3	69	289	344	331	1,036	1,617	-
12TH GRADE	14,788	-	-	38	209	628	1,093	1,968	12,819	1
SOME COLLEGE	10,076	-	-	-	6	46	191	243	9,831	2
COLLEGE	5,714	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,714	-
POST-BACCALAUREATE	3,023	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,023	-
UNKNOWN	805	4	8	15	21	31	43	118	683	-
<b>CHILDREN NOW ALIVE</b>										
ONE	14,096	1	13	35	124	253	493	918	13,175	2
TWO	6,881	-	-	4	4	38	91	137	6,743	1
THREE	2,757	-	-	1	1	1	14	17	2,740	-
FOUR+	1,712	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,712	-
UNKNOWN	8	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	7	-
<b>START OF PRENATAL CARE</b>										
1ST TRIMESTER	34,767	38	165	383	692	966	1,445	3,651	31,075	3
2ND TRIMESTER	7,042	33	105	186	307	446	563	1,607	5,401	1
3RD TRIMESTER	1,379	17	34	50	64	73	103	324	1,038	-
NO CARE	311	3	6	7	7	21	21	62	246	-
UNKNOWN	146	-	1	5	3	9	14	32	114	-
<b>PRENATAL CARE</b>										
INADEQUATE CARE <sup>2</sup>	2,356	24	52	76	93	140	160	521	1,810	1
ADEQUATE CARE	41,086	67	258	551	977	1,364	1,959	5,109	35,907	3
UNKNOWN	203	-	1	4	3	11	27	46	157	-
<b>SOURCE OF PAYMENT</b>										
PRIVATE INSURANCE	24,970	21	73	158	296	372	536	1,435	23,514	-
SELF-PAY	2,458	10	37	50	66	104	115	372	2,076	-
PUBLIC INSURANCE	14,980	57	192	400	676	985	1,413	3,666	11,257	-
OTHER COVERAGE	268	1	5	8	11	17	23	64	203	-
MULTIPLE MENTION	142	-	1	3	6	6	11	27	115	-
UNKNOWN	827	2	3	12	18	31	48	112	709	4

- 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, 1996**

DEMOGRAPHICS OF PATIENT	ABORTION PATIENT'S AGE									
	TOTAL <sup>1</sup>	< 15	15	16	17	18	19	15-19	20+	N.S.
<b>TOTAL</b>	12,296	75	180	391	522	713	868	2,674	9,525	22
<b>ETHNICITY/RACE</b>										
WHITE (NON-HISPANIC)	9,731	51	146	313	426	566	692	2,143	7,522	15
HISPANIC (ALL RACES)	925	7	5	25	35	48	62	175	741	2
AFRICAN AMERICAN	646	8	13	34	24	52	56	179	459	-
AMERICAN INDIAN	208	6	6	9	10	10	10	45	156	1
OTHER NONWHITE	626	3	10	5	19	31	39	104	517	2
UNKNOWN(2)	160	-	-	5	8	6	9	28	130	2
<b>MARITAL STATUS</b>										
MARRIED	2,269	-	1	2	7	20	45	75	2,191	3
SINGLE	7,604	74	174	385	500	680	790	2,529	4,985	16
<b>EDUCATION</b>										
GRADE SCHOOL	320	59	15	15	10	14	16	70	191	-
9TH GRADE	385	9	95	68	18	23	17	221	154	1
10TH GRADE	794	3	59	215	111	43	43	471	320	-
11TH GRADE	1,038	-	4	70	259	160	100	593	443	2
12TH GRADE	4,267	1	-	12	98	392	424	926	3,328	12
SOME COLLEGE	3,308	-	-	-	7	67	244	318	2,986	4
COLLEGE	1,210	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1,209	-
POSTBACCALAUREATE	465	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	463	2
UNKNOWN	509	3	7	11	19	14	23	74	431	1
<b>CHILDREN NOW ALIVE</b>										
NONE	5,921	73	175	355	453	552	620	2,155	3,678	15
ONE	3,025	1	4	30	65	136	200	435	2,586	3
TWO	2,229	-	-	6	3	23	40	72	2,154	3
THREE+	1,098	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	1,091	1
UNKNOWN	21	1	1	-	1	2	-	4	16	-
<b>PREVIOUS ABORTIONS</b>										
NONE	3,207	1	7	25	70	134	185	421	2,781	4
ONE	1,256	-	-	1	2	19	33	55	1,200	1
TWO	459	-	-	-	-	3	7	10	449	-
THREE+	326	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	325	-
NOT STATED	29	1	1	-	1	2	1	5	23	-
<b>GESTATION</b>										
EIGHT WEEKS OR LESS	7,277	27	81	197	262	361	466	1,367	5,869	14
9-12	3,638	31	66	136	175	249	286	912	2,687	8
13-16	747	5	19	35	40	68	64	226	516	-
17+	613	12	13	22	44	33	52	164	437	-
UNKNOWN	21	-	1	1	1	2	-	5	16	-
<b>CONTRACEPTIVE USED</b>										
NONE USED	7,336	53	123	239	343	452	534	1,691	5,575	17
PILLS USED	1,102	-	4	20	35	61	96	216	885	1
CONDOM USED	2,834	21	50	127	130	187	206	700	2,112	1
OTHER CONTRACEPTIVE	998	1	3	5	13	12	29	62	933	2
<b>MEDICAL PROCEDURE</b>										
SUCTION CURETTAGE	11,599	68	168	370	476	663	807	2,484	9,025	22
DILATION EVACUATION	623	6	12	20	44	48	57	181	436	-
OTHER SPECIFIED	69	1	-	1	1	2	4	8	60	-

