

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

Polk 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	2,692	1,932	15	50	54	10	11	89	531
Birthweight less than 1500 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	26	22	1	–	–	–	–	–	3
28-36 weeks	11	6	–	2	–	1	1	–	1
37-40 weeks	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
41+ weeks	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Birthweight between 1500-2499 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks	79	55	–	3	3	1	–	3	14
37-40 weeks	39	27	1	1	–	1	1	–	8
41+ weeks	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Birthweight greater than 2500 grams by gestation in weeks									
< 28 weeks	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks	98	68	–	4	1	–	–	5	20
37-40 weeks	2,114	1,514	9	37	44	6	6	72	426
41+ weeks	324	239	4	3	6	1	3	9	59
Unknown	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
All births									
Tobacco use									
Didn't smoke	2,338	1,660	15	32	52	10	11	63	495
Prior to pregnancy ³ ..	75	60	–	1	2	–	–	3	9
During pregnancy	278	211	–	17	–	–	–	23	27
Unknown	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Method of delivery									
Vaginal	1,955	1,409	13	34	42	6	6	65	380
VBAC ⁴	51	34	–	1	–	–	1	5	10
Primary cesarean	379	279	1	8	9	3	1	11	67
Repeat cesarean	307	210	1	7	3	1	3	8	74
Place of birth									
In hospital	2,593	1,842	12	49	54	10	11	87	528
Out-of-hospital	99	90	3	1	–	–	–	2	3
Source of Payment									
Medicaid/OHP ⁵	1,163	718	7	28	17	6	6	44	337
Private insurance	1,424	1,143	6	11	36	4	5	38	181
Self-pay	40	33	2	–	–	–	–	–	5
Other coverage	63	36	–	11	1	–	–	7	8
Unknown mention	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Breast fed									
Yes	2,417	1,748	13	40	48	9	10	76	473
No	215	139	2	7	4	–	–	10	53
Unknown	60	45	–	3	2	1	1	3	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.