

**Medical and health characteristics of birth by age, Oregon residents,  
2014-2016**

**Polk County**

Selected medical or health characteristics	Total	Mother's age				
		10-14	15-17	18-19	20+	N.S.
<b>Total births</b> .....	2,686	–	36	101	2,549	–
<b>Birthweight less than 1500 grams by gestation in weeks</b>						
< 28 weeks .....	25	–	1	–	24	–
28-36 weeks .....	11	–	–	–	11	–
37-40 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
41+ weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Birthweight between 1500-2499 grams by gestation in weeks</b>						
< 28 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks .....	82	–	–	5	77	–
37-40 weeks .....	36	–	1	3	32	–
41+ weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Birthweight greater than 2500 grams by gestation in weeks</b>						
< 28 weeks .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
28-36 weeks .....	82	–	1	2	79	–
37-40 weeks .....	2,129	–	30	77	2,022	–
41+ weeks .....	321	–	3	14	304	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>All births</b>						
<b>Tobacco use</b>						
Yes .....	400	–	6	21	373	–
No .....	2,285	–	30	80	2,175	–
Unknown .....	1	–	–	–	1	–
<b>Method of delivery</b>						
Vaginal .....	1,948	–	29	87	1,832	–
VBAC <sup>1</sup> .....	51	–	–	–	51	–
Primary Cesarean .....	354	–	7	12	335	–
Repeat Cesarean .....	333	–	–	2	331	–
Unknown .....	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Induction of labor</b>						
Yes .....	778	–	10	29	739	–
No .....	1,908	–	26	72	1,810	–
<b>Epidural or spinal anesthesia</b>						
Yes .....	1,445	–	25	73	1,347	–
No .....	1,241	–	11	28	1,202	–
<b>Place of birth</b>						
In hospital .....	2,593	–	36	101	2,456	–
Out-of-hospital .....	93	–	–	–	93	–
<b>Body Mass Index in kg/m<sup>2</sup></b>						
Underweight (< 18.5) .....	75	–	6	8	61	–
Normal (18.5 - 24.9) .....	1,118	–	20	44	1,054	–
Overweight (25.0 - 29.9) .....	670	–	8	23	639	–
Obese (> 30.0) .....	767	–	2	23	742	–
Unknown .....	56	–	–	3	53	–

– Quantity is zero.  
N.S. = Not stated.  
NOTE: Birthweight counts may not sum to total due to missing birthweights.

<sup>1</sup> Vaginal birth after a previous cesarean section.