- 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, 1996**

FATHER'S AGE	TOTAL BIRTHS	MOTHER'S AGE								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+	N.S.
<b>TOTAL</b>	43,645	91	311	631	1,073	1,515	2,146	11,268	26,606	4
<15	6	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
15	22	2	10	8	2	-	-	-	-	-
16	83	7	15	22	15	11	10	3	-	-
17	262	8	29	49	76	43	35	20	2	-
18	530	2	31	71	111	131	87	88	9	-
19	829	3	26	70	144	211	178	178	19	-
20	1,064	6	13	45	111	171	257	427	34	-
21	1,215	1	12	20	70	125	237	678	72	-
22	1,460	1	10	25	53	113	216	905	137	-
23	1,687	1	9	20	48	86	169	1,080	274	-
24	1,922	3	5	11	22	69	125	1,218	469	-
25+	29,633	2	9	35	89	188	386	5,053	23,871	-
N.S.	4,932	54	139	254	331	367	446	1,618	1,719	4

- Quantity is zero.

**TABLE 4-13.**  
**AGE OF FATHER BY AGE OF MOTHER, OREGON RESIDENTS, 1992-1996**

FATHER'S AGE	TOTAL BIRTHS	MOTHER'S AGE								
		< 15	15	16	17	18	19	20-24	25+	N.S.
<b>TOTAL</b>	211,699	481	1,404	2,995	5,128	7,402	9,621	55,885	128,747	36
<15	13	1	4	2	1	1	1	2	1	-
15	83	7	24	30	9	4	7	-	2	-
16	315	23	50	85	61	54	27	15	-	-
17	991	24	86	183	261	197	126	99	15	-
18	2,139	23	105	281	473	532	337	353	35	-
19	3,316	19	98	236	535	762	766	821	79	-
20	4,427	20	65	201	489	744	987	1,740	180	1
21	5,556	8	49	121	334	649	995	3,090	310	-
22	6,794	8	31	99	235	495	931	4,312	683	-
23	7,859	3	20	70	203	424	685	5,246	1,208	-
24	8,732	7	17	45	113	286	474	5,632	2,158	-
25+	140,220	6	36	136	361	759	1,493	23,926	113,499	4
N.S.	31,254	332	819	1,506	2,053	2,495	2,792	10,649	10,577	31

- Quantity is zero.