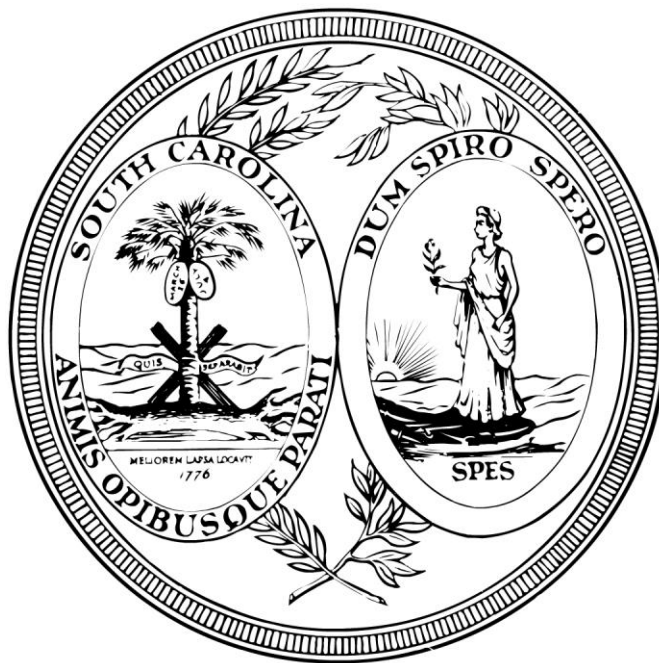


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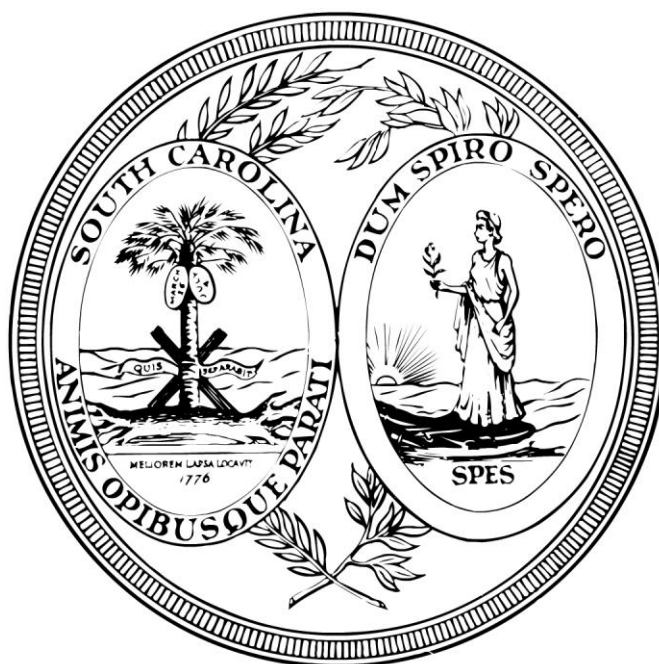
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INTRODUCTION

This report contains vital statistics data for South Carolina events that occurred in 2023. The purpose of this report is to provide basic reference data for a variety of users. Vital Statistics certificates filed with the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the South Carolina Department of Public Health are the primary source of data presented in this report. These records include certificates of live births, deaths, marriages, divorces and annulments, and reports of fetal deaths and abortions. Data are presented for South Carolina and its 46 counties. Live births, fetal deaths and deaths occurring out-of-state to South Carolina residents are also included in this report. Event information is re-allocated to the state of residence through an agreement of interstate transcript exchange.

In 2004, South Carolina established the WebBirth system. This allows hospitals to file all birth certificate information via secured internet connection. In 2005, the WebDeath system was established. This allows funeral directors, physicians and coroners to file death certificates electronically. Fetal death reports are filed by hospitals with the Bureau of Vital Statistics. Marriage and divorce certificates are transmitted to the Office from the County Probate Court and Clerk of Court, respectively.

Population estimates for the intercensal years were provided by the National Center for Health Statistics until 2020. After 2021, population estimates are provided by the US Census Bureau.

This and other reports on South Carolina Vital Statistics are available on the internet at the web address listed below. More data are available on South Carolina Community Assessment Network (SCAN), our interactive data query application, at [SCANDPH Home Page](#).

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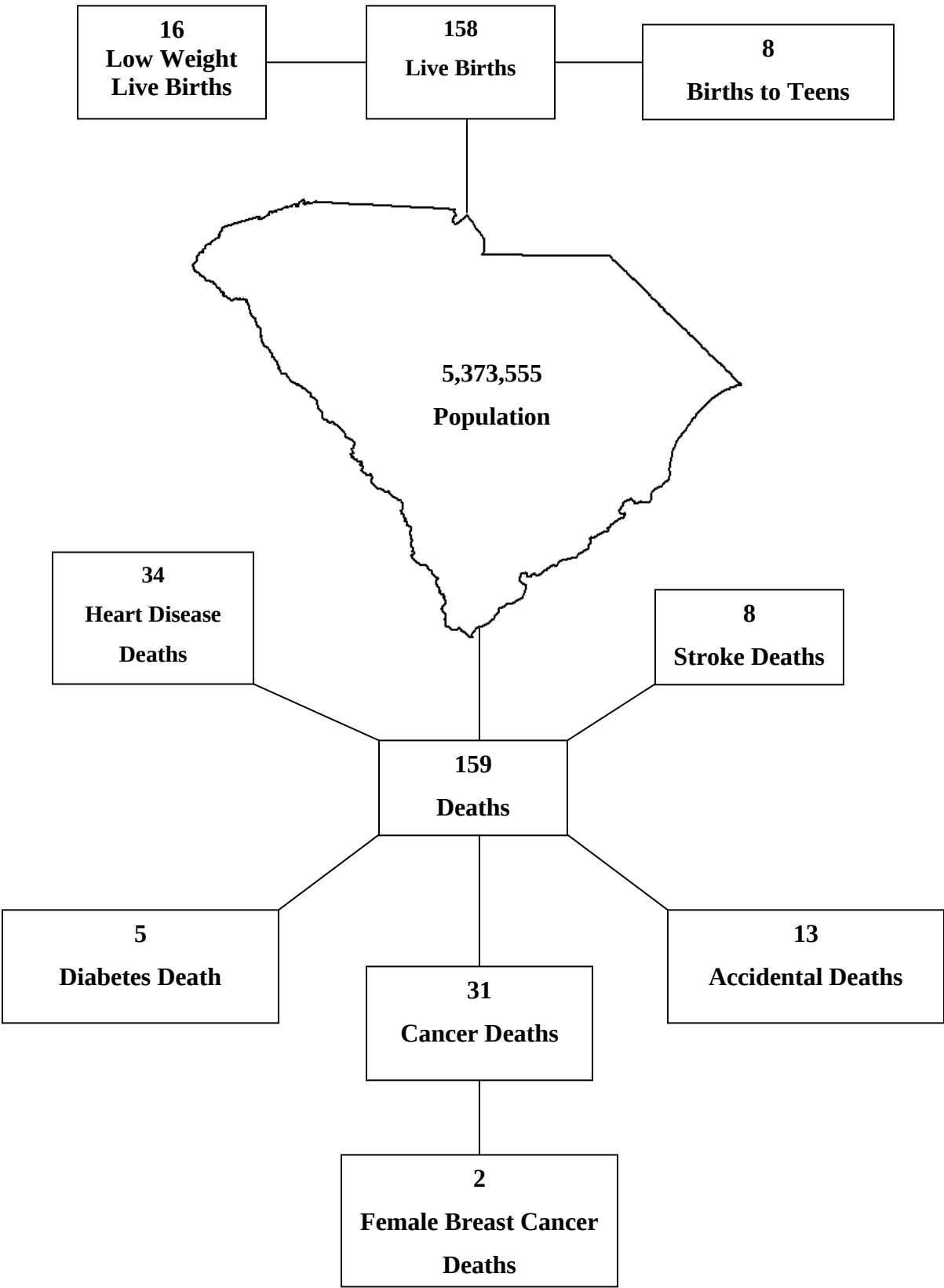
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SUMMARY OF VITAL EVENTS

On an Average Day in South Carolina, 2023



DO YOU KNOW THAT IN 2023:

The Most Common First Names by Gender and Race for South Carolina

Male

All Races	White	Black & Other
Noah	William	Noah
Liam	James	Elijah
William	John	Liam
James	Noah	Kingston
John	Liam	Amir
Elijah	Oliver	Legend
Oliver	Henry	Messiah
Henry	Hudson	Josiah
Hudson	Elijah	Kayden
Lucas	Jackson	Kaiden
Jackson	Lucas	Karter
Samuel	Waylon	Kai
Levi	Jack	Jayden
Mason	Luke	Thiago
Michael	Charles	Christian

Female

All Races	White	Black & Other
Olivia	Charlotte	Nova
Charlotte	Olivia	Ava
Amelia	Amelia	Naomi
Emma	Emma	Journee
Ava	Elizabeth	Mia
Elizabeth	Harper	Gianna
Harper	Sophia	Serenity
Sophia	Evelyn	Zuri
Nova	Eleanor	Kehlani
Evelyn	Ava	Aria
Mia	Lily	Layla
Isabella	Isla	Londyn
Eleanor	Ellie	Genesis
Ellie	Riley	Aaliyah
Lily	Scarlett	Camila

BIRTHS

The month with the most births: August (5,180)
Youngest Mother: 12 years old

Least Births: February (4,256)
Oldest Mother: 54 years old

DEATHS

The month with the most deaths: December (5,472) Least deaths: April (4,561)
The oldest person that died: 113 years old

Table A-1.
Population¹, Live Births, Deaths with Rates² by Race
South Carolina, 2004-2023
(Residence Data)

