

2002		Atlantic County	Burlington County	Camden County	Cape May County	Cumberland County	Gloucester County	Salem County	Southern Region	NJ State
LIVE BIRTHS	Number	3553	5378	6748	1024	2082	3054	738	22577	114642
Race/ Ethnicity	Percent White	67.9	77.1	70.6	91.2	75.4	85.8	77.4	75.4	70.5
	Percent Black	22.3	16.3	24.1	7	22.1	10.8	20.7	19.1	17
	Percent Hispanic	24.9	6.2	16.7	9.4	36	3.6	8.8	14.9	21.2
Prenatal Care	Percent Started Prenatal Care in the 1st Trimester	69.1	78.2	70.7	79.6	70.5	77.3	71.3	73.5	76.9
	Percent with no Prenatal Care	1.7	0.9	1.1	0.6	1.6	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.1
Weight	Percent under 2500 grams	8.5	7.6	9.2	5.9	8.5	8.1	6.1	8.2	7.8
	Percent under 1500 grams	2	1.5	2	0.6	1.5	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.5
Maternal Age	Under age 15	4	4	23	2	7	2	1	43	144
	Aged 15 to 19	383	353	706	92	370	181	94	2179	7328
INFANT MORTALITY	Number	42	29	72	6	16	18	4	187	651
	Rate	11.8	5.4	10.7	@	@	@	@	7.9	5.8
Race/ Ethnicity	Number White	16	17	42	3	11	15	3	107	335
	White Rate	@	@	8.8	@	@	@	@	6.3	4.1
	Number Black	20	7	25	2	3	2	1	60	228
	Black Rate	25.2	@	15.4	@	@	@	@	13.9	11.7
	Number Hispanic	12	1	19	0	7	1	1	41	148
	Hispanic Rate	@	@	@	@	@	@	@	12.2	6.1
FETAL MORTALITY	Fetal Mortality Rate	@	7.4	7.6	@	@	@	@	6.7	6.8

Source: New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services, NJSHAD Query System.

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