

**Medical and health characteristics of birth by race/ethnicity, Oregon residents,  
2012-2014**

**Benton County**

Selected medical or health characteristics	Total	Non-Hispanic single mention race							Hispanic
		White	Black	AI/ AN <sup>1</sup>	Asian	NH/ PI <sup>2</sup>	Other/ unk	Multiple race	
<b>Total births</b> .....	2,148	1,596	11	11	156	7	5	81	274
<b>Birthweight less than 1500 grams by gestation in weeks</b>									
< 28 weeks .....	14	10	–	2	–	–	–	–	1
28-36 weeks .....	13	11	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
37-40 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
41+ weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Birthweight between 1500-2499 grams by gestation in weeks</b>									
< 28 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks .....	50	35	–	–	2	–	–	2	11
37-40 weeks .....	43	31	–	–	2	–	–	4	6
41+ weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Birthweight greater than 2500 grams by gestation in weeks</b>									
< 28 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks .....	60	41	1	–	8	–	–	2	8
37-40 weeks .....	1,611	1,189	10	8	122	5	5	56	212
41+ weeks .....	357	279	–	1	22	2	–	17	34
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>All births</b>									
<b>Tobacco use</b>									
Didn't smoke .....	1,947	1,430	11	10	156	5	5	67	257
Prior to pregnancy <sup>3</sup> ..	41	31	–	–	–	–	–	4	6
During pregnancy ....	156	134	–	1	–	2	–	10	9
Unknown .....	4	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	2
<b>Method of delivery</b>									
Vaginal .....	1,628	1,203	9	7	125	4	5	60	209
VBAC <sup>4</sup> .....	59	45	–	1	1	1	–	2	9
Primary cesarean ....	301	233	1	1	17	2	–	14	32
Repeat cesarean ....	160	115	1	2	13	–	–	5	24
<b>Place of birth</b>									
In hospital .....	2,011	1,470	10	11	155	7	5	78	270
Out-of-hospital .....	137	126	1	–	1	–	–	3	4
<b>Source of Payment</b>									
Medicaid/OHP <sup>5</sup> .....	809	492	7	6	52	6	3	35	207
Private insurance .....	1,258	1,032	3	5	101	1	2	44	64
Self-pay .....	57	53	1	–	2	–	–	1	–
Other coverage .....	22	17	–	–	1	–	–	1	3
Unknown mention ....	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Breast fed</b>									
Yes .....	2,035	1,508	11	9	152	7	5	78	260
No .....	96	76	–	1	3	–	–	3	13
Unknown .....	17	12	–	1	1	–	–	–	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.