YEAR	RACE	POPULATION	RESIDENT BIRTHS		RESIDENT DEATHS	
			NUMBER	RATE	NUMBER	RATE
2004	TOTAL	4,198,070	56,543	13.5	37,152	8.8
	WHITE	2,886,440	36,872	12.8	26,353	9.1
	BLACK/OTHER	1,311,630	19,616	15.0	10,783	8.2
2005	TOTAL	4,255,080	57,538 *	13.5	38,585 *	9.1
	WHITE	2,929,360	37,367	12.8	27,755	9.5
	BLACK/OTHER	1,325,720	20,080	15.1	10,810	8.2
2006	TOTAL	4,321,250	62,191 *	14.4	38,723 *	9.0
	WHITE	2,979,810	39,950	13.4	27,662	9.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,341,440	22,127	16.5	11,030	8.2
2007	TOTAL	4,407,709	62,933 *	14.3	39,418 *	8.9
	WHITE	3,047,237	40,641	13.3	28,233	9.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,360,472	22,259	16.4	11,126	8.2
2008	TOTAL	4,479,800	63,077 *	14.1	40,197 *	9.0
	WHITE	3,104,369	40,713	13.1	29,015	9.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,375,431	22,321	16.2	10,965	8.0
2009	TOTAL	4,561,242	60,682 *	13.3	40,242 *	8.8
	WHITE	3,166,512	39,348	12.4	29,080	9.2
	BLACK/OTHER	1,394,730	21,284	15.3	10,880	7.8
2010	TOTAL	4,625,364	58,325 *	12.6	41,489 *	9.0
	WHITE	3,198,579	37,927	11.9	30,187	9.4
	BLACK/OTHER	1,426,785	20,361	14.3	10,905	7.6
2011	TOTAL	4,679,230	57,338 *	12.3	41,949 *	9.0
	WHITE	3,234,809	37,406	11.6	30,709	9.5
	BLACK/OTHER	1,444,421	19,894	13.8	10,920	7.6
2012	TOTAL	4,723,720	57,100 *	12.1	42,879 *	9.1
	WHITE	3,266,810	37,092	11.4	31,580	9.7
	BLACK/OTHER	1,456,910	19,959	13.7	11,221	7.7
2013	TOTAL	4,774,840	56,743 *	11.9	44,415 *	9.3
	WHITE	3,302,730	37,177	11.3	32,793	9.9
	BLACK/OTHER	1,472,110	19,513	13.3	11,572	7.9
2014	TOTAL	4,832,480	57,631 *	11.9	45,401 *	9.4
	WHITE	3,343,940	37,923	11.3	33,641	10.1
	BLACK/OTHER	1,488,540	19,660	13.2	11,731	7.9
2015	TOTAL	4,896,146	58,135 *	11.9	47,182 *	9.6
	WHITE	3,390,607	38,459	11.3	34,838	10.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,505,539	19,611	13.0	12,311	8.2
2016	TOTAL	4,961,119	57,337 *	11.6	48,151 *	9.7
	WHITE	3,441,510	38,264	11.1	35,503	10.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,519,609	19,025	12.5	12,627	8.3
2017	TOTAL	5,024,369	57,030 *	11.4	49,408 *	9.8
	WHITE	3,486,473	37,601	10.8	36,253	10.4
	BLACK/OTHER	1,537,896	19,385	12.6	13,135	8.5
2018	TOTAL	5,084,127	56,668 *	11.4	50,633 *	10.0
	WHITE	3,531,746	37,334	10.8	37,335	10.6
	BLACK/OTHER	1,552,381	19,277	12.6	13,289	8.6
2019	TOTAL	5,148,714	57,044 *	11.4	50,954 *	9.9
	WHITE	3,581,951	37,434	10.8	37,567	10.5
	BLACK/OTHER	1,566,763	19,525	12.6	13,372	8.5
2020	TOTAL	5,218,040	55,713 *	10.7	61,238 *	11.7
	WHITE	3,631,407	36,533	10.1	44,178	12.2
	BLACK/OTHER	1,586,633	19,126	12.1	17,020	10.7
2021	TOTAL	5,190,705	57,179 *	11.0	65,339 *	12.6
	WHITE	3,561,602	38,173	10.7	47,459	13.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,629,103	18,907	11.6	17,812	10.9
2022	TOTAL	5,282,634	57,828 *	11.0	60,903 *	12.6
	WHITE	3,637,779	35,856	10.7	45,033	13.3
	BLACK/OTHER	1,644,855	21,861	11.6	15,849	10.9
2023	TOTAL	5,373,555	57,721 *	10.7	58,008	10.8
	WHITE	3,708,583	35,940	9.7	43,157	11.6
	BLACK/OTHER	1,664,972	21,766	13.1	14,851	8.9

¹ ACTUAL CENSUS COUNTS FOR 2000, 2010; ESTIMATED POPULATION FOR INTERCENSAL YEARS

² RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION

* INCLUDES UNKNOWN RACE

Table A-2
Live Birth to Unmarried Mothers, Low Weight Births, Fetal Deaths, Infant Deaths
and Maternal Deaths with Rates by Race
South Carolina, 2004-2023
(Residence Data)

	RACE	LIVE BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED MOTHERS		LOW WEIGHT LIVE BIRTHS		FETAL DEATHS		INFANT DEATHS UNDER 1 YEAR		INFANT DEATHS UNDER 28 DAYS		MATERNAL DEATHS	
		NUMBER	RATE ¹	NUMBER	RATE ¹	NUMBER	RATE ²	NUMBER	RATE ¹	NUMBER	RATE ¹	NUMBER	RATE ³
2004	TOTAL	23,600 *	417.4	5,769 *	102.0	494	8.7	524	9.3	363	6.4	3	0.5
	WHITE	9,876	267.8	2,837	76.9	211	5.7	236	6.4	165	4.5	1	0.3
	BLACK/OTHER	13,702	698.5	2,924	149.1	281	14.1	288	14.7	198	10.1	2	1.0
2005	TOTAL	24,984 *	434.2	5,895 *	102.5	525 *	9.0	549	9.5	341	5.9	12	1.9
	WHITE	10,732	287.2	2,882	77.1	225	5.9	261	7.0	161	4.3	6	1.5
	BLACK/OTHER	14,212	707.8	2,991	149.0	294	14.4	286	14.2	179	8.9	6	2.7
2006	TOTAL	28,195 *	453.4	6,312 *	101.5	617	9.8	520	8.4	342	5.5	8	1.3
	WHITE	12,227	306.1	3,016	75.5	284	7.1	231	5.8	146	3.7	5	1.3
	BLACK/OTHER	15,933	720.1	3,284	148.4	330	14.7	288	13.0	195	8.8	3	1.4
2007	TOTAL	29,187 *	463.8	6,401 *	101.7	579 *	9.1	538	8.5	357	5.7	17	2.7
	WHITE	12,927	318.1	3,104	76.4	225	5.5	243	6.0	162	4.0	9	2.2
	BLACK/OTHER	16,247	729.9	3,287	147.7	352	15.6	295	13.3	195	8.8	7	3.1
2008	TOTAL	29,797 *	472.4	6,238 *	98.9	542	8.5	504	8.0	310	4.9	20	3.2
	WHITE	13,199	324.2	3,065	75.3	245	6.0	245	6.0	148	3.6	6	1.5
	BLACK/OTHER	16,586	743.1	3,167	141.9	295	13.0	258	11.6	161	7.2	13	5.8
2009	TOTAL	28,476 *	469.3	6,057 *	99.8	570 *	9.3	430	7.1	260	4.3	18	3.0
	WHITE	12,707	322.9	3,024	76.9	227	5.7	198	5.0	119	3.7	9	2.3
	BLACK/OTHER	15,756	740.3	3,029	142.3	341	15.8	232	10.9	141	6.6	8	3.8
2010	TOTAL	27,379 *	477.5	5,782 *	100.8	545	9.3	430	7.5	266	4.6	14	2.4
	WHITE	12,272	328.1	2,816	75.3	247	6.5	188	5.0	117	3.1	7	1.8
	BLACK/OTHER	15,098	758.9	2,963	148.9	298	14.4	220	11.1	149	7.5	5	2.5
2011	TOTAL	26,887 *	473.8	5,654 *	99.6	512 *	9.3	423	7.5	254	4.5	11	1.9
	WHITE	12,240	329.2	2,806	75.5	237	6.5	182	4.9	104	2.8	1	0.3
	BLACK/OTHER	14,647	750.6	2,846	145.9	275	13.3	241	12.4	150	7.7	10	5.0
2012	TOTAL	27,267 *	480.5	5,453 *	96.1	516	9.0	435	7.7	270	4.8	10	1.8
	WHITE	12,617	339.4	2,683	72.2	221	5.9	199	5.4	120	3.2	6	1.6
	BLACK/OTHER	14,650	750.8	2,768	141.9	294	14.5	236	12.1	150	7.7	4	2.0
2013	TOTAL	26,741 *	464.0	5,498 *	95.4	441 *	7.7	389	6.7	263	4.6	12	2.1
	WHITE	12,340	325.4	2,785	73.4	194	5.2	192	5.1	133	3.5	3	0.8
	BLACK/OTHER	14,401	732.5	2,706	137.6	243	12.5	197	10.0	130	6.6	9	4.6
2014	TOTAL	27,182 *	472.0	5,437 *	94.4	498	8.6	372	6.5	246	4.3	19	3.3
	WHITE	12,771	336.8	2,719	71.7	233	6.1	173	4.6	111	2.9	5	1.3
	BLACK/OTHER	14,411	733.0	2,718	138.3	265	13.5	199	10.1	135	6.9	14	7.1
2015	TOTAL	26,975 *	464.0	5,549 *	95.5	440 *	7.5	405	7.0	265	4.6	12	2.1
	WHITE	12,722	330.8	2,761	71.8	209	5.4	186	5.1	122	3.2	7	1.8
	BLACK/OTHER	14,237	726.0	2,774	141.5	230	11.6	217	10.1	142	7.2	5	2.5
2016	TOTAL	25,884 *	451.4	5,497 *	95.9	458	7.9	401	7.0	253	4.4	16	2.8
	WHITE	12,309	321.7	2,810	73.4	225	5.8	210	5.5	112	2.9	7	1.8
	BLACK/OTHER	13,558	712.6	2,682	141.0	229	11.9	191	10.0	139	7.3	9	4.7
2017	TOTAL	26,219 *	459.7	5,521 *	96.8	395 *	6.9	371	6.5	239	4.2	12	2.1
	WHITE	12,361	328.7	2,694	71.6	186	4.9	196	5.2	113	3.0	4	1.1
	BLACK/OTHER	13,845	714.2	2,824	145.7	201	10.3	174	9.0	124	6.4	8	4.1
2018	TOTAL	26,052 *	459.7	5,443 *	96.1	348	6.1	406	7.2	272	4.8	14	2.5
	WHITE	12,263	328.7	2,630	70.4	142	3.8	186	5.0	124	3.3	8	2.1
	BLACK/OTHER	13,780	714.2	2,806	145.6	197	10.2	220	11.4	148	7.7	6	3.1
2019	TOTAL	26,509 *	467.8	5,622 *	98.6	351 *	6.2	391	6.9	256	4.5	21	3.7
	WHITE	12,521	335.4	2,699	72.1	142	3.8	160	4.3	103	2.8	8	2.1
	BLACK/OTHER	13,955	723.9	2,911	149.1	204	10.4	230	11.8	152	7.8	13	6.7
2020	TOTAL	25,886 *	464.8	5,480 *	98.4	338	6.1	364	6.5	247	4.4	17	3.1
	WHITE	12,100	331.2	2,660	72.8	122	3.3	153	4.2	107	2.9	5	1.4
	BLACK/OTHER	13,779	720.4	2,812	147.0	213	11.1	205	10.7	135	7.1	12	6.3
2021	TOTAL	25,796 *	451.1	5,730 *	100.2	330 *	5.7	416	7.3	269	4.7	25	4.4
	WHITE	12,301	322.2	2,847	74.6	157	4.1	181	4.7	121	3.2	13	3.4
	BLACK/OTHER	13,465	712.2	2,868	151.7	169	8.9	233	12.3	136	7.2	12	6.3
2022	TOTAL	25,939	448.6	5,798	100.3	358	6.2	392	6.8	256	4.4	18	3.1
	WHITE	10,706	298.6	2,610	72.8	184	5.1	179	5.0	119	3.3	8	2.2
	BLACK/OTHER	15,184	694.6	3,172	145.1	166	7.5	213	9.7	124	5.7	10	4.6
2023	TOTAL	25,806 *	447.1	5,768 *	99.9	313 *	5.4	408	7.1	254	4.4	12	2.1
	WHITE	10,628	295.7	2,599	72.3	136	3.8	194	5.4	131	3.6	5	1.4
	BLACK/OTHER	15,172	697.1	3,164	145.4	170	7.7	214	9.8	123	5.7	7	3.2

