

Characteristics of Benton County Individuals Who Gave Birth

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Individuals Who Gave Birth	2,623	2,622	2,735	2,527	2,522	2,523	2,467	2,527	2,466	2,424
Race / Ethnicity										
White	1,562	1,574	1,547	1,504	1,444	1,395	1,337	1,366	1,264	1,225
Hispanic	832	818	941	780	826	862	848	886	941	949
Asian	81	85	98	87	78	74	88	76	63	83
African American	39	45	37	40	32	30	36	29	19	39
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native American	-	-	11	14	11	16	-	15	17	-
More than 1 race	58	55	63	62	60	52	59	55	57	49
Other/Unknown	36	28	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	68
Average Age (Yrs.)	27.8	27.9	28.1	28.2	28.5	28.5	28.5	28.8	28.9	28.6
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	51	38	49	35	24	22	25	26	17	31
Marital Status (Married)	1,656	1,672	1,700	1,584	1,574	1,560	1,508	1,534	1,497	1,458
High School Education or Higher	2,143	2,153	2,266	2,104	2,096	2,114	2,065	2,129	2,134	2,074
Smoking History (Yes)	200	162	188	185	119	137	85	75	62	45
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	1,787	1,709	1,730	1,801	1,799	1,643	1,356	1,736	1,671	1,621
Second Trimester	535	538	603	420	445	496	455	439	517	523
Third Trimester	164	144	155	106	117	184	141	135	157	202
None	39	22	15	21	14	14	41	37	46	31
Unknown	98	209	232	179	147	186	474	180	75	47
Low Birthweight	116	132	130	132	135	129	119	137	115	135
Singleton Liveborn	2,577	2,569	2,685	2,465	2,472	2,464	2,401	2,475	2,415	2,372

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Race / Ethnicity										
White	59.6%	60.0%	56.6%	59.5%	57.3%	55.3%	54.2%	54.1%	51.3%	50.5%
Hispanic	31.7%	31.2%	34.4%	30.9%	32.8%	34.2%	34.4%	35.1%	38.2%	39.2%
Asian	3.1%	3.2%	3.6%	3.4%	3.1%	2.9%	3.6%	3.0%	2.6%	3.4%
African American	1.5%	1.7%	1.4%	1.6%	1.3%	1.2%	1.5%	1.1%	0.8%	1.6%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
Native American	-%	-%	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.6%	-%	0.6%	0.7%	-%
More than 1 race	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	2.5%	2.4%	2.1%	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.0%
Other/Unknown	1.4%	1.1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3.3%	-%	-%	2.8%
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	1.9%	1.4%	1.8%	1.4%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%	0.7%	1.3%
Marital Status (Married)	63.1%	63.8%	62.2%	62.7%	62.4%	61.8%	61.1%	60.7%	60.7%	60.1%
High School Education or Higher	81.7%	82.1%	82.9%	83.3%	83.1%	83.8%	83.7%	84.3%	86.5%	85.6%
Smoking History (Yes)	7.6%	6.2%	6.9%	7.3%	4.7%	5.4%	3.4%	3.0%	2.5%	1.9%
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	70.8%	70.8%	69.1%	76.7%	75.7%	70.3%	68.0%	74.0%	69.9%	68.2%
Second Trimester	21.2%	22.3%	24.1%	17.9%	18.7%	21.2%	22.8%	18.7%	21.6%	22.0%
Third Trimester	6.5%	6.0%	6.2%	4.5%	4.9%	7.9%	7.1%	5.8%	6.6%	8.5%
None	1.5%	0.9%	0.6%	0.9%	0.6%	0.6%	2.1%	1.6%	1.9%	1.3%
Unknown	3.7%	8.0%	8.5%	7.1%	5.8%	7.4%	19.2%	7.1%	3.0%	1.9%
Low Birthweight										
Singleton Liveborn	4.5%	5.1%	4.8%	5.4%	5.5%	5.2%	5.0%	5.5%	4.8%	5.7%

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Characteristics of Benton County Medicaid Individuals Who Gave Birth

