

**TABLE 2-39. Maternal characteristics by planned place of birth, Oregon occurrence, 2017**

Selected maternal characteristics	Total births <sup>1</sup>	Planned hospital birth			Planned out-of-hospital birth		
		Clinical estimate of gestation					
		<37	37-40	41+	<37	37-40	41+
<b>Total births</b> .....	44,160	3,635	34,106	4,540	28	1,256	471
<b>Mother's age</b>							
<20 .....	1,839	169	1,438	209	–	14	3
20-24 .....	7,900	681	6,207	816	6	124	49
25-29 .....	12,662	949	9,771	1,416	9	343	137
30-34 .....	13,061	1,021	9,912	1,470	7	450	163
35-39 .....	7,163	631	5,531	590	6	281	100
40+ .....	1,535	184	1,247	39	–	44	19
<b>Single mention race<sup>2</sup></b>							
White .....	29,760	2,322	22,606	3,266	21	1,046	418
African American .....	1,013	98	772	114	1	16	7
American Indian .....	440	68	336	25	–	5	4
Asian/Hawaiian/Pacific Islander .....	2,708	221	2,201	248	–	28	5
Other/multiple races .....	1,963	197	1,489	186	2	62	16
Hispanic .....	8,276	729	6,702	701	4	99	21
<b>Marital status</b>							
Married .....	28,181	2,020	21,694	3,007	22	999	377
Unmarried .....	15,975	1,614	12,409	1,533	6	257	94
<b>Mother's education</b>							
8th grade or less .....	1,245	130	984	112	1	10	3
Some high school .....	4,264	416	3,445	329	3	44	10
High school graduate/GED .....	9,962	862	7,870	937	5	180	72
Some college .....	10,553	980	8,129	1,023	8	289	100
Associate degree .....	3,617	273	2,815	361	3	116	41
Bachelor's degree .....	8,947	578	6,671	1,109	4	407	156
Postbaccalaureate .....	5,359	365	4,051	650	4	198	83
<b>Source of payment<sup>3</sup></b>							
Medicaid/Oregon Health Plan .....	19,828	1,854	15,646	1,889	8	274	98
Private insurance .....	22,789	1,695	17,700	2,538	11	577	224
Self-pay .....	896	29	283	45	8	379	139
Other coverage .....	546	51	415	58	–	15	4
<b>Birth order</b>							
1st .....	17,151	1,309	12,510	2,677	14	417	198
2nd .....	14,381	1,038	11,640	1,095	7	415	141
3rd .....	7,239	655	5,818	446	3	220	74
4th + .....	5,389	633	4,138	322	4	204	58
<b>Pre-pregnancy body mass index</b>							
Underweight (< 18.5) .....	1,326	135	1,041	95	–	34	16
Normal (18.5 - 24.9) .....	20,055	1,484	15,183	2,243	13	789	290
Overweight (25.0 - 29.9) .....	10,938	837	8,509	1,187	9	270	88
Obese (> 30.0) .....	11,414	1,108	9,084	982	5	147	70
<b>Maternal tobacco use</b>							
Tobacco use .....	3,965	463	3,142	300	–	26	6
No tobacco use .....	40,034	3,155	30,847	4,221	28	1,228	462
<b>Initiation of care</b>							
1st trimester .....	35,047	2,859	27,452	3,494	15	846	323
2nd trimester .....	6,696	516	4,946	781	8	307	117
3rd trimester .....	1,731	130	1,305	217	1	56	12
No care .....	361	80	185	26	3	28	9
<b>Prenatal care<sup>4</sup></b>							
Adequate .....	40,978	3,141	31,941	4,236	20	1,141	430
Inadequate .....	2,688	420	1,828	264	7	94	28

– Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Total includes 104 births that occurred en route, were unplanned home deliveries, or other out-of-hospital births not otherwise classified.

Total also includes 21 births with unknown gestation.

<sup>2</sup> Non-Hispanic single mention race. The Hispanic category may include any mention of race.

<sup>3</sup> Expected principal method of payment for delivery. Actual method of payment may differ.

<sup>4</sup> Adequate care: Care that began in the first or second trimester and included at least five visits.

Inadequate care: No care, or care that began in the third trimester or fewer than five visits.