¹ RATE PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS

² FETAL DEATHS: RATES PER 1,000 DELIVERIES (LIVE BIRTHS PLUS FETAL DEATHS)

³ RATE PER 10,000 LIVE BIRTHS

* INCLUDES UNKNOWN RACE

Table A-3.
Live Births
South Carolina and Each County, 2014-2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
South Carolina	57,631	58,135	57,337	57,030	56,668	57,044	55,713	57,179	57,828	57,721
Abbeville	248	246	208	241	235	245	230	222	224	241
Aiken	1,901	1,997	1,964	1,860	1,898	1,805	1,902	1,932	1,977	1,906
Allendale	103	77	74	88	82	59	71	63	72	70
Anderson	2,273	2,254	2,320	2,296	2,257	2,171	2,152	2,296	2,416	2,362
Bamberg	148	122	128	127	133	154	133	134	123	128
Barnwell	265	247	248	241	235	271	280	245	231	247
Beaufort	2,046	2,057	1,956	2,012	1,911	1,868	1,855	1,876	1,843	1,894
Berkeley	2,650	2,722	2,756	2,696	2,800	2,872	2,776	2,873	3,058	3,130
Calhoun	126	150	122	142	138	122	112	123	128	121
Charleston	4,961	4,991	5,010	4,799	4,860	4,960	4,896	5,033	5,028	4,856
Cherokee	700	676	653	663	677	627	643	655	620	625
Chester	388	376	354	363	364	396	342	317	315	344
Chesterfield	521	518	483	507	507	469	470	499	498	487
Clarendon	353	332	313	321	316	313	304	292	290	279
Colleton	449	482	441	454	461	462	441	455	412	439
Darlington	800	843	774	743	769	774	751	735	738	714
Dillon	400	412	389	426	408	429	381	389	357	343
Dorchester	1,907	1,817	1,799	1,865	1,836	1,860	1,891	1,946	2,074	1,990
Edgefield	194	210	197	185	196	188	162	176	196	217
Fairfield	195	213	206	220	201	194	191	200	173	170
Florence	1,763	1,697	1,656	1,697	1,616	1,625	1,590	1,613	1,593	1,564
Georgetown	562	551	578	528	541	512	485	488	482	497
Greenville	6,340	6,421	6,292	6,409	6,227	6,256	6,225	6,615	6,554	6,600
Greenwood	865	820	794	859	786	840	787	751	727	746
Hampton	220	213	207	206	199	190	206	193	198	205
Horry	3,051	3,178	3,125	3,170	3,157	3,156	3,097	3,243	3,333	3,372
Jasper	379	356	349	369	362	352	376	387	385	451
Kershaw	741	751	793	728	740	744	690	743	795	758
Lancaster	1,005	1,043	1,062	990	1,024	985	1,044	1,105	1,108	1,234
Laurens	736	761	779	791	804	753	718	731	751	750
Lee	175	158	190	188	159	183	157	150	178	166
Lexington	3,207	3,205	3,261	3,204	3,223	3,199	3,157	3,389	3,335	3,136
McCormick	87	56	52	62	49	51	49	63	56	57
Marion	404	382	369	356	350	309	353	322	291	326
Marlboro	302	342	277	292	269	287	273	266	247	258
Newberry	461	455	453	398	409	427	388	416	424	420
Oconee	801	792	748	722	694	686	655	626	725	671
Orangeburg	953	1,004	970	953	1,010	951	847	818	852	793
Pickens	1,295	1,254	1,225	1,169	1,147	1,284	1,155	1,168	1,279	1,204
Richland	4,768	5,010	4,803	4,654	4,689	4,837	4,637	4,598	4,464	4,536
Saluda	279	251	237	218	243	208	224	235	259	207
Spartanburg	3,574	3,560	3,689	3,821	3,850	4,000	3,802	3,875	4,217	4,413
Sumter	1,459	1,527	1,379	1,386	1,346	1,413	1,401	1,343	1,330	1,296
Union	325	314	326	304	300	274	287	244	243	236
Williamsburg	342	357	317	352	267	298	257	263	289	255
York	2,909	2,933	3,011	2,955	2,920	2,979	2,860	3,063	2,940	3,007
Unknown	-	2	-	-	3	6	10	10	-	-

Table A-4.
Deaths
South Carolina and Each County, 2014-2023
(Residence Data)

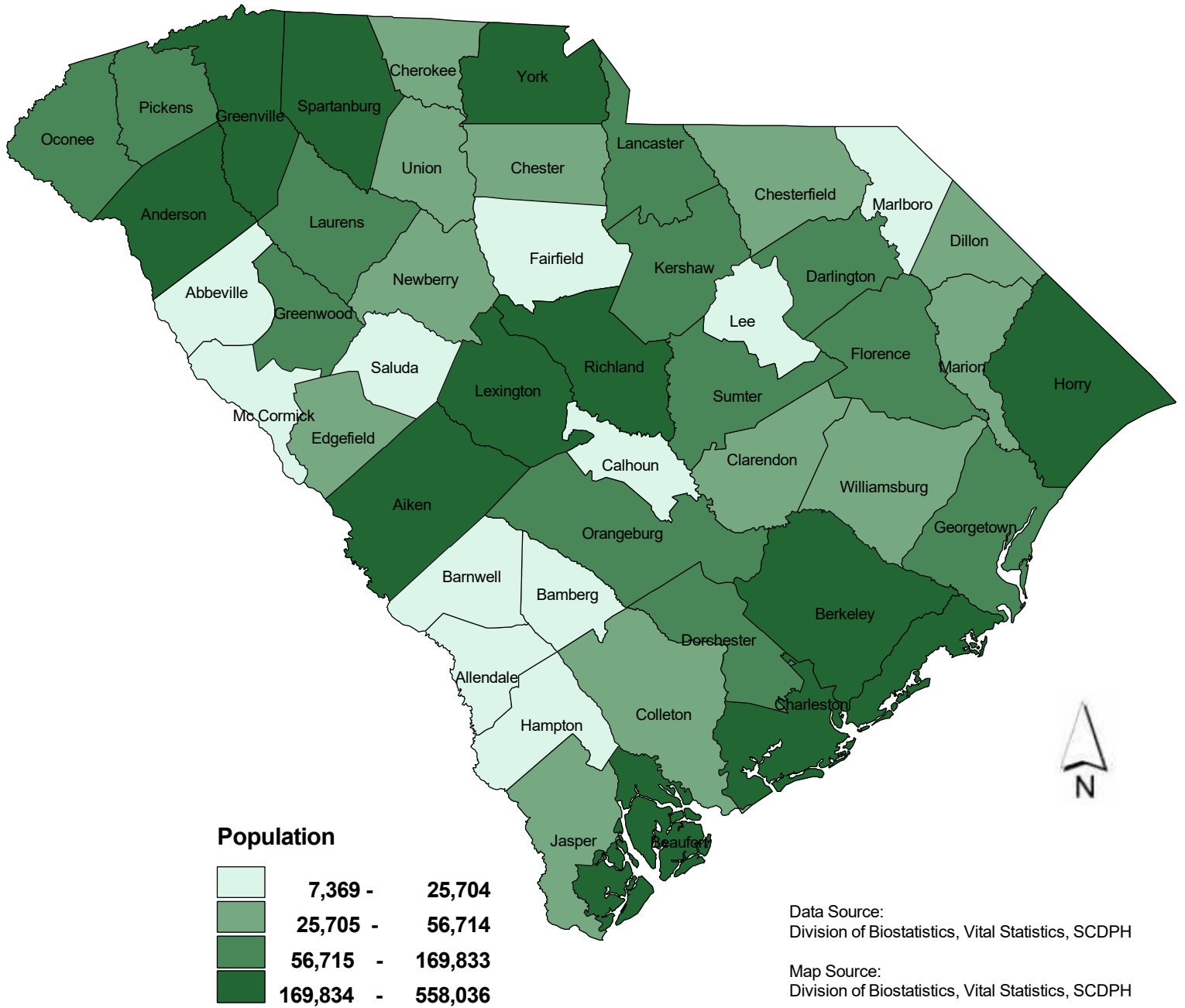
County of Residence	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
South Carolina	45,401	47,182	48,151	49,408	50,633	50,954	61,238	65,339	60,903	58,008
Abbeville	278	304	332	283	330	299	368	418	348	318
Aiken	1,724	1,675	1,721	1,860	1,903	1,890	2,235	2,505	2,285	2,114
Allendale	130	101	111	132	137	116	139	155	110	120
Anderson	1,990	2,202	2,312	2,203	2,270	2,249	2,870	3,033	2,712	2,619
Bamberg	165	188	197	180	228	184	255	237	234	221
Barnwell	262	243	270	273	261	266	342	317	304	274
Beaufort	1,532	1,487	1,605	1,609	1,629	1,692	1,930	2,112	2,162	2,040
Berkeley	1,356	1,386	1,503	1,520	1,550	1,663	1,900	2,143	2,085	2,014
Calhoun	171	177	165	173	203	166	228	235	216	235
Charleston	2,980	3,207	3,171	3,361	3,323	3,459	3,843	3,837	3,823	3,609
Cherokee	584	673	617	659	704	693	815	935	746	749
Chester	435	380	405	449	440	460	572	546	546	441
Chesterfield	520	517	546	514	564	540	698	693	654	589
Clarendon	404	385	382	428	435	403	578	563	511	428
Colleton	531	502	542	554	561	535	664	730	629	600
Darlington	830	799	869	914	859	871	1,047	1,099	1,038	891
Dillon	375	386	402	375	357	400	520	504	447	445
Dorchester	990	1,101	1,180	1,182	1,268	1,219	1,471	1,592	1,466	1,531
Edgefield	225	228	234	225	246	234	328	366	339	286
Fairfield	304	302	292	316	275	302	373	390	360	319
Florence	1,478	1,435	1,515	1,492	1,638	1,684	2,024	2,063	1,854	1,762
Georgetown	677	772	781	781	812	826	1,035	1,054	1,019	961
Greenville	4,008	4,289	4,419	4,413	4,536	4,388	5,312	5,781	5,485	5,096
Greenwood	694	756	753	834	862	822	995	1,014	934	843
Hampton	215	218	239	246	238	269	291	295	261	271
Horry	3,153	3,289	3,500	3,637	3,819	3,914	4,755	5,271	5,113	5,047
Jasper	235	237	215	257	274	276	325	388	427	409
Kershaw	605	683	698	646	682	743	872	985	852	814
Lancaster	848	884	874	909	904	1,011	1,164	1,296	1,184	1,159
Laurens	813	805	804	927	888	903	996	1,128	937	967
Lee	215	225	266	247	258	258	296	297	262	250
Lexington	2,279	2,378	2,469	2,579	2,601	2,664	3,098	3,294	3,248	3,134
McCormick	135	131	130	155	135	179	158	180	165	154
Marion	426	413	417	422	448	443	546	515	471	455
Marlboro	352	366	372	349	312	393	421	459	425	360
Newberry	405	490	438	411	440	450	592	562	537	487
Oconee	863	913	835	942	1,008	947	1,034	1,196	1,158	1,119
Orangeburg	1,101	1,036	1,034	1,072	1,133	1,109	1,364	1,418	1,289	1,232
Pickens	1,182	1,194	1,183	1,228	1,249	1,317	1,595	1,699	1,455	1,477
Richland	2,915	3,045	3,030	3,123	3,194	3,051	3,841	3,994	3,675	3,511
Saluda	234	222	230	208	207	213	309	286	281	218
Spartanburg	2,951	3,100	3,046	3,184	3,244	3,255	3,894	4,309	3,846	3,697
Sumter	1,091	1,142	1,121	1,178	1,179	1,144	1,435	1,514	1,280	1,272
Union	365	407	429	369	400	389	480	519	464	433
Williamsburg	386	429	406	430	443	422	556	542	467	446
York	1,985	2,072	2,070	2,153	2,168	2,240	2,650	2,845	2,798	2,591
Unknown	4	8	21	6	18	3	24	25	1	-

POPULATION

Figure B-1

South Carolina Census Population by County

2023



SUMMARY OF POPULATION

The estimated population of South Carolina for 2023 was 5,373,555; an increase of 90,921 from the 2022 estimated population of 5,282,634. The 2023 population showed an increase of 13.0 percent over the 2013 estimated population of 4,774,839.

