

Table 2-39: Maternal characteristics by planned place of birth, Oregon occurrence, 2013

Selected maternal characteristics	Total births ¹	Planned hospital birth			Planned out-of-hospital birth		
		Clinical estimate of gestation					
		<37	37-40	41+	<37	37-40	41+
Total births	45,591	3,441	35,230	4,915	17	1,417	439
Mother's age							
<20	2,627	202	2,096	302	1	17	3
20-24	9,613	668	7,666	1,040	2	163	51
25-29	13,100	947	10,092	1,476	3	423	124
30-34	12,775	925	9,678	1,473	6	484	172
35-39	6,088	542	4,612	546	5	281	76
40+	1,386	157	1,086	78	–	49	13
Single mentioned race							
White	31,496	2,299	23,922	3,552	14	1,227	391
African American	931	100	691	125	–	9	2
American Indian	561	63	444	38	–	10	5
Asian/Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2,437	188	1,961	241	–	36	5
Other/multiple races	1,698	144	1,292	162	1	61	26
Hispanic	8,468	647	6,920	797	2	74	10
Marital status							
Married	29,364	2,067	22,442	3,231	12	1,176	364
Unmarried	16,216	1,373	12,781	1,684	5	241	75
Mother's education							
8th grade or less	1,656	142	1,345	154	–	5	5
Some high school	5,248	414	4,276	489	1	34	11
High school graduate/GED	10,135	792	7,974	970	5	278	77
Some college	11,347	893	8,804	1,107	6	391	122
Associate's degree	3,620	258	2,875	348	1	106	28
Bachelor's degree	8,420	590	6,157	1,134	2	388	128
Postbaccalaureate	4,919	327	3,624	687	1	207	63
Source of payment							
Medicaid/Oregon Health Plan	19,581	1,524	15,696	1,881	7	304	105
Private insurance	23,994	1,771	18,443	2,885	7	656	190
Self-pay	1,089	68	366	54	3	438	140
Other coverage	786	69	627	80	–	8	1
Birth order							
1st	18,422	1,304	13,370	3,030	4	495	192
2nd	14,622	991	11,862	1,102	7	490	125
3rd	7,311	574	5,970	448	1	221	70
4th +	5,236	572	4,028	335	5	211	52
Pre-pregnancy body mass index							
Underweight (< 18.5)	1,477	148	1,136	121	1	48	19
Normal (18.5 - 24.9)	21,380	1,426	16,307	2,418	7	904	255
Overweight (25.0 - 29.9)	11,033	808	8,635	1,184	6	281	96
Obese (> 30.0)	10,467	898	8,280	1,038	3	159	63
Maternal tobacco use							
Tobacco use	4,605	484	3,660	402	1	25	8
No tobacco use	40,751	2,935	31,409	4,479	16	1,384	426
Initiation of care							
1st trimester	34,917	2,626	27,425	3,618	13	924	259
2nd trimester	7,993	540	5,896	988	4	387	142
3rd trimester	1,640	73	1,239	216	–	79	24
No care	283	64	142	21	–	20	10
Prenatal care³							
Adequate	41,446	2,832	32,360	4,469	15	1,298	394
Inadequate	2,488	330	1,708	263	2	106	40

– Quantity is zero.

¹ Total includes 91 births that occurred en route, were unplanned home deliveries, or other out-of-hospital births not otherwise classified.

² Non-Hispanic single mention race. The Hispanic category may include any mention of race.

³ Adequate care: Care that began in the first or second trimester and included at least five visits.

Inadequate care: No care, or care that began in the third trimester or fewer than five visits.