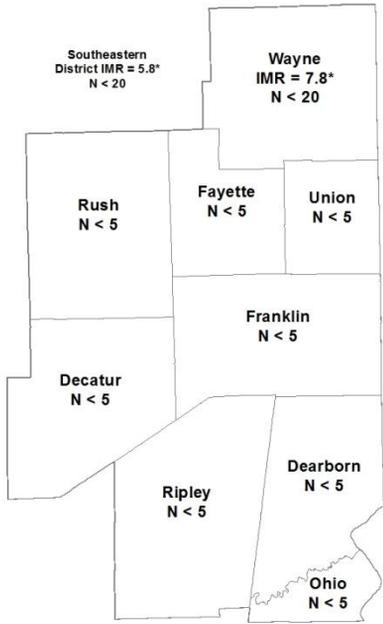


INFANT MORTALITY

Southeastern 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>)

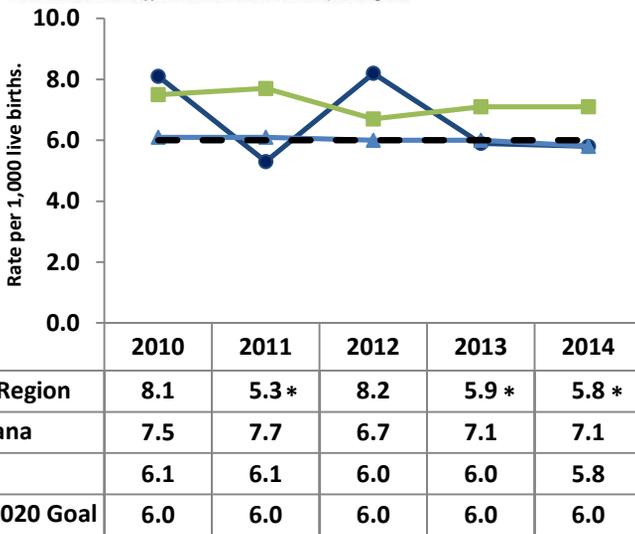


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Note: Rates have been suppressed if numerator is less than 5, including zero.

INFANT MORTALITY FACTS

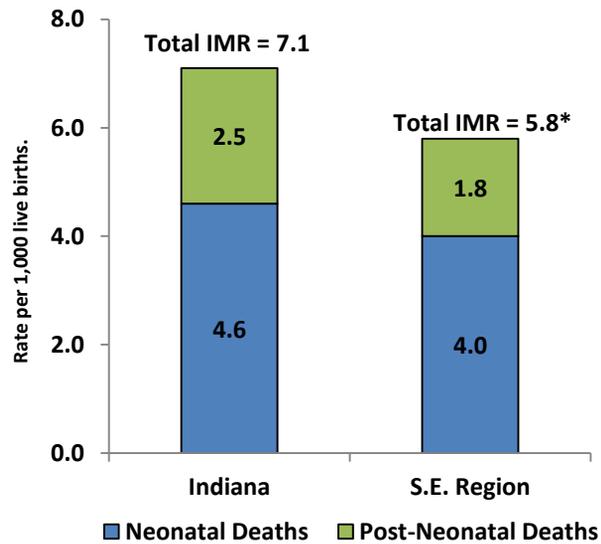
- Infant mortality is defined as the death of a baby before his or her first birthday
- The infant mortality rate (IMR) is the number of babies who die in the first year of life, per 1,000 live births
- Of the 597 Indiana infant deaths in 2014, 16 occurred in the Southeastern Hospital Region
- Black 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



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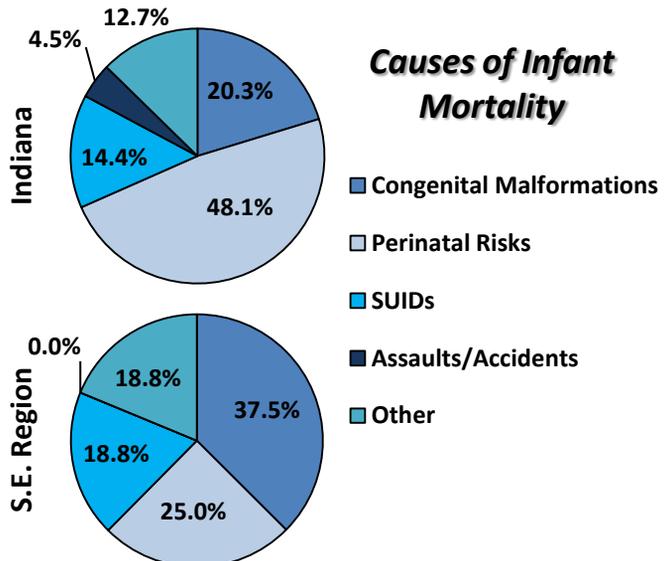
Infant Mortality Rates by Age at Death



