### TABLE 2-23. Selected Medical or Health Characteristics by Mother’s Race (Percents), Oregon Resident Births, 2000

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| Mothers Born Inside the US⁵ | | | | | |
| Total Births | 36,659 | 32,507 | 856 | 664 | 363 | 2,105 | 1,821 | 50 | 234 |
| 1st Trimester Care | 83.7 | 84.9 | 76.2 | 67.4 | 79.6 | 74.2 | 73.6 | 82.0 | 77.2 |
| Inadequate Care² | 5.6 | 4.3 | 8.0 | 13.9 | 5.6 | 10.2 | 10.5 | 8.4 | 6.5 |
| Multiple Births | 2.9 | 3.1 | 4.7 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 | – | 4.3 |
| Primary Cesarean | 15.6 | 13.3 | 16.6 | 12.8 | 93.4 | 38.6 | 39.9 | 74.0 | 20.5 |
| Tobacco Use | 13.5 | 15.8 | 20.4 | 28.5 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 2.9 | 9.9 |
| Alcohol Use | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 5.8 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 2.2 |

| Infants of Mothers Born Inside the US⁵ | | | | | |
| Preterm Births³ | 6.4 | 6.2 | 10.6 | 9.3 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.3 | 6.6 | 12.2 |
| Very Low Birthweight⁴ | 1.0 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.4 |
| Low Birthweight⁵ | 5.7 | 5.4 | 11.1 | 6.1 | 7.4 | 5.8 | 5.6 | 5.8 | 10.5 |
| 4,000+ Grams | 12.8 | 13.9 | 6.2 | 11.6 | 6.8 | 10.5 | 10.6 | 6.8 | 12.0 |
| 5 Minute Apgar <7 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 1.1 |

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² Number of events equals zero
See footnotes at end of table.
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<sup>1</sup> Includes Chinese, Japanese, Filipino, and Other Asian & Pacific Islander.
<sup>2</sup> Less than 5 prenatal visits or care began in the third trimester.
<sup>3</sup> Born prior to 37 completed weeks of gestation.
<sup>4</sup> Birthweight of less than 1,500 grams (3 lb 4 oz).
<sup>5</sup> Birthweight of less than 2,500 grams (5 lb 8 oz).

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