

Data Brief 429. Decline in Perinatal Mortality in the United States, 2017–2019

Data table for Figure 1. Perinatal, late fetal, and early neonatal mortality rates: United States, 2017–2019

Specified group	2017	2018	2019
Perinatal.	5.93	5.84	5.69
Late fetal	2.84	2.79	2.73
Early neonatal	3.10	3.05	2.97

NOTES: Perinatal mortality rate is the number of infant deaths under age 7 days and fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more. Late fetal mortality rate is the number of fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more. Early neonatal mortality rate is the number of infant deaths under age 7 days per 1,000 live births.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics, National Vital Statistics System.

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**Data table for Figure 2. Perinatal mortality rates, by age of mother:
United States, 2017–2019**

Age group	2017	2018	2019
Under 20	7.61	7.29	6.86
20–24	6.15	6.14	5.95
25–29	5.64	5.69	5.46
30–34	5.28	5.19	5.10
35–39	6.20	5.90	5.90
40 and over	9.04	8.55	8.62

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Data table for Figure 3. Perinatal mortality rates, by race and Hispanic origin of mother: United States, 2017–2019

Race and Hispanic origin	2017	2018	2019
Non-Hispanic Black.	10.40	10.16	9.90
Hispanic	5.35	5.15	5.08
Non-Hispanic White.	4.86	4.84	4.68

NOTE: Perinatal mortality rate is the number of infant deaths under age 7 days and fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths at 28 weeks of gestation or more in a specified race and Hispanic-origin group.

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Data table for Figure 4. Perinatal mortality rates, by state: 2017 and 2019

Area	2017	2019
	Per 1,000	
Alabama	7.22	7.24
Alaska	6.30	4.57
Arizona	5.88	5.71
Arkansas	7.01	6.79
California	4.89	4.77
Colorado	4.94	5.17
Connecticut	5.04	4.11
Delaware	6.43	7.17
District of Columbia	7.92	6.80
Florida	6.48	6.59
Georgia	7.20	7.29
Hawaii	6.32	4.28
Idaho	4.90	5.02
Illinois	6.17	5.75
Indiana	6.90	5.98
Iowa	4.88	4.90
Kansas	5.95	5.38
Kentucky	6.79	5.49
Louisiana	5.46	6.11
Maine	6.49	6.01
Maryland	6.56	6.24
Massachusetts	4.26	4.52
Michigan	6.61	6.40
Minnesota	5.22	5.01
Mississippi	9.91	8.56
Missouri	5.99	5.83
Montana	4.31	5.22
Nebraska	5.87	4.80
Nevada	5.83	5.32
New Hampshire	4.86	4.55
New Jersey	5.21	5.04
New Mexico	4.54	4.96
New York	5.29	4.88
North Carolina	7.17	6.94
North Dakota	5.02	6.20
Ohio	7.07	6.71
Oklahoma	6.48	6.61
Oregon	5.81	4.91
Pennsylvania	6.87	6.43
Rhode Island	6.66	6.17
South Carolina	7.37	6.97
South Dakota	7.80	6.19
Tennessee	6.75	6.66
Texas	5.50	4.88
Utah	6.04	5.96
Vermont	5.64	4.65
Virginia	5.37	5.50
Washington	4.44	4.58
West Virginia	6.56	5.56
Wisconsin	5.65	6.08
Wyoming	4.48	7.44

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