

**TABLE 2-25. Selected medical or health characteristics by mother's race (percents), Oregon resident births, 2017**

Characteristic	Total births	Non-Hispanic single mention race							Hispanic <sup>2</sup>
		White	African American	American Indian	Asian	Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	Other/unk.	Mult. races	
<b>All births - mother</b>									
Total births .....	43,630	29,322	996	433	2,379	306	201	1,730	8,263
First trimester care .....	79.9	82.7	70.5	65.8	81.6	42.4	63.9	75.1	74.2
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	6.1	5.0	11.3	12.9	5.2	31.7	16.6	8.4	7.8
No prenatal care .....	0.8	0.7	2.1	1.6	0.3	3.3	5.7	0.9	0.8
Out-of-hospital birth ....	3.6	4.6	1.5	2.1	1.1	1.0	10.4	3.1	1.2
Primary cesarean .....	17.2	17.5	17.8	19.9	20.1	16.3	23.9	17.4	14.9
Repeat cesarean .....	10.9	10.2	15.1	12.2	10.9	19.6	9.0	11.3	12.4
Multiple births .....	3.6	3.8	4.3	3.5	3.7	4.6	5.0	3.3	2.8
Tobacco use .....	9.0	10.8	7.2	18.6	1.1	6.2	7.8	15.4	3.2
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	51.1	49.0	56.4	66.8	28.2	71.4	45.0	53.0	62.9
<b>All births - infant</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	8.3	7.9	9.8	15.0	7.5	12.5	12.0	9.7	9.1
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.0	0.9	1.8	0.9	0.8	1.0	2.5	1.7	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.8	6.4	8.9	9.7	8.6	6.9	11.4	7.8	7.0
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	9.8	10.9	7.4	10.6	4.5	10.1	6.5	8.7	7.9
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.6	2.7	4.2	3.7	2.0	2.6	4.1	3.7	2.2
<b>Mothers born in the U.S.</b>									
Total births .....	35,352	27,564	566	429	454	143	150	1,625	4,421
First trimester care .....	81.3	83.1	73.9	65.7	82.2	58.7	61.8	75.2	75.7
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	5.6	4.9	10.4	12.6	5.1	18.9	17.4	8.3	6.9
No prenatal care .....	0.9	0.7	3.0	1.7	0.7	-	7.6	1.0	1.0
Out-of-hospital birth ....	4.1	4.6	2.1	2.1	2.0	0.7	13.3	3.0	1.7
Primary cesarean .....	17.4	17.6	17.1	20.0	19.2	12.6	20.0	17.5	16.0
Repeat cesarean .....	10.5	10.3	15.9	12.1	7.0	16.8	7.3	11.6	10.5
Multiple births .....	3.8	3.8	6.0	3.5	4.8	8.4	4.7	3.4	3.4
Tobacco use .....	10.9	11.4	12.2	18.3	3.5	9.8	9.1	16.2	5.6
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	51.8	49.7	59.9	67.0	39.5	72.1	47.5	53.8	62.5
<b>Infants of mothers born in the U.S.</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	8.5	8.0	11.8	15.2	9.9	13.3	12.1	9.7	9.8
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.0	0.9	2.5	0.9	0.9	1.4	2.0	1.8	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.9	6.5	11.1	9.6	10.4	9.1	10.7	7.5	7.5
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	10.2	10.9	4.8	10.3	2.6	9.1	8.0	8.9	7.7
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.8	2.7	3.9	3.7	2.9	4.2	4.1	3.9	2.3

- Quantity is zero.  
See footnotes at end of table.