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Medicaid Individuals	1,543	1,573	1,745	1,525	1,488	1,495	1,432	1,429	1,428	1,467
All Individuals Who Gave Birth	2,623	2,622	2,735	2,527	2,522	2,523	2,467	2,527	2,466	2,424
Race / Ethnicity										
White	699	738	781	711	656	640	574	569	528	551
Hispanic	712	704	821	678	689	703	695	708	767	777
Asian	24	28	33	30	24	19	32	26	12	23
African American	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Native American	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
More than 1 race	37	34	40	35	37	34	38	32	28	32
Other/Unknown	28	24	22	-	42	-	51	-	-	44
Average Age (Yrs.)	26.3	26.4	26.6	26.7	27.1	27.1	27.1	27.3	27.6	27.3
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marital Status (Married)	688	723	774	667	643	621	566	557	577	606
High School Education or Higher	1,095	1,127	1,293	1,131	1,100	1,117	1,077	1,083	1,139	1,152
Smoking History (Yes)	172	141	177	162	107	123	72	67	55	42
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	939	994	1,068	1,034	999	876	742	895	885	901
Second Trimester	391	387	451	303	316	337	307	298	353	357
Third Trimester	127	108	123	90	83	145	100	98	104	150
None	-	-	-	-	-	14	23	26	32	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	123	260	112	54	-
Maternity Support Services (MSS)	657	752	798	306	289	320	284	418	371	374
Average No. MSS Visits	4.0	4.1	4.1	5.8	5.6	5.5	6.7	6.0	7.2	8.3
Infant Case Management (ICM)	159	158	138	111	127	130	179	207	190	218
Average No. ICM Visits	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.9	2.7	2.7	3.0	3.0	4.5	4.4
Low Birthweight	83	83	94	85	98	92	87	79	72	94
Singleton Liveborn	1,519	1,549	1,714	1,496	1,460	1,458	1,398	1,398	1,401	1,438

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Medicaid Individuals	1,543	1,573	1,745	1,525	1,488	1,495	1,432	1,429	1,428	1,467
% of All Individuals Who Gave Birth	58.8%	60.0%	63.8%	60.3%	59.0%	59.3%	58.0%	56.5%	57.9%	60.5%
Race / Ethnicity										
White	45.3%	46.9%	44.8%	46.6%	44.1%	42.8%	40.1%	39.8%	37.0%	37.6%
Hispanic	46.1%	44.8%	47.0%	44.5%	46.3%	47.0%	48.5%	49.5%	53.7%	53.0%
Asian	1.6%	1.8%	1.9%	2.0%	1.6%	1.3%	2.2%	1.8%	0.8%	1.6%
African American	-%	2.0%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
Native American	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
More than 1 race	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.3%	2.5%	2.3%	2.7%	2.2%	2.0%	2.2%
Other/Unknown	1.8%	1.5%	1.3%	-%	2.8%	-%	3.6%	-%	-%	3.0%
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
Marital Status (Married)	44.6%	46.0%	44.4%	43.7%	43.2%	41.5%	39.5%	39.0%	40.4%	41.3%
High School Education or Higher	71.0%	71.6%	74.1%	74.2%	73.9%	74.7%	75.2%	75.8%	79.8%	78.5%
Smoking History (Yes)	11.1%	9.0%	10.1%	10.6%	7.2%	8.2%	5.0%	4.7%	3.9%	2.9%
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	63.0%	66.1%	64.5%	71.6%	70.9%	63.8%	63.3%	68.0%	64.4%	62.9%
Second Trimester	26.2%	25.7%	27.2%	21.0%	22.4%	24.6%	26.2%	22.6%	25.7%	24.9%
Third Trimester	8.5%	7.2%	7.4%	6.2%	5.9%	10.6%	8.5%	7.4%	7.6%	10.5%
None	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1.0%	2.0%	2.0%	2.3%	-%
Unknown	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	8.2%	18.2%	7.8%	3.8%	-%
Maternity Support Services	42.6%	47.8%	45.7%	20.1%	19.4%	21.4%	19.8%	29.3%	26.0%	25.5%
Infant Case Management	10.3%	10.0%	7.9%	7.3%	8.5%	8.7%	12.5%	14.5%	13.3%	14.9%
Low Birthweight										
Singleton Liveborn	5.5%	5.4%	5.5%	5.7%	6.7%	6.3%	6.2%	5.7%	5.1%	6.5%

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