

**U.S. Teenage Pregnancy Statistics
National and State Trends and
Trends by Race and Ethnicity**

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Table 3.1 Ranking by rates of pregnancy, birth and abortion and the rates themselves among women aged 15–19, by age-group, according to state of residence, 2000

State	Pregnancy rate*			Birthrate			Abortion rate			Abortion ratio†			
	Rank	15–19	15–17	18–19	Rank	15–19	15–17	18–19	Rank		15–19	15–17	18–19
U.S. total	na	84	48	136	na	48	27	78	na	24	14	38	33
Alabama	15	90	54	142	9	61	37	96	30	16	9	24	20
Alaska‡	30	73	37	140	21	48	24	93	35	14	8	26	23
Arizona	2	104	62	168	3	67	40	108	19	21	12	35	24
Arkansas	10	93	51	155	4	66	35	112	41	12	8	19	16
California‡	7	96	55	156	23	47	27	78	5	36	21	58	43
Colorado	22	82	48	133	15	51	29	84	21	19	12	29	27
Connecticut	33	70	42	113	44	31	16	54	9	30	21	44	49
Delaware	11	93	62	131	19	48	30	72	8	31	24	41	39
District of Columbia	na	128	119	135	na	56	50	61	na	55	53	57	50
Florida§	6	97	55	163	16	51	28	85	7	33	19	56	40
Georgia	8	95	55	154	6	63	36	102	22	18	11	29	23
Hawaii	12	93	50	158	26	46	23	82	6	34	21	55	42
Idaho	37	62	31	106	27	43	21	74	45	10	6	16	19
Illinois	20	87	53	138	20	48	28	79	10	27	18	40	36
Indiana	31	73	39	121	17	49	26	82	38	12	7	20	20
Iowa	43	55	30	89	39	35	18	57	42	12	7	19	26
Kansas	34	69	36	118	24	46	23	81	39	12	8	19	21
Kentucky	25	76	41	124	14	56	30	91	47	8	5	13	13
Louisiana	19	87	50	140	7	62	36	100	44	11	7	18	15
Maine	46	52	27	90	46	29	14	53	31	15	9	24	34
Maryland	13	91	53	151	30	41	23	69	3	38	22	62	48
Massachusetts	40	60	34	94	48	26	15	41	11	26	14	41	50
Michigan	27	75	42	123	32	40	22	67	15	24	14	39	38
Minnesota	47	50	26	85	45	30	16	51	36	13	7	21	29
Mississippi	3	103	64	156	1	71	45	107	28	16	9	25	18
Missouri	29	74	40	124	18	49	27	81	34	14	7	25	22
Montana	38	60	33	102	37	37	19	64	32	14	9	23	28
Nebraska	41	59	32	99	36	38	19	65	40	12	8	19	25
Nevada	1	113	64	194	8	61	33	108	4	36	22	59	37
New Hampshire§	48	47	22	83	50	23	10	43	25	17	9	29	42
New Jersey	16	90	52	154	43	32	17	57	1	47	29	78	60
New Mexico	4	103	64	163	5	66	39	106	18	22	15	33	25
New York	14	91	57	139	42	33	19	54	2	46	31	67	58
North Carolina	9	95	54	152	13	59	33	94	17	22	12	35	27
North Dakota	50	42	21	71	47	28	13	48	48	8	5	12	22
Ohio	28	74	40	124	25	46	24	78	27	17	10	27	27
Oklahoma	21	86	48	141	10	60	33	99	37	12	8	19	17
Oregon	23	79	44	130	28	43	23	72	13	25	15	40	37
Pennsylvania	39	60	34	96	41	34	20	54	23	17	10	28	34
Rhode Island	36	67	38	99	40	34	21	49	16	23	12	36	40
South Carolina	17	89	57	132	12	59	36	89	24	17	13	23	23
South Dakota	44	54	27	94	35	38	19	67	49	7	3	13	16
Tennessee	18	89	50	144	11	60	34	97	29	16	9	26	21
Texas	5	101	59	165	2	69	41	110	26	17	9	30	20
Utah	45	53	30	81	34	39	21	60	50	6	4	9	13
Vermont	49	44	23	75	49	24	11	43	33	14	9	22	37
Virginia	32	72	38	120	31	41	21	69	20	21	11	34	34
Washington	26	75	42	125	33	39	20	67	12	26	16	40	40
West Virginia	35	67	34	112	22	47	23	80	46	10	6	15	17
Wisconsin	42	55	30	93	38	35	19	60	43	12	7	19	25
Wyoming**	24	77	42	132	29	42	19	77	14	25	17	36	37

*Includes estimated number of pregnancies ending in miscarriage or stillbirth. †Abortions per 100 pregnancies ending in abortion or live birth. ‡Abortion estimates are based on the number of abortions among all women in the state and the proportion of abortions obtained by women of the same age nationally. §Abortion estimates are based on the number of abortions among all women in the state and the proportion of abortions obtained by women of the same age in neighboring or similar states. **Abortion estimates are based on the number of abortions among all women in the state and the average proportion of abortions obtained by women of the same age in Wyoming in 1992, 1996 and 1999.

Notes: Even though abortions have been tabulated according to state of residence where possible, in states with parental notification or consent requirements for minors, the pregnancy and abortion rates may be too low because minors have traveled to other states for abortion services. na=not applicable.