**TABLE 2-25. Selected medical or health characteristics by mother's race (percents), Oregon resident births, 2017 (continued)**

Characteristic	Total births	Non-Hispanic single mention race							Hispanic <sup>2</sup>
		White	African American	American Indian	Asian	Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	Other/unk.	Mult. races	
<b>Mothers born outside the U.S.</b>									
Total Births .....	8,278	1,758	430	4	1,925	163	51	105	3,842
First trimester care .....	74.1	76.0	66.0	75.0	81.5	28.0	70.0	73.3	72.4
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	8.3	6.5	12.5	50.0	5.2	43.1	14.3	9.5	8.7
No prenatal care .....	0.6	0.6	0.9	–	0.3	6.2	–	–	0.6
Out-of-hospital birth ....	1.5	4.2	0.7	–	0.8	1.2	2.0	3.8	0.6
Primary cesarean .....	16.1	15.0	18.6	–	20.4	19.6	35.3	16.2	13.7
Repeat cesarean .....	12.8	8.9	14.0	25.0	11.8	22.1	13.7	7.6	14.7
Multiple births .....	2.7	3.7	2.1	–	3.5	1.2	5.9	1.9	2.1
Tobacco use .....	0.8	1.6	0.7	50.0	0.5	3.1	4.0	1.9	0.4
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	48.2	38.2	51.7	50.0	25.5	70.8	37.5	39.8	63.3
<b>Infants of mothers born outside the U.S.</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	7.6	6.1	7.2	–	6.9	11.7	11.8	9.5	8.3
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.1	0.9	0.9	–	0.8	0.6	3.9	1.0	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.6	5.3	6.0	25.0	8.2	4.9	13.7	12.4	6.4
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	8.3	11.7	10.9	50.0	4.9	11.0	2.0	4.8	8.2
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.1	2.0	4.7	–	1.8	1.2	4.0	1.0	2.0

- Quantity is zero.
- <sup>2</sup> Hispanic includes any mention of race.
- <sup>3</sup> Less than five prenatal visits or care began in the third trimester.
- <sup>4</sup> Body Mass Index of greater than 25.0 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.
- <sup>5</sup> Born prior to 37 completed weeks of gestation.
- <sup>6</sup> Birthweight of less than 1,500 grams (3 lb 4 oz).
- <sup>7</sup> Birthweight of less than 2,500 grams (5 lb 8 oz).
- <sup>8</sup> Birthweight of more than 4,000 grams (8 lb 13 oz).

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

**TABLE 2-25. Selected medical or health characteristics by mother's race (percents)  
Oregon resident births, 2017 (continued)**

