

Characteristics of Whatcom County Women Who Gave Birth

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Women Who Gave Birth	2,087	2,179	2,184	2,142	2,245	2,300	2,231	2,222	2,205	2,265
Race / Ethnicity										
White	1,553	1,630	1,631	1,622	1,678	1,713	1,636	1,672	1,682	1,675
Hispanic	288	289	289	262	297	299	315	266	280	299
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	85	96	95	86	115	85	104	91	85	114
Asian	81	75	86	90	76	101	84	97	76	87
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	46	62	51	58	55	74	66	69	56	61
Other/Unknown	34	27	32	24	24	28	26	27	26	29
Average Age (Yrs.)	27.9	27.9	27.9	27.9	27.8	28.5	28.6	28.4	28.6	28.8
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	52	55	48	56	48	33	44	35	29	24
Marital Status (Married)	1,499	1,590	1,547	1,492	1,552	1,625	1,592	1,538	1,521	1,575
High School Education	1,729	1,818	1,841	1,827	1,921	1,978	1,928	1,934	1,934	2,001
Smoking History (Yes)	150	155	176	158	164	183	138	201	198	190
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	1,215	1,289	1,297	1,299	1,415	1,590	1,499	1,626	1,585	1,526
Second Trimester	647	669	675	617	624	497	512	432	478	530
Third Trimester	102	99	106	107	105	90	87	73	70	91
None	10	8	8	27	35	34	34	14	25	30
Unknown	113	114	98	92	66	89	99	77	47	88
Low Birthweight¹	83	67	81	88	67	88	91	83	80	83
Singleton Liveborn	2,046	2,132	2,141	2,097	2,201	2,263	2,180	2,173	2,151	2,216

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Race / Ethnicity										
White	74.4%	74.8%	74.7%	75.7%	74.7%	74.5%	73.3%	75.2%	76.3%	74.0%
Hispanic	13.8%	13.3%	13.2%	12.2%	13.2%	13.0%	14.1%	12.0%	12.7%	13.2%
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	4.1%	4.4%	4.3%	4.0%	5.1%	3.7%	4.7%	4.1%	3.9%	5.0%
Asian	3.9%	3.4%	3.9%	4.2%	3.4%	4.4%	3.8%	4.4%	3.4%	3.8%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	2.2%	2.8%	2.3%	2.7%	2.4%	3.2%	3.0%	3.1%	2.5%	2.7%
Other/Unknown	1.6%	1.2%	1.5%	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	2.5%	2.5%	2.2%	2.6%	2.1%	1.4%	2.0%	1.6%	1.3%	1.1%
Marital Status (Married)	71.8%	73.0%	70.8%	69.7%	69.1%	70.7%	71.4%	69.2%	69.0%	69.5%
High School Education	82.8%	83.4%	84.3%	85.3%	85.6%	86.0%	86.4%	87.0%	87.7%	88.3%
Smoking History (Yes)	7.2%	7.1%	8.1%	7.4%	7.3%	8.0%	6.2%	9.0%	9.0%	8.4%
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	58.2%	59.2%	59.4%	60.6%	63.0%	69.1%	67.2%	73.2%	71.9%	67.4%
Second Trimester	31.0%	30.7%	30.9%	28.8%	27.8%	21.6%	22.9%	19.4%	21.7%	23.4%
Third Trimester	4.9%	4.5%	4.9%	5.0%	4.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.3%	3.2%	4.0%
None	0.5%	0.4%	0.4%	1.3%	1.6%	1.5%	1.5%	0.6%	1.1%	1.3%
Unknown	5.4%	5.2%	4.5%	4.3%	2.9%	3.9%	4.4%	3.5%	2.1%	3.9%
Low Birthweight¹										
Singleton Liveborn	4.1%	3.1%	3.8%	4.2%	3.0%	3.9%	4.2%	3.8%	3.7%	3.7%

