

**Medical and health characteristics of birth by race/ethnicity, Oregon residents,
2015-2017**

Malheur County

Selected medical or health characteristics	Total	Non-Hispanic single mention race							Hispanic
		White	Black	AI/ AN ¹	Asian	NH/ PI ²	Other/ unk	Multiple race	
Total births	1,284	651	23	9	6	1	4	15	575
Birthweight less than 1500 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
28-36 weeks	9	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
37-40 weeks	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
41+ weeks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unknown	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Birthweight between 1500-2499 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28-36 weeks	62	27	—	1	3	—	1	1	29
37-40 weeks	23	8	3	1	—	—	—	—	11
41+ weeks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Unknown	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Birthweight greater than 2500 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28-36 weeks	60	32	1	1	1	—	—	—	25
37-40 weeks	1,024	521	19	5	2	1	2	12	462
41+ weeks	97	55	—	1	—	—	1	2	38
Unknown	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
All births									
Tobacco use									
Didn't smoke	1,095	503	20	7	6	—	3	12	544
Prior to pregnancy ³ ..	18	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
During pregnancy	168	131	2	2	—	1	—	3	29
Unknown	3	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
Method of delivery									
Vaginal	863	460	13	4	3	1	3	7	372
VBAC ⁴	26	17	2	—	—	—	—	2	5
Primary cesarean	163	77	4	1	3	—	1	1	76
Repeat cesarean	232	97	4	4	—	—	—	5	122
Place of birth									
In hospital	1,257	628	23	9	6	1	4	13	573
Out-of-hospital	27	23	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Source of Payment									
Medicaid/OHP ⁵	864	356	22	4	3	1	3	11	464
Private insurance	363	252	1	4	3	—	1	2	100
Self-pay	39	30	—	1	—	—	—	2	6
Other coverage	17	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Unknown mention	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Breast fed									
Yes	1,150	585	21	8	5	—	4	13	514
No	119	56	2	1	1	1	—	2	56
Unknown	15	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	5

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