Characteristic	Total births	Any mention race and ethnicity <sup>1</sup>							Hispanic <sup>2</sup>
		White	African American	American Indian	Asian	Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	Other	Unk.	
<b>All births - mother</b>									
Total births .....	43,630	37,207	1,656	1,432	3,002	510	1,611	501	8,263
First trimester care .....	79.9	81.0	72.3	70.2	80.8	54.7	74.0	69.9	74.2
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	6.1	5.6	10.5	10.4	5.4	22.8	7.3	10.4	7.8
No prenatal care .....	0.8	0.8	1.8	1.3	0.4	2.2	0.5	2.3	0.8
Out-of-hospital birth ....	3.6	3.9	1.9	2.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	4.4	1.2
Primary cesarean .....	17.2	17.0	17.6	18.4	19.9	15.7	17.3	15.8	14.9
Repeat cesarean .....	10.9	10.6	13.4	11.7	10.7	18.4	13.6	10.4	12.4
Multiple births .....	3.6	3.5	4.4	3.4	3.6	4.1	3.2	2.8	2.8
Tobacco use .....	9.0	9.8	10.5	19.2	2.1	9.2	2.3	2.7	3.2
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	51.1	51.5	57.3	61.4	31.0	64.4	60.0	62.2	62.9
<b>All births - infant</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	8.3	8.2	10.0	11.8	7.7	13.0	9.2	8.4	9.1
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.0	1.0	2.4	1.4	0.8	1.0	1.7	0.2	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.8	6.6	9.5	8.7	8.2	8.6	6.8	5.0	7.0
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	9.8	10.4	7.1	9.6	5.0	9.2	7.6	7.4	7.9
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.6	2.6	4.4	3.8	2.1	2.9	2.3	1.8	2.2
<b>Mothers born in the U.S.</b>									
Total births .....	35,352	32,603	1,191	1,392	981	326	706	267	4,421
First trimester care .....	81.3	82.0	74.4	70.4	80.2	67.3	76.0	66.7	75.7
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	5.6	5.3	9.6	10.2	5.6	12.8	6.3	12.4	6.9
No prenatal care .....	0.9	0.8	2.1	1.3	0.6	0.3	1.0	4.3	1.0
Out-of-hospital birth ....	4.1	4.2	2.3	2.6	2.8	1.5	1.7	7.5	1.7
Primary cesarean .....	17.4	17.4	17.4	18.0	19.3	14.1	17.8	15.0	16.0
Repeat cesarean .....	10.5	10.4	13.4	11.5	8.7	16.3	11.3	7.9	10.5
Multiple births .....	3.8	3.7	5.2	3.2	4.2	5.8	4.2	3.0	3.4
Tobacco use .....	10.9	11.0	14.1	19.4	5.3	12.9	4.3	4.7	5.6
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	51.8	51.3	59.8	61.5	41.3	61.8	59.6	57.0	62.5
<b>Infants of mothers born in the U.S.</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	8.5	8.3	10.9	11.9	9.0	13.8	9.9	9.4	9.8
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.0	1.0	2.9	1.4	0.8	1.2	2.3	0.4	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.9	6.6	10.7	8.5	8.1	10.1	7.9	5.6	7.5
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	10.2	10.5	6.0	9.6	5.0	8.9	7.4	6.4	7.7
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.8	2.7	4.4	3.8	3.0	4.0	3.1	1.9	2.3

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<b>Mothers born outside the U.S.</b>									
Total Births .....	8,278	4,604	465	40	2,021	184	905	234	3,842
First trimester care .....	74.1	73.7	67.0	62.5	81.0	32.4	72.5	73.7	72.4
Inadequate care <sup>3</sup> .....	8.3	8.0	12.8	15.8	5.3	40.3	8.0	8.0	8.7
No prenatal care .....	0.6	0.7	0.9	–	0.2	5.5	0.1	–	0.6
Out-of-hospital birth ....	1.5	2.0	1.1	–	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.6
Primary cesarean .....	16.1	13.7	18.1	30.0	20.2	18.5	16.9	16.7	13.7
Repeat cesarean .....	12.8	12.2	13.3	17.5	11.7	22.3	15.4	13.2	14.7
Multiple births .....	2.7	2.6	2.4	10.0	3.3	1.1	2.4	2.6	2.1
Tobacco use .....	0.8	0.8	1.1	10.0	0.5	2.7	0.8	0.4	0.4
Overweight/obese <sup>4</sup> .....	48.2	53.3	50.6	56.4	26.0	69.4	60.3	68.0	63.3
<b>Infants of mothers born outside the U.S.</b>									
Preterm births <sup>5</sup> .....	7.6	7.6	7.5	7.5	7.0	11.5	8.7	7.3	8.3
Very low birthweight <sup>6</sup> ..	1.1	1.3	1.1	2.5	0.8	0.5	1.2	–	1.3
Low birthweight <sup>7</sup> .....	6.6	6.3	6.5	15.0	8.3	6.0	6.0	4.3	6.4
Fetal macrosomia <sup>8</sup> .....	8.3	9.5	10.1	12.5	5.0	9.8	7.8	8.5	8.2
5 minute Apgar < 7 .....	2.1	2.1	4.5	2.5	1.7	1.1	1.7	1.7	2.0

– Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Includes any race (one or more) and ethnicity mention.

<sup>2</sup> Hispanic includes any mention of race.

<sup>3</sup> Less than five prenatal visits or care began in the third trimester.

<sup>4</sup> Body Mass Index of greater than 25.0 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.

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