Iberia Parish, Louisiana 2015-2017 Maternal and Child Health Profile

Teen Births

		Iberia				
	LA	White*	Black*	Hispanic	All	Healthy People 2020 Target
Birth Rate, females 15-19 years of age ¹	32.7	31.4	55.2	34.0	42.2	n/a
Repeat teen (15-19) births (%)	17.4	14.9	24.0	**	13.7	n/a

Delivery Characteristics and Birth Spacing

		Iberia				
	LA	White*	Black*	Hispanic	All	Healthy People 2020 Target
Primary Cesarean delivery among low risk ² women (%)	30.9	27.0	32.6	26.3	29.2	23.9
Repeat Cesarean among low risk² women (%)	91.3	93.2	96.1	92.3	94.5	81.7
Births to women within 24 months of a previous birth (%)	25.3	24.5	28.9	21.4	26.0	n/a
No Prenatal Care (%)	2.3	1.9	5.1	6.4	3.5	n/a
Entered Prenatal Care in 1st Trimester (%)	69.2	76.2	61.3	59.2	68.8	n/a

Infant Health Indicators

		Iberia				
	LA	White*	Black*	Hispanic	All	Healthy People 2020 Target
Low birth weight (%)	10.7	7.4	14.3	10.8	10.7	7.8
Preterm Birth (%)	12.5	11.3	15.1	12.1	13.0	11.4

Fetal and Infant Mortality

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	LA	White*	Black*	Hispanic	All	Healthy People 2020 Target
Fetal ³	5.8	**	7.1	**	4.4	5.6
Infant ⁴	7.7	**	15.8	**	8.6	6.0

Definitions and inclusion criteria for select indicators

Low Birth Weight:<2,500g at delivery (5.5 lbs) **Preterm Birth**: <37 weeks gestational age

Fetal Death: stillborn with gestation ≥ 20 weeks or birth

weight > 350 grams

Infant Death: deaths to infants under 1 year of age

Data Sources

2015-2017 Live births, fetal deaths and deaths: Louisiana State Center for Health Statistics

2015-2017 Population estimates: Census County Population Estimates by Age, Sex, Race and Hispanic

Origin: April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2017

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¹Rate per 1,000 female population in specified age range

² Low risk is defined as a pregnant woman who has full a term (37 up to 42 weeks), singleton, and vertex presentation baby

³Rate per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths

⁴Rate per 1,000 live births

^{*}Non Hispanic

^{**}Rates or data based on numerators greater than zero and less than 5 are not reported