Race and Age: In 2013, there were 3,302,732 white and 1,472,107 black and other persons residing in South Carolina. The 2023, 12.3 percent increase in white population and 13.1 percent increase in the black and other population. As shown below, of the ten-year population change from 2013 to 2023, the 75 and Over age group showed the greatest percentage increase. Age groups 0-4, 20-24 and 45-54 showed a decrease in population from 2013 to 2023. The age distribution and the percent change in the number of residents from 2013 to 2023 are as follows:

Table B-1.
Percent of Population by Age Group
South Carolina 2013 and 2023

Age Groups	2013		2023		Percent Change 2013-2023
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent	
Total	4,774,839	100.0	5,373,555	100.0	12.5
0-4 Years	292,316	6.1	291,612	5.4	-0.2
5-9 Years	305,508	6.4	313,144	5.8	2.5
10-14 Years	303,358	6.4	327,903	6.1	8.1
15-19 Years	311,344	6.5	355,001	6.6	14.0
20-24 Years	355,328	7.4	343,356	6.4	-3.4
25-34 Years	614,216	12.9	689,486	12.8	12.3
35-44 Years	594,770	12.5	671,491	12.5	12.9
45-54 Years	650,169	13.6	641,277	11.9	-1.4
55-64 Years	620,062	13.0	702,354	13.1	13.3
65-74 Years	440,924	9.2	619,808	11.5	40.6
75 and Over	286,844	6.0	418,123	7.8	45.8

Table B-2.
Population, Live Births, Deaths, and Natural Increase
South Carolina (1999-2023)
(Residence Data)

Year	Population	Resident Births		Resident Deaths		Natural Increase
		Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*	(Births minus Death)
1999	3,885,740	54,706	14.1	35,972	9.3	18,734
2000	4,012,012	55,964	13.9	36,816	9.2	19,148
2001	4,063,010	55,748	13.7	36,576	9.0	19,172
2002	4,107,180	54,453	13.3	37,679	9.2	16,774
2003	4,147,150	55,461	13.4	37,920	9.1	17,541
2004	4,198,070	56,543	13.5	37,152	8.8	19,391
2005	4,255,080	57,538	13.5	38,585	9.1	18,953
2006	4,321,249	62,191	14.4	38,723	9.0	23,468
2007	4,407,709	62,933	14.3	39,418	8.9	23,515
2008	4,479,800	63,077	14.1	40,197	9.0	22,880
2009	4,561,240	60,682	13.3	40,242	8.8	20,440
2010	4,625,364	58,325	12.6	41,489	9.0	16,836
2011	4,679,230	57,338	12.3	41,949	9.0	15,389
2012	4,723,723	57,100	12.1	42,879	9.1	14,221
2013	4,774,839	56,743	11.9	44,415	9.3	12,328
2014	4,832,482	57,631	11.9	45,401	9.4	12,230
2015	4,896,146	58,135	11.9	47,182	9.6	10,953
2016	4,961,119	57,337	11.6	48,151	9.7	9,186
2017	5,024,369	57,030	11.4	49,408	9.8	7,622
2018	5,084,127	56,668	11.1	50,633	10.0	6,035
2019	5,148,714	57,044	11.1	50,954	9.9	6,090
2020	5,218,040	55,713	10.7	61,238	11.7	-5,525
2021	5,190,705	57,179	11.0	65,339	12.6	-8,160
2022	5,282,634	57,828	10.9	60,903	11.5	-3,075
2023	5,373,555	57,721	10.7	58,008	10.8	-287

* Rate per 1,000 population

Table B-3.
Population and Percent by Race
South Carolina and Each County
(Residence Data)

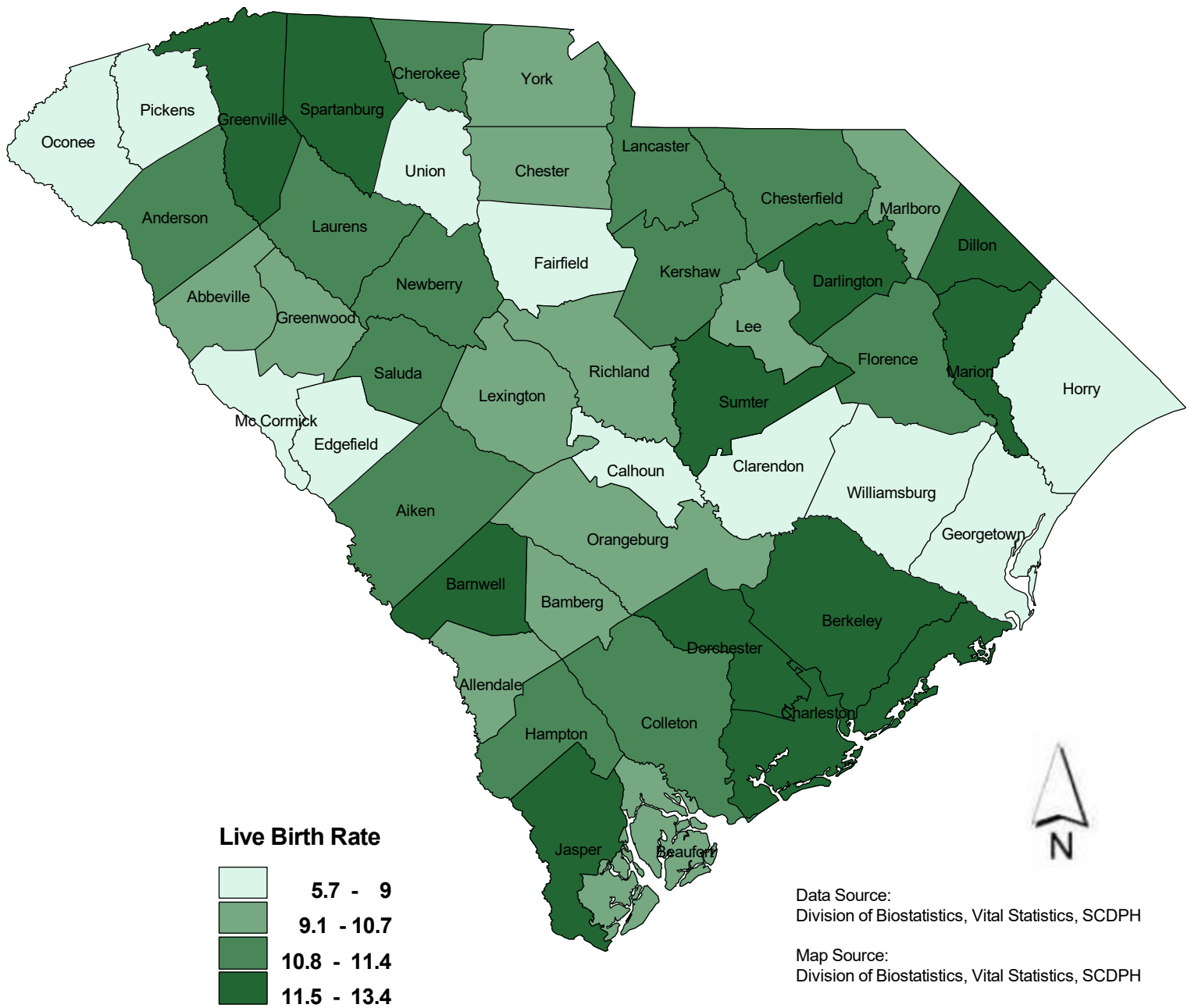
County of Residence	Total	Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	5,373,555	3,378,794	62.9	1,594,213	29.7	400,548	7.5
Abbeville							
Aiken							
Allendale							
Anderson							
Bamberg							
Barnwell							
Beaufort							
Berkeley							
Calhoun							
Charleston							
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Marlboro							
Newberry							
Oconee							
Orangeburg							
Pickens							
Richland							
Saluda							
Spartanburg							
Sumter							
Union							
Williamsburg							
York							

Note: According to the agreement with US Census, the county level data is not permitted to be published

BIRTH

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Figure C-1
Live Birth Rates* by County
2023
(Residence Data)



*Rate calculated per 1,000 population

Table C-1.
Live Births and Birth Rates¹ by Race of Mother
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1999	54,706 *	14.1	34,683	12.9	20,004	16.6		
2000	55,964 *	13.9	35,146	12.8	20,803	16.5		
2001	55,748 *	13.7	35,731	12.7	20,008	15.7		
2002	54,453 *	13.3	32,150	11.9	19,072	14.8	3,188	29.2
2003	55,461 *	13.4	32,553	12.0	19,184	14.6	3,671	32.1
2004	56,543 *	13.5	32,743	11.8	19,443	15.0	4,332	33.2
2005	57,538 *	13.5	32,680	11.7	19,845	15.1	4,970	35.6
2006	62,191 *	14.4	34,388	12.1	21,910	16.6	5,863	38.8
2007	62,933 *	14.3	34,710	12.0	21,953	16.4	6,237	36.9
2008	63,077 *	14.1	34,711	11.8	22,094	16.3	6,229	33.9
2009	60,682 *	13.3	34,017	11.4	21,058	15.4	5,557	26.9
2010	58,325 *	12.6	33,136	11.1	20,118	14.5	5,034	21.4
2011	57,338 *	12.3	32,868	10.9	19,606	13.9	4,826	19.6
2012	57,100 *	12.1	32,768	10.7	19,634	13.8	4,649	18.6
2013	56,743 *	11.9	33,082	10.7	19,248	13.4	4,360	17.1
2014	57,631 *	11.9	33,691	10.8	19,324	13.3	4,568	17.5
2015	58,135 *	11.9	33,933	10.7	19,285	13.2	4,852	18.1
2016	57,337 *	11.6	33,594	10.5	18,682	12.6	5,013	18.3
2017	57,030 *	11.4	32,886	10.1	18,998	12.7	5,102	17.8
2018	56,668 *	11.1	32,575	9.9	18,900	12.5	5,136	17.3
2019	57,044 *	11.1	32,316	9.7	19,050	12.5	5,593	18.2
2020	55,713 *	10.7	31,232	9.3	18,611	12.1	5,816	18.2
2021	57,179 *	11.0	32,550	9.9	18,398	11.7	6,132	18.6
2022	57,828 *	10.9	32,832	9.8	18,091	11.4	6,810	19.6
2023	57,721 *	10.7	32,155	9.5	17,570	11.0	7,981	19.9

