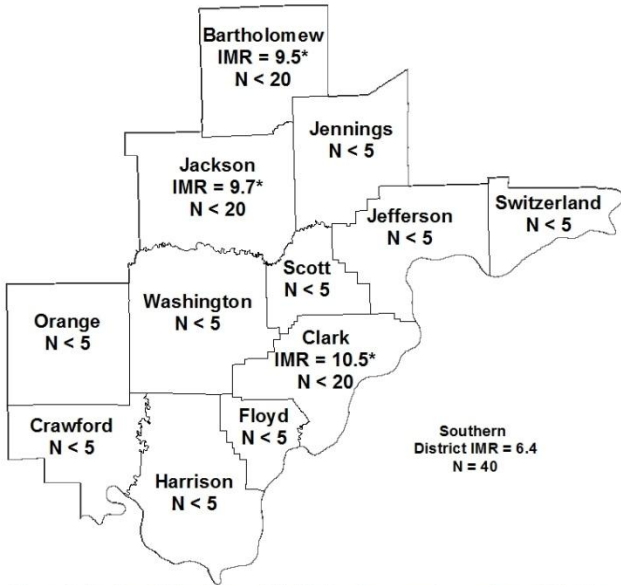


INFANT MORTALITY

Southern Hospital Region 2014

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/2014/index.htm>)

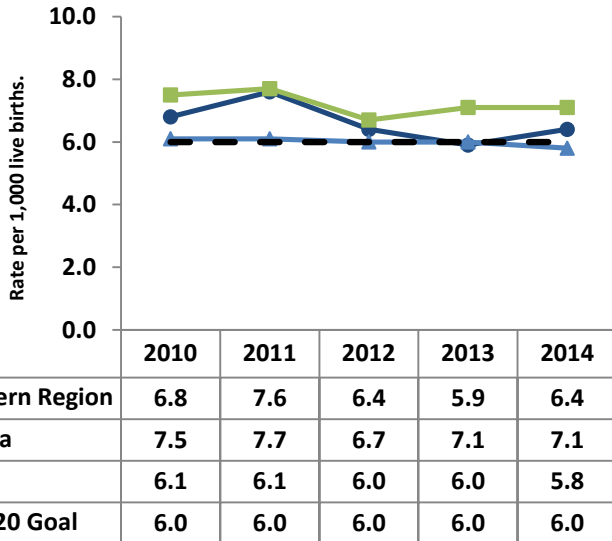


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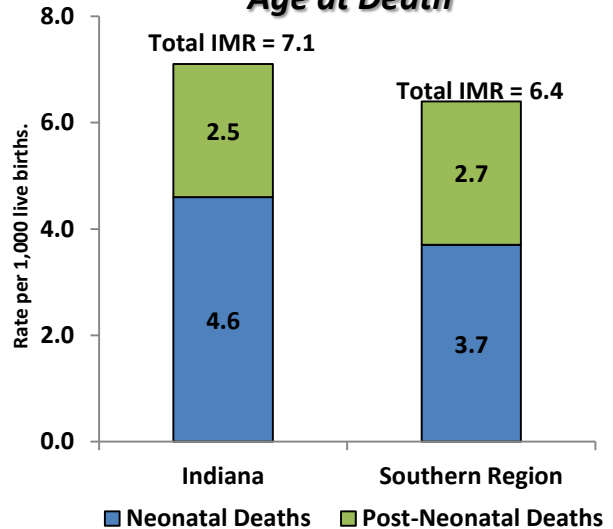
INFANT MORTALITY FACTS

- 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 597 Indiana infant deaths in 2014, 40 occurred in the Southern Hospital Region
- Black infants are 2.5 times more likely to die than white infants in Indiana
- Neonatal Infant Death = 0 – 27 Days
- Post-Neonatal Infant Death = 28 – 364 Days

Infant Mortality Rates 2010 - 2014



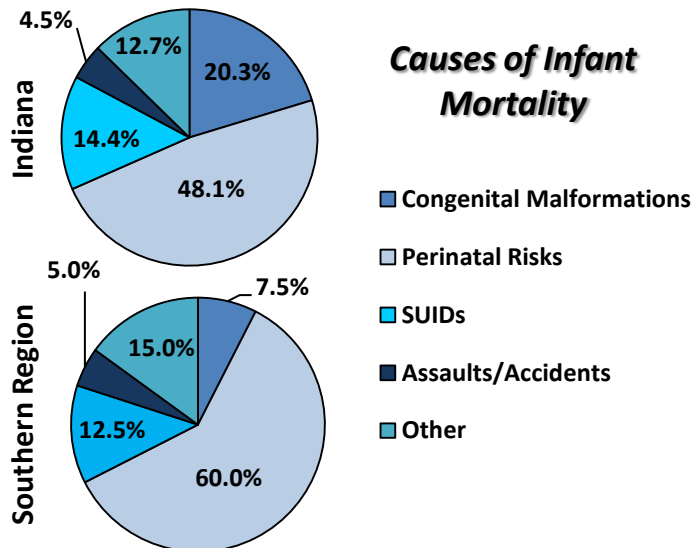
Infant Mortality Rates by Age at Death



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
- Promote the ABC's of safe sleep: place baby to sleep alone, on his or her back, in a crib