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Women Who Gave Birth	1,018	1,028	1,018	1,003	1,091	1,151	1,101	1,076	1,125	1,140
All women	2,087	2,179	2,184	2,142	2,245	2,300	2,231	2,222	2,205	2,265
Race / Ethnicity										
White	625	622	608	626	682	718	644	689	724	698
Hispanic	225	233	239	204	235	242	262	213	230	245
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	74	79	81	72	95	72	95	75	71	97
Asian	36	35	41	42	33	47	35	43	41	38
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	31	41	30	44	31	55	49	40	40	40
Other/Unknown	27	18	19	15	15	17	16	16	19	22
Average Age (Yrs.)	25.4	25.7	25.4	25.5	25.5	26.3	26.3	26.3	26.8	27.1
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	50	53	48	53	47	32	43	31	29	23
Marital Status (Married)	482	511	455	436	495	563	527	492	517	543
High School Education	696	709	714	720	798	855	822	820	878	897
Smoking History (Yes)	128	132	142	133	135	167	123	180	173	163
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	471	442	477	464	572	684	681	723	730	695
Second Trimester	383	441	403	397	388	337	309	264	305	316
Third Trimester	80	71	74	76	79	67	38	41	47	56
None	9	3	5	16	21	20	21	8	15	20
Unknown	75	71	59	50	31	43	52	40	28	53
Maternity Support Services¹	851	843	815	817	839	724	682	595	564	480
Average No. MSS Visits	7.6	7.5	6.7	6.5	6.1	4.4	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.0
Infant Case Management²	213	169	154	181	148	115	87	89	82	88
Average No. ICM Visits	4.2	3.3	3.0	5.2	3.3	3.7	5.6	4.9	4.5	4.9
Low Birthweight³	51	46	42	48	35	60	66	50	46	51
Singleton Liveborn	1,007	1,010	993	985	1,071	1,133	1,077	1,047	1,096	1,113

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% of All women	48.8%	47.2%	46.6%	46.8%	48.6%	50.0%	49.4%	48.4%	51.0%	50.3%
Race / Ethnicity										
White	61.4%	60.5%	59.7%	62.4%	62.5%	62.4%	58.5%	64.0%	64.4%	61.2%
Hispanic	22.1%	22.7%	23.5%	20.3%	21.5%	21.0%	23.8%	19.8%	20.4%	21.5%
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	7.3%	7.7%	8.0%	7.2%	8.7%	6.3%	8.6%	7.0%	6.3%	8.5%
Asian	3.5%	3.4%	4.0%	4.2%	3.0%	4.1%	3.2%	4.0%	3.6%	3.3%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	3.0%	4.0%	2.9%	4.4%	2.8%	4.8%	4.5%	3.7%	3.6%	3.5%
Other/Unknown	2.7%	1.8%	1.9%	1.5%	1.4%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.7%	1.9%
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	4.9%	5.2%	4.7%	5.3%	4.3%	2.8%	3.9%	2.9%	2.6%	2.0%
Marital Status (Married)	47.3%	49.7%	44.7%	43.5%	45.4%	48.9%	47.9%	45.7%	46.0%	47.6%
High School Education	68.4%	69.0%	70.1%	71.8%	73.1%	74.3%	74.7%	76.2%	78.0%	78.7%
Smoking History (Yes)	12.6%	12.8%	13.9%	13.3%	12.4%	14.5%	11.2%	16.7%	15.4%	14.3%
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	46.3%	43.0%	46.9%	46.3%	52.4%	59.4%	61.9%	67.2%	64.9%	61.0%
Second Trimester	37.6%	42.9%	39.6%	39.6%	35.6%	29.3%	28.1%	24.5%	27.1%	27.7%
Third Trimester	7.9%	6.9%	7.3%	7.6%	7.2%	5.8%	3.5%	3.8%	4.2%	4.9%
None	0.9%	0.3%	0.5%	1.6%	1.9%	1.7%	1.9%	0.7%	1.3%	1.8%
Unknown	7.4%	6.9%	5.8%	5.0%	2.8%	3.7%	4.7%	3.7%	2.5%	4.6%
Maternity Support Services¹	83.6%	82.0%	80.1%	81.5%	76.9%	62.9%	61.9%	55.3%	50.1%	42.1%
Infant Case Management²	20.9%	16.4%	15.1%	18.0%	13.6%	10.0%	7.9%	8.3%	7.3%	7.7%
Low Birthweight³										
Singleton Liveborn	5.1%	4.6%	4.2%	4.9%	3.3%	5.3%	6.1%	4.8%	4.2%	4.6%