*Includes unknown race

¹Rate per 1,000 population

Figure C-2
Live Birth Rates by Race of Mother
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

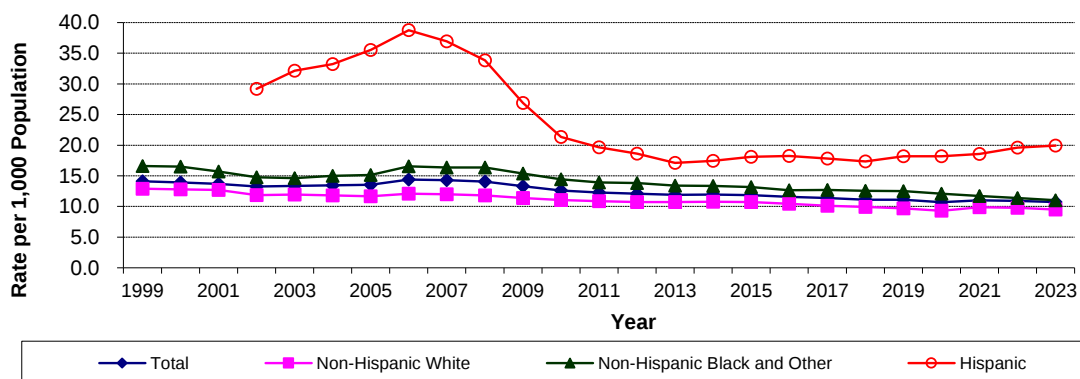


Table C-2.

Live Births and Percent of Live Births by Marital Status, Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Age of Mother	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Live Births by Age of Mother ¹								
All Ages	57,721 *	100.0	32,155	100.0	17,570	100.0	7,981	100.0
<15	39	0.1	8	0.0	19	0.1	12	0.2
15-19	2,967	5.1	1,014	3.2	1,281	7.3	672	8.4
20-24	11,338 *	19.6	5,295	16.5	4,163	23.7	1,875	23.5
25-29	16,829 *	29.2	9,847	30.6	4,768	27.1	2,213	27.7
30-34	16,597 *	28.8	10,222	31.8	4,526	25.8	1,846	23.1
35-39	8,125 *	14.1	4,811	15.0	2,247	12.8	1,061	13.3
40-44	1,706	3.0	891	2.8	531	3.0	284	3.6
45+	120	0.2	67	0.2	35	0.2	18	0.2
Not Stated								
Live Births by Age of Married Mother								
All Ages	31,804 *	100.0	23,278	100.0	4,962	100.0	3,555	100.0
<15	1	0.0	-	0	-	0	1	0.0
15-19	191	0.6	106	0.5	18	0.4	67	1.9
20-24	3,218	10.1	2,312	9.9	383	7.7	523	14.7
25-29	9,687 *	30.5	7,376	31.7	1,284	25.9	1,026	28.9
30-34	11,577 *	36.4	8,629	37.1	1,832	36.9	1,113	31.3
35-39	5,861 *	18.4	4,081	17.5	1,126	22.7	649	18.3
40-44	1,178	3.7	718	3.1	295	5.9	165	4.6
45+	91	0.3	56	0.2	24	0.5	11	0.3
Not Stated								
Live Births by Age of Unmarried Mother without Paternal Acknowledgment								
All Ages	7,611 *	100.0	2,068	100.0	4,613	100.0	928	100.0
<15	32	0.4	7	0.3	16	0.3	9	1.0
15-19	1,059	13.9	265	12.8	585	12.7	209	22.5
20-24	2,322 *	30.5	652	31.5	1,392	30.2	277	29.8
25-29	1,901	25.0	526	25.4	1,168	25.3	207	22.3
30-34	1,457	19.1	372	18.0	955	20.7	130	14.0
35-39	676 *	8.9	188	9.1	418	9.1	69	7.4
40-44	155	2.0	55	2.7	76	1.6	24	2.6
45+	9	0.1	3	0.1	3	0.1	3	0.3
Not Stated								
Live Births by Age of Unmarried Mother with Paternal Acknowledgment								
All Ages	18,195 *	100.0	6,762	100.0	7,950	100.0	3,479	100.0
<15	6	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.0	2	0.1
15-19	1,711	9.4	641	9.5	676	8.5	394	11.3
20-24	5,782 *	31.8	2,329	34.4	2,377	29.9	1,072	30.8
25-29	5,216	28.7	1,937	28.6	2,307	29.0	972	27.9
30-34	3,530	19.4	1,204	17.8	1,725	21.7	601	17.3
35-39	1,564	8.6	528	7.8	696	8.8	340	9.8
40-44	367	2.0	114	1.7	159	2.0	94	2.7
45+	19	0.1	8	0.1	7	0.1	4	0.1
Not Stated								

* Includes unknown race

¹ Includes unknown marital status

Table C-3.
Live Births and Birth Rates¹ by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	57,721 *	10.7	32,155	9.5	17,570	11.0	7,981	19.9
Abbeville	241	9.9	176	10.3	61	9.0	4	7.2
Aiken	1,906 *	10.8	1,078	9.5	565	11.2	254	19.6
Allendale	70	9.5	5	2.9	61	11.2	4	17.9
Anderson	2,362	11.1	1,710	10.6	423	10.5	229	20.2
Bamberg	128	9.9	49	10.2	75	9.5	4	17.2
Barnwell	247	12.1	131	12.5	105	11.2	11	17.0
Beaufort	1,894 *	9.5	982	7.2	405	10.8	506	21.0
Berkeley	3,130 *	12.3	1,648	10.5	895	11.9	586	25.0
Calhoun	121	8.5	61	7.7	52	9.1	8	13.9
Charleston	4,856	11.4	2,901	10.3	1,154	10.2	801	26.9
Cherokee	625	11.0	409	10.1	170	13.2	46	14.0
Chester	344	10.7	187	9.9	145	11.8	12	11.2
Chesterfield	487	11.1	275	10.7	174	11.2	38	14.1
Clarendon	279	9.0	140	9.0	124	8.6	15	15.2
Colleton	439	11.3	240	10.8	175	11.9	24	13.0
Darlington	714	11.4	343	10.3	341	12.4	30	19.0
Dillon	343	12.4	142	11.5	181	12.6	20	20.0
Dorchester	1,990	11.7	1,066	10.2	620	11.7	304	24.6
Edgefield	217	7.9	125	7.8	81	8.5	11	5.6
Fairfield	170	8.3	61	7.4	103	8.8	6	10.9
Florence	1,564	11.4	660	9.7	804	12.4	100	21.3
Georgetown	497	7.6	294	6.7	170	8.8	33	13.9
Greenville	6,600	11.8	3,811	10.3	1,435	11.6	1,354	20.8
Greenwood	746	10.7	371	9.1	267	11.3	108	21.1
Hampton	205	11.3	92	12.2	105	10.7	8	9.8
Horry	3,372	8.5	2,025	6.6	702	11.3	645	22.2
Jasper	451 *	13.4	129	8.0	106	9.1	214	37.1
Kershaw	758	10.8	466	10.2	211	10.7	81	18.9
Lancaster	1,234	11.4	765	10.5	359	13.2	110	13.3
Laurens	750	10.9	477	10.3	193	10.7	80	16.8
Lee	166	10.4	45	8.3	116	11.4	5	11.8
Lexington	3,136 *	10.1	1,924	8.8	722	11.1	489	19.5
McCormick	57	5.7	28	4.8	27	6.8	2	10.3
Marion	326	11.4	112	10.1	194	11.7	20	24.6
Marlboro	258	10.0	117	11.6	138	9.3	3	4.0
Newberry	420	10.8	200	8.6	144	12.2	76	20.7
Oconee	671	8.3	515	7.6	73	9.0	83	16.3
Orangeburg	793 *	9.6	236	8.5	507	9.6	49	21.2
Pickens	1,204	8.9	993	8.7	110	7.6	101	13.6
Richland	4,536	10.7	1,536	9.1	2,532	11.1	468	17.0
Saluda	207	10.8	90	8.0	35	7.6	82	24.6
Spartanburg	4,413	12.4	2,856	12.2	991	11.3	566	16.7
Sumter	1,296	12.4	558	12.1	648	12.1	90	19.1
Union	236	8.9	152	8.8	77	8.7	7	11.8
Williamsburg	255	8.5	88	9.0	164	8.5	3	3.8
York	3,007	10.1	1,886	9.4	830	11.0	291	12.8
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes unknown race

¹Rates per 1,000 estimated population

Table C-4.
Live Births and Birth Rates¹ by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)²

County of Occurrence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	53,679	10.0	29,515	8.7	16,518	10.4	7,646	19.1
Abbeville	14	0.6	12	0.7	1	0.1	1	1.8
Aiken	1,110	6.3	474	4.2	444	8.8	192	14.8
Allendale	1	0.1	-	0	1	0.2	-	0
Anderson	1,435	6.7	986	6.1	342	8.5	107	9.4
Bamberg	3	0.2	-	0	3	0.4	-	0
Barnwell	3	0.1	2	0.2	1	0.1	-	0
Beaufort	1,358	6.8	559	4.1	284	7.6	515	21.4
Berkeley	915	3.6	503	3.2	298	4.0	114	4.9
Calhoun	1	0.1	-	0	-	0	1	1.7
Charleston	7,521	17.7	4,555	16.2	2,061	18.2	905	30.4
Cherokee	8	0.1	8	0.2	-	0	-	0
Chester	5	0.2	5	0.3	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	7	0.2	5	0.2	1	0.1	1	0.4
Clarendon	312	10.1	148	9.5	145	10.0	19	19.3
Colleton	286	7.4	110	4.9	158	10.7	18	9.7
Darlington	598	9.6	251	7.5	312	11.4	35	22.1
Dillon	250	9.0	76	6.2	151	10.5	23	23.0
Dorchester	2,689	15.8	1,192	11.4	742	14.0	755	61.0
Edgefield	3	0.1	3	0.2	-	0	-	0
Fairfield	3	0.1	2	0.2	1	0.1	-	0
Florence	2,865	20.9	1,328	19.6	1,403	21.7	134	28.6
Georgetown	864	13.1	561	12.8	214	11.1	89	37.4
Greenville	10,910	19.6	7,082	19.2	2,013	16.3	1,815	27.9
Greenwood	1,135	16.3	596	14.6	365	15.4	174	33.9
Hampton	1	0.1	-	0	1	0.1	-	0
Horry	2,735	6.9	1,572	5.1	603	9.7	560	19.3
Jasper	807	24.1	452	28.0	210	18.1	145	25.1
Kershaw	295	4.2	185	4.0	92	4.6	18	4.2
Lancaster	446	4.1	184	2.5	167	6.1	95	11.5
Laurens	99	1.4	60	1.3	31	1.7	8	1.7
Lee	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	3,810	12.3	2,410	11.0	1,173	18.0	227	9.1
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	2	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.1	-	0
Marlboro	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	214	5.5	65	2.8	70	5.9	79	21.5
Oconee	486	6.0	352	5.2	58	7.2	76	14.9
Orangeburg	431	5.2	96	3.5	306	5.8	29	12.5
Pickens	29	0.2	25	0.2	2	0.1	2	0.3
Richland	5,642	13.3	1,958	11.6	2,833	12.4	851	31.0
Saluda	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	3,916	11.0	2,422	10.3	1,039	11.8	455	13.4
Sumter	1,060	10.2	405	8.8	548	10.2	107	22.7
Union	1	0.0	1	0.1	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	3	0.1	1	0.1	2	0.1	-	0
York	1,406	4.7	868	4.3	442	5.9	96	4.2
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes Unknown Race

¹ Rates per 1,000 estimated population

² Data allocated to the place in South Carolina where the event occurred, regardless of the usual residence of the person involved.

