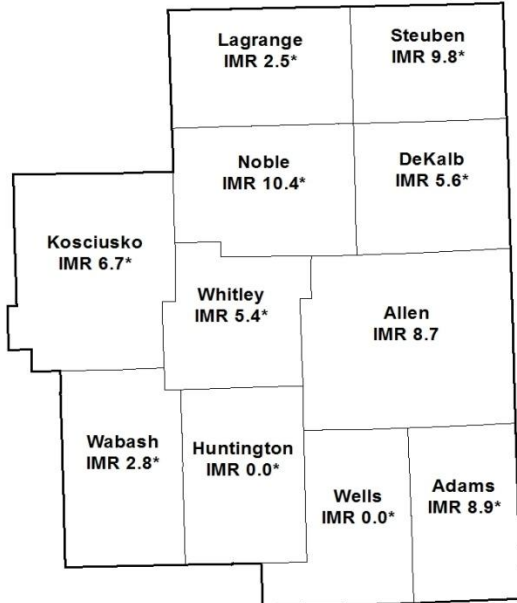


INFANT MORTALITY

Northeastern Hospital Region 2013

For more information on infant mortality in your area, please see the Indiana State Department of Health Mortality Report, Tables 2 and 8 (<http://www.in.gov/isdh/reports/mortality/2013/toc.htm>)

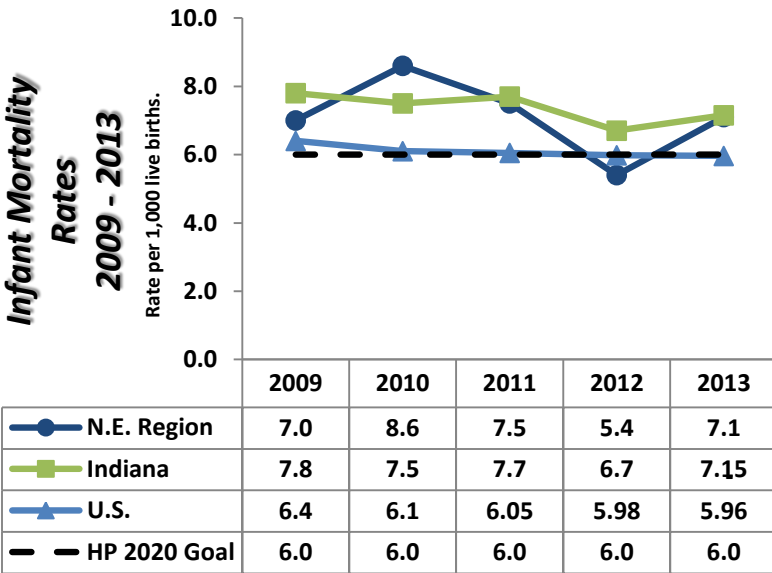


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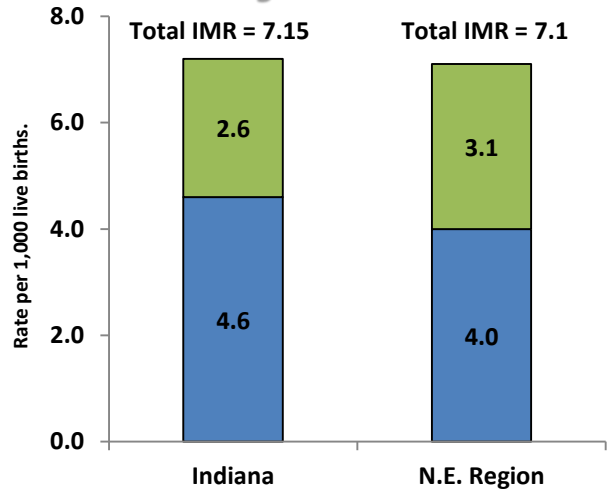
INFANT MORTALITY FACTS

- Infant mortality is defined as the death of a baby before his or her first birthday
- The infant mortality rate (IMR) is the number of babies who die in the first year of life, per 1,000 live births
- Of the 594 Indiana infant deaths in 2013, 75 occurred in the Northeastern Hospital Region
- Black infants are 2.6 times more likely to die than white infants in Indiana & 4.6 times more likely in the Northeastern Hospital Region
- Neonatal Infant Death = 0 – 27 Days
- Post-Neonatal Infant Death = 28 – 364 Days

Infant Mortality Rates 2009 - 2013



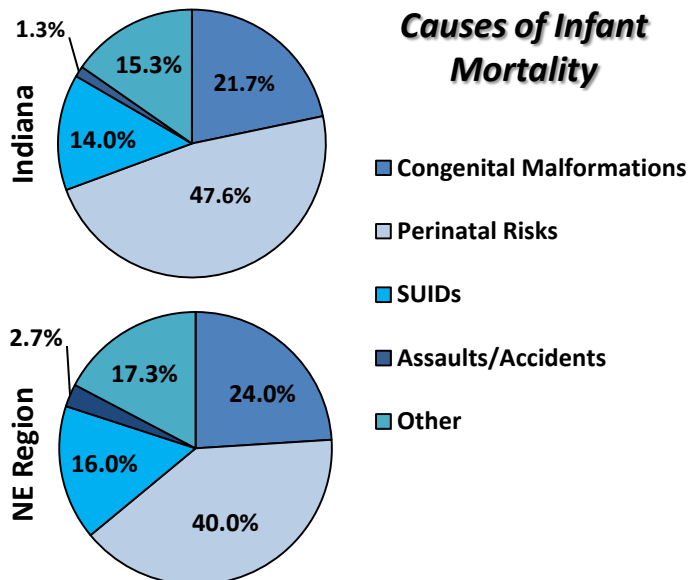
Infant Mortality Rates by Age at Death



PRACTICES TO REDUCE INFANT MORTALITY

- Improve overall health for women of child-bearing age
- Promote early & adequate prenatal care
- Decrease early elective deliveries before 39 weeks
- Decrease prenatal smoking & substance abuse
- Increase breastfeeding duration & exclusivity
- Support birth spacing & interconception wellness

