## **Characteristics of Walla Walla County Individuals Who Gave Birth**

|                                 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Individuals Who Gave Birth      | 647  | 655  | 654  | 601  | 591  | 608  | 552  | 598  | 512  | 547  |
| Race / Ethnicity                |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| White                           | 423  | 409  | 391  | 373  | 368  | 356  | 338  | 339  | 308  | 326  |
| Hispanic                        | 198  | 207  | 229  | 188  | 189  | 211  | 181  | 216  | 175  | 193  |
| Asian                           | -    | -    | -    | -    | 11   | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| African American                | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Hawaiian/Pacific Islander       | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Native American                 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| More than 1 race                | 15   | 19   | 14   | 15   | 12   | 13   | -    | 13   | -    | -    |
| Other/Unknown                   | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | 13   | 12   | -    | -    |
| Average Age (Yrs.)              | 27.9 | 28.3 | 28.3 | 28.2 | 28.7 | 28.7 | 29.1 | 29.0 | 29.0 | 29.2 |
| Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old       | -    | 13   | 14   | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Marital Status (Married)        | 410  | 390  | 379  | 350  | 370  | 371  | 321  | 359  | 308  | 326  |
| High School Education or Higher | 545  | 534  | 545  | 522  | 507  | 527  | 464  | 515  | 444  | 479  |
| Smoking History (Yes)           | 55   | 60   | 49   | 62   | 44   | 37   | 32   | 50   | 27   | 18   |
| Prenatal Care Began             |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| First Trimester                 | 494  | 473  | 453  | 454  | 444  | 452  | 397  | 403  | 363  | 398  |
| Second Trimester                | 102  | 119  | 122  | 96   | 98   | 94   | 70   | 133  | 91   | 80   |
| Third Trimester                 | 36   | 44   | 48   | 30   | 32   | 38   | 45   | 35   | 23   | 34   |
| None                            | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | 16   | 21   |
| Unknown                         | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | 19   | 14   |
| Low Birthweight                 | 30   | 29   | 20   | 33   | 29   | 33   | 30   | 37   | 40   | 31   |
| Singleton Liveborn              | 641  | 638  | 641  | 586  | 582  | 592  | 539  | 581  | 498  | 529  |

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| Individuals Who Gave Birth      | 647   | 655   | 654   | 601   | 591   | 608   | 552   | 598   | 512   | 547   |
| Race / Ethnicity                |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| White                           | 65.4% | 62.4% | 59.8% | 62.1% | 62.3% | 58.6% | 61.2% | 56.7% | 60.2% | 59.6% |
| Hispanic                        | 30.6% | 31.6% | 35.0% | 31.3% | 32.0% | 34.7% | 32.8% | 36.1% | 34.2% | 35.3% |
| Asian                           | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | 1.9%  | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| African American                | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Hawaiian/Pacific Islander       | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Native American                 | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| More than 1 race                | 2.3%  | 2.9%  | 2.1%  | 2.5%  | 2.0%  | 2.1%  | -%    | 2.2%  | -%    | -%    |
| Other/Unknown                   | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | 2.4%  | 2.0%  | -%    | -%    |
| Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old       | -%    | 2.0%  | 2.1%  | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Marital Status (Married)        | 63.4% | 59.5% | 58.0% | 58.2% | 62.6% | 61.0% | 58.2% | 60.0% | 60.2% | 59.6% |
| High School Education or Higher | 84.2% | 81.5% | 83.3% | 86.9% | 85.8% | 86.7% | 84.1% | 86.1% | 86.7% | 87.6% |
| Smoking History (Yes)           | 8.5%  | 9.2%  | 7.5%  | 10.3% | 7.4%  | 6.1%  | 5.8%  | 8.4%  | 5.3%  | 3.3%  |
| Prenatal Care Began             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| First Trimester                 | 77.8% | 73.7% | 71.6% | 77.5% | 76.9% | 77.0% | 76.8% | 69.7% | 73.6% | 74.7% |
| Second Trimester                | 16.1% | 18.5% | 19.3% | 16.4% | 17.0% | 16.0% | 13.5% | 23.0% | 18.5% | 15.0% |
| Third Trimester                 | 5.7%  | 6.9%  | 7.6%  | 5.1%  | 5.5%  | 6.5%  | 8.7%  | 6.1%  | 4.7%  | 6.4%  |
| None                            | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | 3.2%  | 3.9%  |
| Unknown                         | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | 3.7%  | 2.6%  |
| Low Birthweight                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Singleton Liveborn              | 4.7%  | 4.5%  | 3.1%  | 5.6%  | 5.0%  | 5.6%  | 5.6%  | 6.4%  | 8.0%  | 5.9%  |