FERTILITY PATTERNS

Though the crude birth rate relates the event of birth to the entire population, it does not measure the population exposed to the chance of having a birth since it is based on both sexes in population. However, the crude birth rate is an index to the relative speed at which additions are being made to a population through childbirth. When the event of birth is related to the population exposed at risk, that is, to females of childbearing ages 15-44, a more specific rate is completed.

Table C-5.
Fertility Rates* by Race: South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black & Other	Hispanic
2009	66.4	60.4	67.6	138.6
2010	62.8	58.9	64.4	95.1
2011	61.8	58.5	62.8	89.0
2012	61.3	58.1	62.7	85.1
2013	61.0	58.4	61.1	79.2
2014	61.1	59.2	60.9	80.4
2015	61.1	59.1	60.3	83.4
2016	59.9	58.2	58.0	85.5
2017	59.1	56.7	58.6	83.7
2018	58.1	55.7	57.9	81.6
2019	58.0	54.8	57.9	85.2
2020	55.9	52.4	56.1	84.9
2021	57.5	55.8	54.2	86.8
2022	57.0	55.1	52.6	90.6
2023	55.8	53.4	50.7	91.6

* Rate per 1,000 Population of Females Aged 15-44 Years

Table C-6.
Population of Females Age 15-44 by Race
South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black & Other	Hispanic
2009	914,438	562,875	311,467	40,096
2010	928,310	562,960	312,422	52,928
2011	928,427	561,959	312,218	54,250
2012	931,369	563,655	313,088	54,626
2013	936,748	566,670	315,008	55,070
2014	943,512	569,529	317,159	56,824
2015	951,940	573,731	320,019	58,190
2016	957,823	577,310	321,893	58,620
2017	965,704	580,310	324,413	60,981
2018	974,611	584,986	326,685	62,940
2019	984,181	589,699	328,864	65,618
2020	996,290	595,934	331,864	68,492
2021	993,775	583,732	339,359	70,684
2022	1,014,941	596,132	343,666	75,143
2023	1,034,961	601,633	346,215	87,113

GENDER RATIO

Out of the total 57,721 live births occurring to South Carolina residents in 2023, male births numbered 29,571 and female births numbered 28,150 giving a ratio of 105.0 males per 100 females. Table C-7 shows the ratio of males to females for the past five years.

Table C-7.
Gender Ratio of Males per 100 Females
South Carolina, 2019-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black & Other	Hispanic
2019	104.6	105.2	104.8	99.4
2020	103.9	105.8	101.8	100.1
2021	103.8	103.4	103.9	106.3
2022	103.8	105.1	102.3	101.7
2023	105.0	104.6	104.9	107.2

MULTIPLE BIRTHS

Of the 1,841 multiple live births in 2023, 1,801 were twins (not sets). These figures result in a ratio of 1 multiple birth per 31.9 live births.

Table C-8.
Number and Rates¹ of Multiple Births by Race
South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
2009	2,162	35.6	1,267	37.2	749	35.6	144	25.9
2010	1,932	33.1	1,105	33.3	718	35.7	104	20.7
2011	1,995	34.8	1,213	36.9	700	35.7	82	17.0
2012	1,976	34.6	1,184	36.1	690	35.1	101	21.7
2013	2,075	36.6	1,211	36.6	767	39.8	91	20.9
2014	2,079	36.1	1,251	37.1	738	38.2	88	19.3
2015	2,128	36.6	1,266	37.3	746	38.7	114	23.5
2016	2,140	37.3	1,277	38.0	735	39.3	128	25.5
2017	2,000	35.1	1,151	35.0	718	37.8	130	25.5
2018	1,884	33.2	1,042	32.0	728	38.5	109	21.2
2019	1,948	34.1	1,098	34.0	738	38.7	106	19.0
2020	1,955	34.4	1,025	32.8	729	39.2	160	27.5
2021	1,889	33.0	1,039	31.9	691	37.6	151	24.6
2022	1,973	34.1	1,086	33.1	754	41.7	129	18.9
2023	1,841	31.9	913	28.4	749	42.6	177	22.2

¹ The number of live births in multiple deliveries per 1,000 live births

Figure C-3
Multiple Birth Rate by Race
South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)

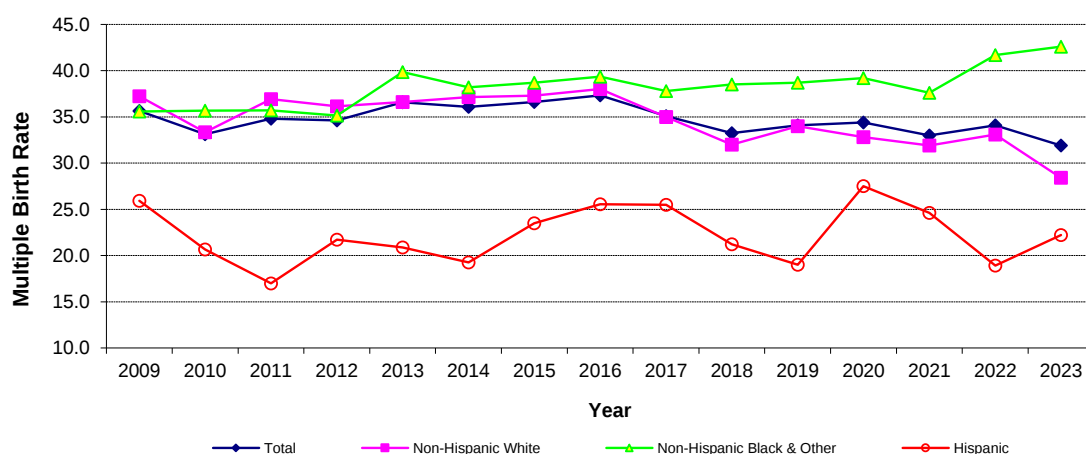


Table C-9.
Live Births by County of Occurrence¹ by County of Residence
South Carolina, 2023

County of Occurrence	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE																							
	Abbeville	Aiken	Allendale	Anderson	Bamberg	Barnwell	Beaufort	Berkeley	Calhoun	Charleston	Cherokee	Chester	Chesterfield	Clarendon	Colleton	Darlington	Dillon	Dorchester	Edgefield	Fairfield	Florence	Georgetown	Greenville	Greenwood
Abbeville	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aiken	-	809	33	-	14	134	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-
Allendale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	29	-	-	1,192	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	18	4
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	-	-	3	-	-	-	1,043	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Berkeley	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	613	-	79	-	-	-	2	12	-	-	158	-	-	2	-	-	-
Calhoun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston	-	3	5	9	9	3	131	1,522	2	4,216	3	1	8	5	103	8	9	875	2	-	41	179	10	2
Cherokee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chester	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chesterfield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarendon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	146	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
Colleton	-	-	12	-	8	2	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	177	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Darlington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	182	-	-	282	4	-	-	-	15	-	-	-
Dillon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	163	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
Dorchester	-	-	-	-	11	3	1	968	4	534	-	-	-	3	120	1	-	916	-	-	2	-	-	-
Edgefield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Fairfield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
Florence	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	107	48	-	404	147	2	-	-	1,452	12	-	-
Georgetown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	260	-	-
Greenville	25	4	-	1,052	-	-	2	-	-	3	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	6,388	63
Greenwood	158	3	-	30	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	8	644
Hampton	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	6	-	-	-	9	37	1	-
Jasper	-	-	5	-	-	1	574	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kershaw	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lancaster	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	34	-	-	1	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-
Laurens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6
Lexington	-	63	-	-	13	21	2	1	44	-	-	2	-	2	1	3	-	2	6	48	3	-	1	4
Marion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Oconee	-	-	-	48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
Orangeburg	-	2	3	-	50	8	-	-	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pickens	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Richland	-	70	4	-	14	21	-	3	33	4	1	15	5	16	1	4	-	4	9	99	15	2	3	4
Spartanburg	13	-	-	12	-	-	-	1	-	-	528	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	126	15
Sumter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	51	-	3	-	1	-	-	8	1	-	-
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
York	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	12	146	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-
Out-of-State	2	949	4	15	4	50	138	15	1	11	55	107	133	5	2	4	13	13	113	3	7	6	40	3
Total	241	1,906	70	2,362	128	247	1,894	3,130	121	4,856	625	344	487	279	439	714	343	1,990	217	170	1,564	497	6,600	746

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Table C-9. (continued)
Live Births by County of Occurrence¹ by County of Residence
South Carolina, 2023