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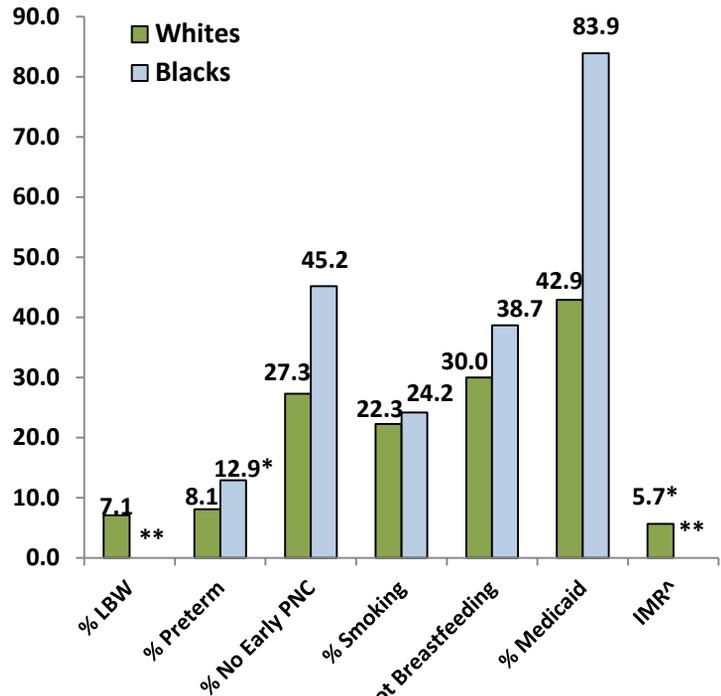
For more information on birth outcomes in your area, please see the Indiana State Department of Health Natality Report, Table 32 (<http://www.in.gov/isdh/reports/natality/2014/index.htm>)

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

SOUTHEASTERN 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
DEARBORN	7.8 2.0% Lower	9.0 7.0% Lower	22.2 31.8% Lower	21.8 44.1% Higher	30.8 48.7% Higher	33.5 23.3% Lower
DECATUR	6.3 21.2% Lower	6.9 28.8% Lower	30.3 6.7% Lower	22.8 51.1% Higher	32.4 56.7% Higher	45.3 3.8% Higher
FAYETTE	7.2*	11.6 20.1% Higher	24.5 24.6% Lower	25.7 70.2% Higher	37.8 82.4% Higher	56.6 29.6% Higher
FRANKLIN	7.6*	8.8 9.3% Lower	20.4 37.2% Lower	18.0 19.2% Higher	27.6 33.3% Higher	33.6 23.1% Lower
OHIO	1.9*	3.8*	21.2 34.9% Lower	25.0 65.6% Higher	38.5 85.8% Higher	38.5 12.0% Lower
RIPLEY	6.3 20.7% Lower	9.1 6.6% Lower	24.2 25.6% Lower	23.3 54.1% Higher	32.3 56.2% Higher	30.8 29.5% Lower
RUSH	7.5*	6.5*	37.0 13.8% Higher	21.5 42.4% Higher	25.5 23.2% Higher	46.0 5.3% Higher
UNION	9.8*	6.1*	25.6 21.2% Lower	23.2 53.4% Higher	34.1 65.0% Higher	36.6 16.3% Lower
WAYNE	7.7 3.6% Lower	7.5 23.2% Lower	35.9 10.6% Higher	20.8 37.6% Higher	26.5 28.2% Higher	54.9 25.6% Higher
S.E. REGION	7.3 8.9% Lower	8.2 15.6% Lower	28.4 12.6% Lower	21.9 45.0% Higher	30.2 45.9% Higher	43.7 No Difference
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.