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## **Characteristics of Walla Walla County Medicaid Individuals Who Gave Birth**

|                                  | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Medicaid Individuals             | 386  | 423  | 402  | 388  | 349  | 372  | 341  | 350  | 308  | 319  |
| All Individuals Who Gave Birth   | 647  | 655  | 654  | 601  | 591  | 608  | 552  | 598  | 512  | 547  |
| Race / Ethnicity                 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| White                            | 202  | 211  | 183  | 198  | 179  | 165  | 168  | 152  | 151  | 148  |
| Hispanic                         | 171  | 185  | 197  | 161  | 151  | 182  | 152  | 177  | 136  | 159  |
| Asian                            | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| African American                 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Hawaiian/Pacific Islander        | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Native American                  | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| More than 1 race                 | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Other/Unknown                    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Average Age (Yrs.)               | 26.6 | 26.8 | 26.9 | 26.9 | 27.3 | 27.3 | 27.6 | 27.8 | 27.7 | 27.4 |
| Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old        | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Marital Status (Married)         | 187  | 179  | 159  | 154  | 156  | 154  | 129  | 144  | 127  | 117  |
| High School Education or Higher  | 292  | 309  | 302  | 316  | 273  | 297  | 261  | 277  | 248  | 262  |
| Smoking History (Yes)            | 46   | 56   | 44   | 56   | 40   | 34   | 31   | 44   | 26   | 18   |
| Prenatal Care Began              |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| First Trimester                  | 277  | 286  | 257  | 280  | 247  | 253  | 225  | 211  | 203  | 214  |
| Second Trimester                 | 75   | 92   | 86   | 71   | 69   | 68   | 54   | 89   | 63   | 59   |
| Third Trimester                  | -    | -    | 37   | -    | -    | -    | 29   | -    | -    | 23   |
| None                             | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Unknown                          | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    |
| Maternity Support Services (MSS) | 151  | 166  | 187  | 184  | 170  | 204  | 194  | 227  | 175  | 135  |
| Average No. MSS Visits           | 6.7  | 8.8  | 8.7  | 9.4  | 10.5 | 9.8  | 10.6 | 8.8  | 8.6  | 9.0  |
| Infant Case Management (ICM)     | 13   | 16   | 51   | 38   | 36   | 62   | 54   | 91   | 73   | 47   |
| Average No. ICM Visits           | 6.8  | 4.3  | 4.1  | 2.8  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 2.8  | 2.5  | 3.3  | 3.2  |
| Low Birthweight                  | 23   | 20   | 15   | 27   | 18   | 26   | 20   | 24   | 27   | 23   |
| Singleton Liveborn               | 383  | 414  | 392  | 378  | 345  | 361  | 334  | 339  | 299  | 307  |

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| Medicaid Individuals                | 386   | 423   | 402   | 388   | 349   | 372   | 341   | 350   | 308   | 319   |
| % of All Individuals Who Gave Birth | 59.7% | 64.6% | 61.5% | 64.6% | 59.1% | 61.2% | 61.8% | 58.5% | 60.2% | 58.3% |
| Race / Ethnicity                    |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| White                               | 52.3% | 49.9% | 45.5% | 51.0% | 51.3% | 44.4% | 49.3% | 43.4% | 49.0% | 46.4% |
| Hispanic                            | 44.3% | 43.7% | 49.0% | 41.5% | 43.3% | 48.9% | 44.6% | 50.6% | 44.2% | 49.8% |
| Asian                               | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| African American                    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Hawaiian/Pacific Islander           | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Native American                     | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| More than 1 race                    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Other/Unknown                       | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old           | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Marital Status (Married)            | 48.4% | 42.3% | 39.6% | 39.7% | 44.7% | 41.4% | 37.8% | 41.1% | 41.2% | 36.7% |
| High School Education or Higher     | 75.6% | 73.0% | 75.1% | 81.4% | 78.2% | 79.8% | 76.5% | 79.1% | 80.5% | 82.1% |
| Smoking History (Yes)               | 11.9% | 13.2% | 10.9% | 14.4% | 11.5% | 9.1%  | 9.1%  | 12.6% | 8.4%  | 5.6%  |
| Prenatal Care Began                 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| First Trimester                     | 73.1% | 68.4% | 66.1% | 73.5% | 72.4% | 71.1% | 72.1% | 63.0% | 68.8% | 69.3% |
| Second Trimester                    | 19.8% | 22.0% | 22.1% | 18.6% | 20.2% | 19.1% | 17.3% | 26.6% | 21.4% | 19.1% |
| Third Trimester                     | -%    | -%    | 9.5%  | -%    | -%    | -%    | 9.3%  | -%    | -%    | 7.4%  |
| None                                | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Unknown                             | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    | -%    |
| Maternity Support Services          | 39.1% | 39.2% | 46.5% | 47.4% | 48.7% | 54.8% | 56.9% | 64.9% | 56.8% | 42.3% |
| Infant Case Management              | 3.4%  | 3.8%  | 12.7% | 9.8%  | 10.3% | 16.7% | 15.8% | 26.0% | 23.7% | 14.7% |
| Low Birthweight                     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Singleton Liveborn                  | 6.0%  | 4.8%  | 3.8%  | 7.1%  | 5.2%  | 7.2%  | 6.0%  | 7.1%  | 9.0%  | 7.5%  |

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