

**Medical and health characteristics of birth by race/ethnicity, Oregon residents,  
2010-2012**

**Coos County**

| Selected medical<br>or health<br>characteristics                 | Total | Non-Hispanic single mention race |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  | Hispanic |
|--|-------|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------|-------|------------------------|---------------|------------------|----------|
|  |       | White                            | Black | AI/<br>AN <sup>1</sup> | Asian | NH/<br>PI <sup>2</sup> | Other/<br>unk | Multiple<br>race |          |
| <b>Total Births</b> .....  | 1,874 | 1,515                            | 6     | 51                     | 35    | 2                      | –             | 109              | 153      |
| <b>Birthweight less than 1500 grams by gestation in weeks</b>    |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| < 28 weeks .....   | 5     | 5                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| 28-36 weeks .....  | 8     | 6                                | –     | 1                      | 1     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| 37-40 weeks .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| 41+ weeks .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| Unknown .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| <b>Birthweight between 1500-2499 grams by gestation in weeks</b> |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| < 28 weeks .....   | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| 28-36 weeks .....  | 66    | 46                               | 1     | 1                      | 3     | –                      | –             | 8                | 7        |
| 37-40 weeks .....  | 38    | 33                               | –     | –                      | 2     | 1                      | –             | 1                | 1        |
| 41+ weeks .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| Unknown .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| <b>Birthweight greater than 2500 grams by gestation in weeks</b> |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| < 28 weeks .....   | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| 28-36 weeks .....  | 58    | 44                               | 1     | –                      | 2     | –                      | –             | 7                | 4        |
| 37-40 weeks .....  | 1,564 | 1,266                            | 4     | 48                     | 24    | 1                      | –             | 83               | 135      |
| 41+ weeks .....  | 135   | 115                              | –     | 1                      | 3     | –                      | –             | 10               | 6        |
| Unknown .....  | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| <b>All births</b>  |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| <b>Tobacco use</b>   |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| Didn't smoke .....   | 1,352 | 1,083                            | 5     | 27                     | 35    | 2                      | –             | 70               | 128      |
| Prior to pregnancy <sup>3</sup>                                  | 78    | 60                               | –     | 3                      | –     | –                      | –             | 7                | 8        |
| During pregnancy ..  | 443   | 371                              | 1     | 21                     | –     | –                      | –             | 32               | 17       |
| Unknown .....  | 1     | 1                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| <b>Method of delivery</b>  |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| Vaginal .....  | 1,312 | 1,055                            | 6     | 32                     | 22    | 1                      | –             | 86               | 107      |
| VBAC <sup>4</sup> .....  | 19    | 15                               | –     | –                      | 1     | –                      | –             | 1                | 2        |
| Primary cesarean ..  | 336   | 277                              | –     | 10                     | 10    | –                      | –             | 16               | 23       |
| Repeat cesarean ...  | 207   | 168                              | –     | 9                      | 2     | 1                      | –             | 6                | 21       |
| <b>Place of birth</b>  |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| In hospital .....  | 1,846 | 1,488                            | 6     | 51                     | 35    | 2                      | –             | 109              | 152      |
| Out-of-hospital .....  | 28    | 27                               | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | 1        |
| <b>Source of Payment</b>   |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| Medicaid/OHP <sup>5</sup> .....                                  | 1,062 | 829                              | 5     | 34                     | 10    | 1                      | –             | 76               | 107      |
| Private insurance ...  | 667   | 568                              | 1     | 12                     | 22    | 1                      | –             | 26               | 34       |
| Self-pay .....   | 37    | 28                               | –     | 1                      | 2     | –                      | –             | 1                | 5        |
| Other coverage .....   | 108   | 90                               | –     | 4                      | 1     | –                      | –             | 6                | 7        |
| Unknown mention ..   | –     | –                                | –     | –                      | –     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |
| <b>Breast fed</b>  |       |                                  |       |                        |       |                        |               |                  |          |
| Yes .....  | 1,639 | 1,310                            | 6     | 49                     | 32    | 2                      | –             | 98               | 140      |
| No .....   | 221   | 192                              | –     | 2                      | 2     | –                      | –             | 11               | 13       |
| Unknown .....  | 14    | 13                               | –     | –                      | 1     | –                      | –             | –                | –        |

– Quantity is zero.  
<sup>1</sup> Includes American Indian and Alaskan Native.  
<sup>2</sup> Includes Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander.  
<sup>3</sup> Smoking only during the three months prior to pregnancy.  
<sup>4</sup> Vaginal birth after a previous cesarean section.  
<sup>5</sup> Oregon Health Plan.