

TABLE 4-3. Births to 15- to 19-year-old Teens by Race/Ethnicity, Adequacy of Prenatal Care, and Birthweight, Oregon Residents, 2000

Race/Ethnicity and Age of Mother		Total Births	Adequacy of Prenatal Care ¹					
			Inadequate		Adequate		Not Stated	
			<2500 Grams	2500+ Grams	<2500 Grams	2500+ Grams	<2500 Grams	2500+ Grams
Total Births								
	15-19	5,090	61	435	295	4,277	4	18
	15-17	1,656	23	165	92	1,368	3	5
	18-19	3,434	38	270	203	2,909	1	13
Non-Hispanic								
Total								
	15-19	3,864	41	299	234	3,272	2	16
	15-17	1,176	15	115	71	969	2	4
	18-19	2,688	26	184	163	2,303	—	12
White		3,417	31	254	198	2,918	2	14
	15-17	1,029	11	94	62	857	2	3
	18-19	2,388	20	160	136	2,061	—	11
African American		194	4	12	24	153	—	1
	15-17	67	3	6	5	53	—	—
	18-19	127	1	6	19	100	—	1
American Indian		127	5	20	2	100	—	—
	15-17	42	1	8	1	32	—	—
	18-19	85	4	12	1	68	—	—
Asian ²		120	1	13	10	95	—	1
	15-17	37	—	7	3	26	—	1
	18-19	83	1	6	7	69	—	—
Hispanic								
Total								
	15-19	1,208	20	134	58	992	2	2
	15-17	475	8	49	20	396	1	1
	18-19	733	12	85	38	596	1	1
Mexican		1,124	17	128	50	926	1	2
	15-17	439	7	45	18	368	—	1
	18-19	685	10	83	32	558	1	1
Central or South American		30	1	2	1	26	—	—
	15-17	8	—	1	—	7	—	—
	18-19	22	1	1	1	19	—	—
Other Hispanic		54	2	4	7	40	1	—
	15-17	28	1	3	2	21	1	—
	18-19	26	1	1	5	19	—	—

¹ Inadequate care began in the third trimester or number of visits is less than five.

² Includes Chinese, Japanese, Filipino, and Other Asian & Pacific Islander.

— Quantity is zero