Causes of Infant Mortality



BIRTH OUTCOME INDICATORS

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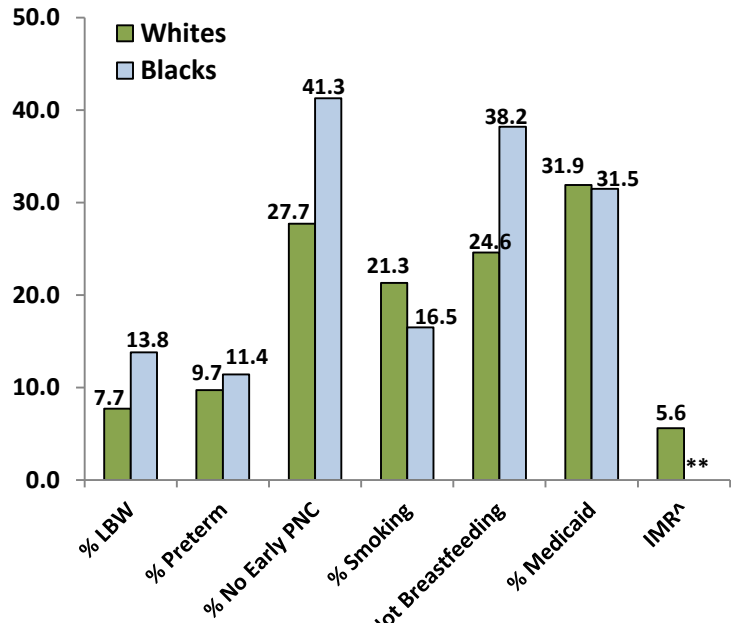
For more information on birth outcomes in your area, please see the Indiana State Department of Health Natality Report, Table 32 (<http://www.in.gov/isdh/reports/natality/2014/index.htm>)

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

SOUTHERN REGION QUICK FACTS

- Lower percentage of LBW and preterm births compared to Indiana
- Higher percentage of women receiving PNC in the first trimester
- Higher percentage of women smoking during pregnancy
- Lower percentage of women breastfeeding at hospital discharge



^ = Rate per 1,000 live births

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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
BARTHOLOMEW	7.2 9.7% Lower	8.9 7.9% Lower	31.5 3.2% Lower	14.4 4.3% Lower	17.4 16.0% Lower	32.7 25.2% Lower
CLARK	8.3 3.8% Higher	10.0 3.6% Higher	32.2 0.8% Lower	16.1 6.3% Higher	23.5 13.6% Higher	17.2 60.6% Lower
CRAWFORD	14.1*	14.8 52.7% Higher	28.9 11.1% Lower	38.5 155.1% Higher	35.6 71.8% Higher	42.2 3.4% Lower
FLOYD	9.0 13.1% Higher	11.3 16.9% Higher	25.3 22.1% Lower	16.5 9.2% Higher	22.2 7.4% Higher	25.9 40.8% Lower
HARRISON	4.4 44.7% Lower	7.1 27.0% Lower	20.4 37.4% Lower	16.4 8.4% Higher	21.7 4.7% Higher	35.6 18.5% Lower
JACKSON	7.1 11.3% Lower	8.2 15.2% Lower	26.6 18.1% Lower	21.1 39.9% Higher	26.8 29.3% Higher	42.1 3.7% Lower
JEFFERSON	8.8 9.5% Higher	10.1 3.6% Higher	23.5 27.8% Lower	27.1 79.2% Higher	28.9 39.4% Higher	46.6 6.7% Higher
JENNINGS	8.3 3.3% Higher	11.6 19.3% Higher	28.1 13.5% Lower	25.9 71.5% Higher	25.9 25.1% Higher	43.5 0.4% Lower
ORANGE	6.1* 8.0% Lower	4.7* 46.7% Lower	29.9 8.0% Lower	23.4 54.7% Higher	18.7 9.7% Lower	46.7 6.9% Higher
SCOTT	8.3 3.4% Higher	9.0 7.0% Lower	32.7 0.6% Higher	28.6 89.2% Higher	39.8 92.5% Higher	44.7 2.4% Higher
SWITZERLAND	10.2* 13.1% Lower	13.3* 36.6% Lower	39.8 22.6% Higher	33.6 122.5% Higher	43.0 107.6% Higher	47.7 9.1% Higher
WASHINGTON	5.8* 28.9% Lower	8.7 10.5% Lower	36.7 12.8% Higher	23.2 53.3% Higher	26.7 28.9% Higher	36.7 16.1% Lower
SOUTHERN REGION	7.8 2.4% Lower	9.6 1.0% Lower	29.2 10.2% Lower	19.6 29.9% Higher	24.3 17.5% Higher	32.5 25.5% Lower
INDIANA	8.0	9.7	32.5	15.1	20.7	43.7

* = Unstable rate due to fewer than 20 birth outcomes.

• Bottom number is percent difference from State.