	COUNTY OF RESIDENCE																						
County of Occurrence	Hampton	Horry	Jasper	Kershaw	Lancaster	Laurens	Lee	Lexington	Mccormick	Marion	Marlboro	Newberry	Oconee	Orangeburg	Pickens	Richland	Saluda	Spartanburg	Sumter	Union	Williamsburg	York	Out-of-State
Abbeville	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aiken	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	2	-	-	-	-	12	-	3	7	1	-	-	-	-	21
Allendale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Anderson	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	-	64	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	29
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	55	-	223	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	16
Berkeley	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	-	-	-	2	-	5	1	6
Calhoun	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston	37	124	25	3	-	1	4	10	-	3	2	2	-	50	-	12	-	8	8	2	33	2	49
Cherokee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Chester	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chesterfield	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Clarendon	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	2	-	-	99	-	43	-	5
Colleton	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Darlington	-	-	-	8	-	-	61	-	-	-	41	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	1
Dillon	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	35	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Dorchester	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	93	-	-	-	2	1	-	3	-	14
Edgefield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Fairfield	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florence	-	120	-	12	4	-	37	1	-	233	93	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	25	-	127	-	30
Georgetown	-	564	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	25	-	5
Greenville	-	1	-	-	1	504	-	1	2	-	-	15	209	1	1,048	5	2	1,466	-	19	-	1	76
Greenwood	-	-	-	-	-	115	-	2	31	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	87	6	-	1	-	-	3
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	-	2,499	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	127
Jasper	37	-	155	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	25
Kershaw	-	-	-	226	17	-	13	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	19	-	-	1	-
Lancaster	-	1	-	9	256	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	10
Laurens	-	-	-	-	-	82	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-
Lexington	1	1	-	133	6	2	2	1,744	-	1	-	137	-	108	-	1,333	48	-	60	1	1	1	15
Marion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	12	-	-	-	158	-	-	-	4	27	-	1	2	-	-	-
Oconee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	367	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Orangeburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	325	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Pickens	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Richland	1	3	-	321	49	4	13	1,328	-	1	-	79	-	152	-	3,097	27	2	162	1	7	35	33
Spartanburg	1	-	-	-	1	24	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	-	1	2	2	2,885	-	203	-	9	85
Sumter	-	2	-	31	-	-	33	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	903	-	4	-	1
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Williamsburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
York	-	-	-	5	158	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	2	-	1,026	36
Out-of-State	6	48	47	9	741	2	2	12	20	6	104	2	9	6	3	40	7	35	10	3	2	1,862	-
Total	205	3,372	451	758	1,234	750	166	3,136	57	326	258	420	671	793	1,204	4,536	207	4,413	1,296	236	255	3,007	627

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Table C-10.
Live Births by Number of Prenatal Care Visits
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Births	Number of Prenatal Care Visits						
		No Visits	1-4 Visits	5 Visits	6-10 Visits	11-15 Visits	16+ Visits	Unknown
South Carolina	57,721 *	1,262	2,280	1,112	14,430	30,541	8,038	58
Abbeville	241	3	15	6	55	134	28	-
Aiken	1,906 *	42	59	30	862	800	111	2
Allendale	70	1	10	6	24	28	1	-
Anderson	2,362	40	73	36	584	1,385	240	4
Bamberg	128	7	6	6	30	63	13	3
Barnwell	247	12	14	7	69	111	34	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	34	68	44	496	1,035	211	6
Berkeley	3,130 *	57	102	57	864	1,769	279	2
Calhoun	121	2	4	2	20	64	29	-
Charleston	4,856	79	160	101	1,171	2,728	613	4
Cherokee	625	13	23	6	136	372	75	-
Chester	344	9	10	9	61	197	58	-
Chesterfield	487	16	24	8	128	216	95	-
Clarendon	279	7	20	6	81	118	47	-
Colleton	439	6	20	12	144	233	23	1
Darlington	714	17	32	6	187	333	139	-
Dillon	343	10	19	6	95	159	54	-
Dorchester	1,990	36	61	36	560	1,161	133	3
Edgefield	217	6	8	4	89	95	15	-
Fairfield	170	4	3	1	32	87	43	-
Florence	1,564	25	46	41	482	725	244	1
Georgetown	497	7	13	8	76	297	96	-
Greenville	6,600	136	291	137	1,776	3,532	724	4
Greenwood	746	15	43	19	230	346	92	1
Hampton	205	2	13	4	69	98	17	2
Horry	3,372	77	182	75	758	1,532	743	5
Jasper	451 *	20	31	13	158	184	43	2
Kershaw	758	31	53	13	147	325	187	2
Lancaster	1,234	20	37	22	268	722	164	1
Laurens	750	12	28	19	198	395	98	-
Lee	166	6	9	4	36	86	25	-
Lexington	3,136 *	79	106	42	498	1,776	633	2
McCormick	57	2	2	2	14	29	8	-
Marion	326	15	14	10	111	133	43	-
Marlboro	258	7	8	9	83	126	25	-
Newberry	420	5	15	4	108	207	81	-
Oconee	671	10	11	7	157	375	111	-
Orangeburg	793 *	25	37	17	160	396	155	3
Pickens	1,204	8	35	20	264	726	151	-
Richland	4,536	131	201	75	885	2,208	1,034	2
Saluda	207	2	10	9	62	101	23	-
Spartanburg	4,413	84	210	88	1,181	2,380	469	1
Sumter	1,296	28	49	34	360	709	115	1
Union	236	2	6	4	67	134	23	-
Williamsburg	255	10	15	9	64	116	40	1
York	3,007	102	84	38	530	1,795	453	5
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-10A.

Live Births by Number of Prenatal Care Visits and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total Births	Number of Prenatal Care Visits						
		No Visits	1-4 Visits	5 Visits	6-10 Visits	11-15 Visits	16+ Visits	Unknown
South Carolina	32,155	517	807	393	6,729	18,886	4,797	26
Abbeville	176	2	10	3	38	105	18	-
Aiken	1,078	14	19	8	512	462	62	1
Allendale	5	-	1	1	2	1	-	-
Anderson	1,710	27	43	17	354	1,079	187	3
Bamberg	49	1	-	2	15	25	5	1
Barnwell	131	4	5	2	38	58	24	-
Beaufort	982	8	17	17	203	608	127	2
Berkeley	1,648	20	32	18	343	1,043	191	1
Calhoun	61	-	3	-	9	35	14	-
Charleston	2,901	18	31	21	466	1,871	493	1
Cherokee	409	13	6	2	87	251	50	-
Chester	187	3	4	4	32	115	29	-
Chesterfield	275	9	6	3	59	134	64	-
Clarendon	140	1	11	1	36	71	20	-
Colleton	240	2	7	4	70	141	16	-
Darlington	343	10	9	4	78	190	52	-
Dillon	142	4	6	-	41	63	28	-
Dorchester	1,066	13	23	9	233	699	88	1
Edgefield	125	2	2	1	55	54	11	-
Fairfield	61	-	1	-	8	39	13	-
Florence	660	11	11	13	179	329	116	1
Georgetown	294	2	5	2	32	185	68	-
Greenville	3,811	75	126	46	878	2,245	439	2
Greenwood	371	9	15	6	94	195	51	1
Hampton	92	1	4	-	24	56	7	-
Horry	2,025	35	65	29	320	1,042	529	5
Jasper	129	3	4	1	31	71	19	-
Kershaw	466	14	31	8	79	210	124	-
Lancaster	765	10	13	12	148	478	104	-
Laurens	477	8	14	11	107	272	65	-
Lee	45	-	3	1	9	25	7	-
Lexington	1,924	29	30	14	224	1,232	395	-
McCormick	28	-	-	2	7	15	4	-
Marion	112	4	2	2	35	50	19	-
Marlboro	117	4	3	3	35	59	13	-
Newberry	200	3	4	1	46	103	43	-
Oconee	515	9	6	6	105	298	91	-
Orangeburg	236	4	10	3	39	137	42	1
Pickens	993	7	27	16	195	624	124	-
Richland	1,536	22	31	9	219	917	338	-
Saluda	90	1	4	3	19	48	15	-
Spartanburg	2,856	51	103	59	757	1,578	307	1
Sumter	558	4	17	10	127	340	60	-
Union	152	2	5	2	39	90	14	-
Williamsburg	88	5	1	2	17	47	16	-
York	1,886	53	37	15	285	1,196	295	5
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-10A. (continued)
Live Births by Number of Prenatal Care Visits and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black and Other

County of Residence	Total Births	Number of Prenatal Care Visits						
		No Visits	1-4 Visits	5 Visits	6-10 Visits	11-15 Visits	16+ Visits	Unknown
South Carolina	17,570	454	833	418	4,806	8,387	2,649	23
Abbeville	61	-	5	3	15	28	10	-
Aiken	565	19	25	13	243	232	32	1
Allendale	61	1	9	5	19	26	1	-
Anderson	423	6	17	14	140	205	40	1
Bamberg	75	6	6	4	13	37	7	2
Barnwell	105	8	9	4	28	46	10	-
Beaufort	405	12	15	8	118	201	50	1
Berkeley	895	14	33	15	267	498	68	-
Calhoun	52	2	1	2	9	24	14	-
Charleston	1,154	30	51	43	370	569	88	3
Cherokee	170	-	13	3	39	91	24	-
Chester	145	5	5	5	26	77	27	-
Chesterfield	174	4	14	3	59	65	29	-
Clarendon	124	5	8	4	38	45	24	-
Colleton	175	3	12	6	61	85	7	1
Darlington	341	6	22	2	102	130	79	-
Dillon	181	6	12	4	44	91	24	-
Dorchester	620	17	18	10	185	351	37	2
Edgefield	81	4	4	2	31	36	4	-
Fairfield	103	4	-	-	23	46	30	-
Florence	804	12	30	22	266	359	115	-
Georgetown	170	5	7	5	36	93	24	-
Greenville	1,435	31	75	48	399	682	198	2
Greenwood	267	3	19	10	95	105	35	-
Hampton	105	1	9	3	43	38	10	1
Horry	702	22	44	11	174	290	161	-
Jasper	106	4	3	2	31	47	18	1
Kershaw	211	6	16	4	46	89	48	2
Lancaster	359	1	13	8	82	202	53	-
Laurens	193	2	11	7	63	80	30	-
Lee	116	6	6	3	27	58	16	-
Lexington	722	19	18	9	141	362	172	1
McCormick	27	2	2	-	5	14	4	-
Marion	194	8	11	8	69	78	20	-
Marlboro	138	3	5	5	48	65	12	-
Newberry	144	-	5	1	37	69	32	-
Oconee	73	1	3	1	24	35	9	-
Orangeburg	507	20	22	10	102	244	108	1
Pickens	110	1	2	1	28	60	18	-
Richland	2,532	73	126	49	545	1,113	624	2
Saluda	35	1	1	1	9	19	4	-
Spartanburg	991	20	60	17	265	510	119	-
Sumter	648	22	28	19	203	328	47	1
Union	77	-	1	2	27	39	8	-
Williamsburg	164	5	14	7	45	68	24	1
York	830	34	23	15	166	457	135	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-10A. (continued)
Live Births by Number of Prenatal Care Visits and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	Total Births	Number of Prenatal Care Visits						
		No Visits	1-4 Visits	5 Visits	6-10 Visits	11-15 Visits	16+ Visits	Unknown
South Carolina	7,981	290	638	300	2,887	3,266	591	9
Abbeville	4	1	-	-	2	1	-	-
Aiken	254	9	14	9	102	104	16	-
Allendale	4	-	-	-	3	1	-	-
Anderson	229	7	13	5	90	101	13	-
Bamberg	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	-
Barnwell	11	-	-	1	3	7	-	-
Beaufort	506	14	36	19	174	226	34	3
Berkeley	586	23	37	23	254	228	20	1
Calhoun	8	-	-	-	2	5	1	-
Charleston	801	31	78	37	335	288	32	-
Cherokee	46	-	4	1	10	30	1	-
Chester	12	1	1	-	3	5	2	-
Chesterfield	38	3	4	2	10	17	2	-
Clarendon	15	1	1	1	7	2	3	-
Colleton	24	1	1	2	13	7	-	-
Darlington	30	1	1	-	7	13	8	-
Dillon	20	-	1	2	10	5	2	-
Dorchester	304	6	20	17	142	111	8	-
Edgefield	11	-	2	1	3	5	-	-
Fairfield	6	-	2	1	1	2	-	-
Florence	100	2	5	6	37	37	13	-
Georgetown	33	-	1	1	8	19	4	-
Greenville	1,354	30	90	43	499	605	87	-
Greenwood	108	3	9	3	41	46	6	-
Hampton	8	-	-	1	2	4	-	1
Horry	645	20	73	35	264	200	53	-
Jasper	214	13	24	10	94	66	6	1
Kershaw	81	11	6	1	22	26	15	-
Lancaster	110	9	11	2	38	42	7	1
Laurens	80	2	3	1	28	43	3	-
Lee	5	-	-	-	-	3	2	-
Lexington	489	30	58	19	133	182	66	1
McCormick	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Marion	20	3	1	-	7	5	4	-
Marlboro	3	-	-	1	-	2	-	-
Newberry	76	2	6	2	25	35	6	-
Oconee	83	-	2	-	28	42	11	-
Orangeburg	49	1	4	4	19	15	5	1
Pickens	101	-	6	3	41	42	9	-
Richland	468	36	44	17	121	178	72	-
Saluda	82	-	5	5	34	34	4	-
Spartanburg	566	13	47	12	159	292	43	-
Sumter	90	2	4	5	30	41	8	-
Union	7	-	-	-	1	5	1	-
Williamsburg	3	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
York	291	15	24	8	79	142	23	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-11.
Live Births By Kotelchuck Index¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total	INADEQUATE	INTERMEDIATE	ADEQUATE	ADEQUATE PLUS	UNKNOWN
South Carolina	57,721 *	9,609	2,449	17,605	27,989	69
Abbeville	241	47	12	68	114	-
Aiken	1,906 *	288	152	786	678	2
Allendale	70	23	4	28	15	-
Anderson	2,362	310	77	926	1,045	4
Bamberg	128	29	4	33	59	3
Barnwell	247	48	10	75	114	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	391	68	535	894	6
Berkeley	3,130 *	395	150	1,126	1,457	2
Calhoun	121	15	2	30	74	-
Charleston	4,856	662	233	1,676	2,281	4
Cherokee	625	78	17	192	338	-
Chester	344	48	9	108	179	-
Chesterfield	487	94	26	134	233	-
Clarendon	279	64	29	63	123	-
Colleton	439	83	28	125	202	1
Darlington	714	135	34	187	358	-
Dillon	343	63	27	77	176	-
Dorchester	1,990	301	86	720	880	3
Edgefield	217	29	16	85	87	-
Fairfield	170	23	5	38	104	-
Florence	1,564	245	105	416	797	1
Georgetown	497	67	11	77	342	-
Greenville	6,600	1,070	268	2,350	2,907	5
Greenwood	746	201	35	173	336	1
Hampton	205	38	13	60	92	2
Horry	3,372	703	153	677	1,832	7
Jasper	451 *	163	19	92	175	2
Kershaw	758	178	31	146	399	4
Lancaster	1,234	162	52	413	606	1
Laurens	750	129	30	225	366	-
Lee	166	31	10	47	78	-
Lexington	3,136 *	490	50	829	1,764	3
McCormick	57	12	3	17	25	-
Marion	326	68	25	76	157	-
Marlboro	258	43	24	77	114	-
Newberry	420	78	12	121	209	-
Oconee	671	66	15	232	358	-
Orangeburg	793 *	159	25	183	422	4
Pickens	1,204	117	44	431	612	-
Richland	4,536	909	109	1,025	2,491	2
Saluda	207	72	4	41	90	-
Spartanburg	4,413	776	201	1,360	2,075	1
Sumter	1,296	208	100	387	599	2
Union	236	23	13	92	108	-
Williamsburg	255	56	12	61	125	1
York	3,007	419	96	985	1,499	8
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