Table 3.5 Number of pregnancies, births, abortions, and miscarriages and stillbirths among women aged 15–19, by race and ethnicity, according to state of residence, 2000

State	Pregnancies*			Births			Abortions*			Miscarriages and stillbirths*		
	Non-Hispanic white	Black	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic white	Black	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic white	Black	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic white	Black	Hispanic
U.S. total	346,980	235,650	204,980	204,056	118,954	129,469	92,830	84,460	45,110	50,090	32,240	30,400
Alabama	7,310	6,600	390	4,976	4,380	305	1,210	1,220	20	1,120	1,000	60
Alaska	u	u	u	483	80	83	u	u	u	u	u	u
Arizona	6,670	930	9,480	3,732	559	6,585	1,990	240	1,440	950	140	1,460
Arkansas	5,470	2,890	460	3,942	1,992	358	670	460	30	860	440	70
California	u	u	u	10,279	5,406	36,919	u	u	u	u	u	u
Colorado	6,190	850	4,810	3,258	594	3,539	2,070	120	520	860	130	760
Connecticut	u	u	u	1,108	851	1,249	u	u	u	u	u	u
Delaware	1,160	1,120	240	589	577	158	420	390	40	160	150	40
District of Columbia	u	u	150	10	926	126	u	u	u	u	u	u
Florida	u	u	u	10,311	9,255	5,481	u	u	u	u	u	u
Georgia	11,510	12,890	2,580	7,593	8,213	2,004	2,180	2,760	160	1,740	1,920	420
Hawaii	470	130	u	164	57	414	250	50	100	60	20	90
Idaho	2,590	30	670	1,724	18	517	480	10	40	390	†	110
Illinois	u	u	u	7,063	7,647	5,832	u	u	u	u	u	u
Indiana	(11,600)	3,240	1,020	7,858	2,045	851	(1,970)	720	u	(1,770)	480	u
Iowa	(4,930)	410	410	3,061	272	344	(1,140)	70	u	(730)	60	u
Kansas	4,640	1,030	1,100	3,070	629	832	860	250	100	700	150	180
Kentucky	(8,740)	1,530	u	6,472	1,075	194	(890)	210	†	(1,380)	240	40
Louisiana	(6,350)	9,030	200	4,422	6,546	170	(950)	1,070	u	(980)	1,420	u
Maine	2,110	40	u	1,205	20	14	610	10	10	300	10	†
Maryland	u	8,840	640	2,645	3,934	533	u	3,740	u	u	1,160	u
Massachusetts	u	u	u	2,543	1,009	1,727	u	u	u	u	u	u
Michigan	u	u	u	7,204	4,545	1,152	u	u	u	u	u	u
Minnesota	5,580	1,400	920	3,280	779	660	1,500	420	120	810	200	140
Mississippi	4,280	7,140	110	3,075	4,796	80	540	1,260	10	670	1,090	20
Missouri	9,920	4,230	550	6,782	2,541	407	1,620	1,070	60	1,520	620	90
Montana	(1,530)	10	u	854	10	61	(460)	†	u	(220)	†	u
Nebraska	u	u	u	1,615	293	404	u	u	u	u	u	u
Nevada	u	u	u	1,518	445	1,658	u	u	u	u	u	u
New Hampshire	u	u	u	854	18	53	u	u	u	u	u	u
New Jersey	5,310	10,090	5,640	1,961	3,259	3,000	2,690	5,620	1,860	660	1,210	790
New Mexico	1,790	190	4,460	1,001	103	2,976	540	60	810	250	30	680
New York	18,300	22,890	14,660	6,010	7,325	7,251	10,080	12,820	5,410	2,210	2,750	1,990
North Carolina	u	9,400	u	7,229	5,621	1,996	u	2,420	u	u	1,370	u
North Dakota	770	10	u	472	9	20	180	†	10	110	†	†
Ohio	19,550	8,760	1,130	12,432	5,127	787	4,210	2,370	170	2,910	1,260	170
Oklahoma	u	1,560	u	4,619	1,076	813	u	240	u	u	240	u
Oregon	6,560	460	1,760	3,423	198	1,209	2,230	200	290	910	60	270
Pennsylvania	13,710	8,510	2,340	8,066	4,218	1,665	3,660	3,130	310	1,980	1,160	360
Rhode Island	u	340	u	540	170	385	u	120	u	u	50	u
South Carolina	5,970	6,200	470	3,738	4,217	361	1,350	1,040	30	880	950	80
South Dakota	1,030	20	60	698	14	41	180	94,056	10	160	†	10
Tennessee	10,540	5,680	690	7,224	3,631	536	1,700	1,210	50	1,620	850	110
Texas	23,910	12,660	42,430	14,811	8,065	30,924	5,580	2,710	4,840	3,520	1,880	6,670
Utah	4,010	90	1,270	2,924	55	962	460	20	100	630	10	200
Vermont	930	10	u	501	2	3	300	10	†	130	†	†
Virginia	u	6,880	u	4,656	3,987	864	u	1,900	u	u	990	u
Washington	u	u	u	4,806	536	1,968	u	u	u	u	u	u
West Virginia	(3,780)	250	u	2,663	161	5	(530)	50	u	(590)	40	u
Wisconsin	6,560	2,640	1,210	3,960	1,656	867	1,640	590	150	960	390	190
Wyoming	u	10	u	632	12	126	u	‡	u	u	u	u

*Rounded to the nearest 10. †<5 abortions.

Notes: Numbers of pregnancies include estimates of the numbers of miscarriages and stillbirths. Numbers of pregnancies and abortions in parentheses include abortions obtained by Hispanic women; in these states ≤10% of births to white women 15–19 were to Hispanics. Even though abortions have been tabulated according to state of residence where possible, in states with parental notification or consent requirements for minors, the number of abortions and pregnancies may be too low because minors have traveled to other states for abortion services. u=unavailable.