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Women Who Gave Birth	122	115	116	104	108	85	105	74	86	71
All Medicaid women	1,018	1,028	1,018	1,003	1,091	1,151	1,101	1,076	1,125	1,140
Race / Ethnicity										
White	6	3	2	3	6	1	6	-	3	3
Hispanic	103	105	104	93	97	77	96	64	77	63
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Asian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Other/Unknown	13	7	10	8	5	7	3	10	6	5
Average Age (Yrs.)	26.0	26.4	26.1	26.8	26.9	26.7	28.6	27.1	29.2	29.5
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	8	6	2	3	3	-	-	-	2	-
Marital Status (Married)	67	70	66	52	59	45	57	40	43	38
High School Education	34	33	40	34	38	29	39	27	34	28
Smoking History (Yes)	1	1	2	1	2	-	1	-	1	1
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	40	37	43	45	51	45	61	54	51	42
Second Trimester	58	60	53	43	41	24	30	18	27	20
Third Trimester	15	9	13	6	12	8	2	1	5	3
None	-	1	-	4	1	4	3	-	1	1
Unknown	9	8	7	6	3	4	9	1	2	5
Maternity Support Services¹	118	108	103	101	103	76	96	64	69	59
Average No. MSS Visits	10.6	11.9	9.0	9.9	9.0	7.0	7.1	7.0	6.7	7.7
Infant Case Management²	57	36	33	62	51	37	44	36	38	35
Average No. ICM Visits	5.5	3.6	4.1	7.9	4.2	4.5	8.1	7.2	6.0	5.5
Low Birthweight³	5	2	6	6	2	5	4	-	4	3
Singleton Liveborn	121	110	114	103	108	85	100	73	85	70

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Women Who Gave Birth	122	115	116	104	108	85	105	74	86	71
% of All Medicaid women	12.0%	11.2%	11.4%	10.4%	9.9%	7.4%	9.5%	6.9%	7.6%	6.2%
Race / Ethnicity										
White	4.9%	2.6%	1.7%	2.9%	5.6%	1.2%	5.7%	0.0%	3.5%	4.2%
Hispanic	84.4%	91.3%	89.7%	89.4%	89.8%	90.6%	91.4%	86.5%	89.5%	88.7%
African American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Native American	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Asian	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
More than 1 race	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Other/Unknown	10.7%	6.1%	8.6%	7.7%	4.6%	8.2%	2.9%	13.5%	7.0%	7.0%
Age Less Than 18 Yrs. Old	6.6%	5.2%	1.7%	2.9%	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	0.0%
Marital Status (Married)	54.9%	60.9%	56.9%	50.0%	54.6%	52.9%	54.3%	54.1%	50.0%	53.5%
High School Education	27.9%	28.7%	34.5%	32.7%	35.2%	34.1%	37.1%	36.5%	39.5%	39.4%
Smoking History (Yes)	0.8%	0.9%	1.7%	1.0%	1.9%	0.0%	1.0%	0.0%	1.2%	1.4%
Prenatal Care Began										
First Trimester	32.8%	32.2%	37.1%	43.3%	47.2%	52.9%	58.1%	73.0%	59.3%	59.2%
Second Trimester	47.5%	52.2%	45.7%	41.3%	38.0%	28.2%	28.6%	24.3%	31.4%	28.2%
Third Trimester	12.3%	7.8%	11.2%	5.8%	11.1%	9.4%	1.9%	1.4%	5.8%	4.2%
None	0.0%	0.9%	0.0%	3.8%	0.9%	4.7%	2.9%	0.0%	1.2%	1.4%
Unknown	7.4%	7.0%	6.0%	5.8%	2.8%	4.7%	8.6%	1.4%	2.3%	7.0%
Maternity Support Services¹	96.7%	93.9%	88.8%	97.1%	95.4%	89.4%	91.4%	86.5%	80.2%	83.1%
Infant Case Management²	46.7%	31.3%	28.4%	59.6%	47.2%	43.5%	41.9%	48.6%	44.2%	49.3%
Low Birthweight³										
Singleton Liveborn	4.1%	1.8%	5.3%	5.8%	1.9%	5.9%	4.0%	0.0%	4.7%	4.3%

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