Causes of Infant Mortality



BIRTH OUTCOME INDICATORS

Northeastern Hospital Region 2013

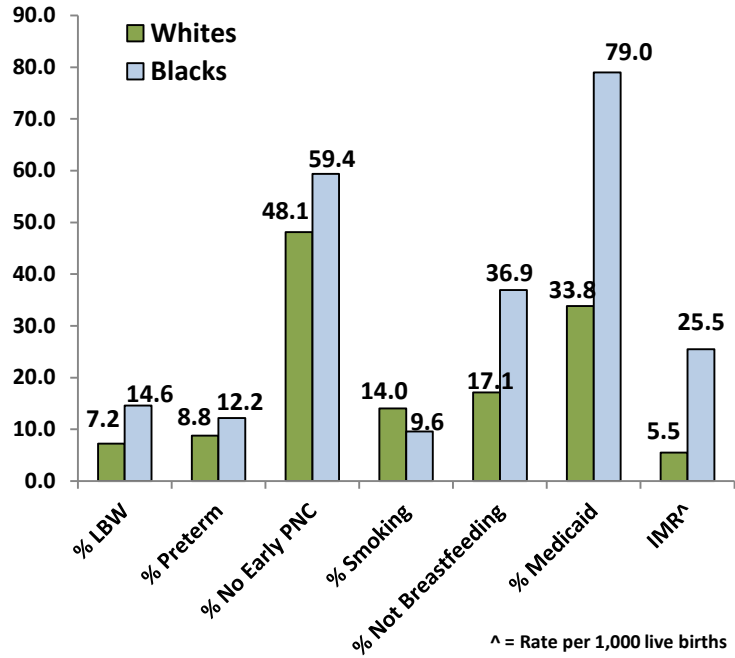
For more information on birth outcomes in your area, please see the Indiana State Department of Health Natality Report, Table 32 (<http://www.in.gov/isdh/reports/natality/2013/toc.htm>)

INDIANA QUICK FACTS

- Smoking rates among pregnant women are always one of the nation's worst
- Almost 1/3 of pregnant women do not receive early PNC
- Black women in Indiana are more likely to have a LBW or preterm baby & not get early PNC
- White women in Indiana are more likely to smoke during pregnancy

NORTHEASTER REGION QUICK FACTS

- Lower percentage of preterm births
- Lower percentage of women receiving PNC in the first trimester
- Lower percentage of women smoking during pregnancy
- Higher percentage of women breastfeeding at discharge



LBW = Low Birthweight PNC = Prenatal Care IMR = Infant Mortality Rate

	% LBW (< 2,500 G)	% PRETERM (<37 WKS GESTATION)	% NO EARLY PNC (1 ST TRIMESTER)	% SMOKING	% NOT BREASTFEEDING	% MOTHER ON MEDICAID
ADAMS	7.9 No difference	8.8 8.3% Lower	60.2 84.1% Higher	8.6 45.2% Lower	10.8 52.4% Lower	22.0 50.1% Lower
ALLEN	8.9 12.7% Higher	10.2 6.3% Higher	50.6 54.7% Higher	8.8 43.9% Lower	19.6 13.7% Lower	43.8 0.7% Lower
DEKALB	6.7 15.2% Lower	8.6 10.4% Lower	38.3 17.3% Higher	22.4 42.7% Higher	25.8 13.7% Higher	46.2 4.8% Higher
HUNTINGTON	8.3 5.1% Higher	8.5 11.5% Lower	31.8 2.3% Lower	24.3 54.8% Higher	21.5 5.3% Lower	41.0 7.0% Lower
KOSCIUSKO	7.9 No difference	9.4 2.1% Lower	64.4 96.9% Higher	15.7 No difference	18.4 18.9% Lower	40.8 7.5% Lower
LAGRANGE	5.6 29.1% Lower	5.6 41.7% Lower	55.5 69.7% Lower	5.5 65.0% Lower	10.7 52.9% Lower	14.7 66.7% Lower
NOBLE	6.7 15.2% Lower	8.3 13.5% Lower	38.6 18.0% Higher	19.7 25.5% Higher	21.6 4.8% Lower	39.3 10.9% Lower
STEBEN	6.6 16.5% Lower	8.5 11.5% Lower	40.7 24.5% Higher	24.9 58.6% Higher	24.9 9.7% Higher	47.8 8.4% Higher
WABASH	5.3*	6.7 30.2% Lower	40.3 23.2% Higher	24.4 55.4% Higher	27.2 19.8% Higher	48.3 9.5% Higher
WELLS	6.8 13.9% Lower	8.4 12.5% Lower	42.5 30.0% Higher	16.5 5.1% Higher	15.5 31.7% Lower	34.5 21.8% Lower
WHITLEY	7.8 1.3% Lower	8.9 7.3% Lower	41.1 25.7% Higher	19.4 23.6% Higher	16.7 26.4% Lower	34.1 22.7% Lower
N.E. REGION	7.9 No difference	9.2 4.2% Lower	49.6 51.7% Higher	12.9 17.8% Lower	19.0 16.3% Lower	39.4 10.7% Lower
INDIANA	7.9	9.6	32.7	15.7	22.7	44.1

* = Unstable rate due to fewer than 20 birth outcomes.
•Bottom number is percent difference from State