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Table C-11A.
Live Births by Kotelchuck Index¹ and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total	INADEQUATE	INTERMEDIATE	ADEQUATE	ADEQUATE PLUS	UNKNOWN
South Carolina	32,155	3,742	1,114	10,786	16,482	31
Abbeville	176	30	7	56	83	-
Aiken	1,078	103	91	502	381	1
Allendale	5	2	-	1	2	-
Anderson	1,710	180	45	703	779	3
Bamberg	49	7	1	19	21	1
Barnwell	131	17	9	38	67	-
Beaufort	982	108	34	309	529	2
Berkeley	1,648	161	53	590	843	1
Calhoun	61	6	-	16	39	-
Charleston	2,901	174	89	1,055	1,582	1
Cherokee	409	46	6	145	212	-
Chester	187	22	5	67	93	-
Chesterfield	275	35	13	84	143	-
Clarendon	140	20	15	41	64	-
Colleton	240	35	14	71	120	-
Darlington	343	54	14	104	171	-
Dillon	142	21	11	36	74	-
Dorchester	1,066	118	32	406	509	1
Edgefield	125	8	13	59	45	-
Fairfield	61	4	1	19	37	-
Florence	660	66	49	191	353	1
Georgetown	294	25	6	48	215	-
Greenville	3,811	444	141	1,473	1,750	3
Greenwood	371	78	17	96	179	1
Hampton	92	14	4	28	46	-
Horry	2,025	299	71	404	1,246	5
Jasper	129	21	5	36	67	-
Kershaw	466	102	13	93	257	1
Lancaster	765	85	26	267	387	-
Laurens	477	62	12	151	252	-
Lee	45	5	4	14	22	-
Lexington	1,924	174	18	560	1,171	1
McCormick	28	5	1	8	14	-
Marion	112	14	6	37	55	-
Marlboro	117	19	10	33	55	-
Newberry	200	28	3	59	110	-
Oconee	515	47	8	172	288	-
Orangeburg	236	35	5	66	129	1
Pickens	993	84	34	377	498	-
Richland	1,536	194	17	451	874	-
Saluda	90	12	3	23	52	-
Spartanburg	2,856	478	126	936	1,315	1
Sumter	558	67	29	185	276	1
Union	152	15	9	57	71	-
Williamsburg	88	14	1	28	45	-
York	1,886	204	43	672	961	6
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table C-11A. (continued)
Live Births by Kotelchuck Index¹ and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total	INADEQUATE	INTERMEDIATE	ADEQUATE	ADEQUATE PLUS	UNKNOWN
South Carolina	17,570	3,326	857	4,504	8,857	26
Abbeville	61	16	5	10	30	-
Aiken	565	117	41	190	216	1
Allendale	61	20	3	26	12	-
Anderson	423	75	18	139	190	1
Bamberg	75	22	3	13	35	2
Barnwell	105	29	1	31	44	-
Beaufort	405	79	15	109	201	1
Berkeley	895	90	46	327	432	-
Calhoun	52	8	2	11	31	-
Charleston	1,154	195	81	365	510	3
Cherokee	170	22	8	33	107	-
Chester	145	24	4	37	80	-
Chesterfield	174	44	10	42	78	-
Clarendon	124	36	13	19	56	-
Colleton	175	37	13	46	78	1
Darlington	341	74	19	76	172	-
Dillon	181	34	12	39	96	-
Dorchester	620	95	27	213	283	2
Edgefield	81	18	2	23	38	-
Fairfield	103	15	4	19	65	-
Florence	804	145	50	201	408	-
Georgetown	170	34	4	25	107	-
Greenville	1,435	276	66	397	694	2
Greenwood	267	75	15	53	124	-
Hampton	105	21	9	29	45	1
Horry	702	163	27	118	394	-
Jasper	106	23	3	21	58	1
Kershaw	211	46	12	36	114	3
Lancaster	359	41	18	116	184	-
Laurens	193	41	17	47	88	-
Lee	116	26	6	31	53	-
Lexington	722	127	14	159	421	1
McCormick	27	6	2	8	11	-
Marion	194	44	17	38	95	-
Marlboro	138	23	14	44	57	-
Newberry	144	24	8	38	74	-
Oconee	73	8	5	26	34	-
Orangeburg	507	108	17	104	276	2
Pickens	110	16	-	25	69	-
Richland	2,532	543	75	478	1,434	2
Saluda	35	11	1	6	17	-
Spartanburg	991	172	42	268	509	-
Sumter	648	119	61	177	290	1
Union	77	8	4	32	33	-
Williamsburg	164	41	10	33	79	1
York	830	135	33	226	435	1
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table C-11A. (continued)
Live Births by Kotelchuck Index¹ and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

Hispanic						
County of Residence	Total	INADEQUATE	INTERMEDIATE	ADEQUATE	ADEQUATE PLUS	UNKNOWN
South Carolina	7,981	2,537	475	2,312	2,645	12
Abbeville	4	1	-	2	1	-
Aiken	254	66	18	91	79	-
Allendale	4	1	1	1	1	-
Anderson	229	55	14	84	76	-
Bamberg	4	-	-	1	3	-
Barnwell	11	2	-	6	3	-
Beaufort	506	204	18	117	164	3
Berkeley	586	143	51	209	182	1
Calhoun	8	1	-	3	4	-
Charleston	801	293	63	256	189	-
Cherokee	46	10	3	14	19	-
Chester	12	2	-	4	6	-
Chesterfield	38	15	3	8	12	-
Clarendon	15	8	1	3	3	-
Colleton	24	11	1	8	4	-
Darlington	30	7	1	7	15	-
Dillon	20	8	4	2	6	-
Dorchester	304	88	27	101	88	-
Edgefield	11	3	1	3	4	-
Fairfield	6	4	-	-	2	-
Florence	100	34	6	24	36	-
Georgetown	33	8	1	4	20	-
Greenville	1,354	350	61	480	463	-
Greenwood	108	48	3	24	33	-
Hampton	8	3	-	3	1	1
Horry	645	241	55	155	192	2
Jasper	214	119	11	35	48	1
Kershaw	81	30	6	17	28	-
Lancaster	110	36	8	30	35	1
Laurens	80	26	1	27	26	-
Lee	5	-	-	2	3	-
Lexington	489	188	18	110	172	1
McCormick	2	1	-	1	-	-
Marion	20	10	2	1	7	-
Marlboro	3	1	-	-	2	-
Newberry	76	26	1	24	25	-
Oconee	83	11	2	34	36	-
Orangeburg	49	16	3	13	16	1
Pickens	101	17	10	29	45	-
Richland	468	172	17	96	183	-
Saluda	82	49	-	12	21	-
Spartanburg	566	126	33	156	251	-
Sumter	90	22	10	25	33	-
Union	7	-	-	3	4	-
Williamsburg	3	1	1	-	1	-
York	291	80	20	87	103	1
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table C-12.
Live Births by Education of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Births	Education of Mother								
		<9th Grade	9-11th Grade	12th Grade	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor Degree	Master Degree	Professional Degree	Unknown
South Carolina	57,721 *	1,563	4,893	15,802	11,111	5,273	12,099	5,192	1,478	310
Abbeville	241	5	19	70	61	32	37	15	1	1
Aiken	1,906 *	60	185	650	315	137	367	129	57	6
Allendale	70	-	9	39	17	3	2	-	-	-
Anderson	2,362	32	245	663	453	215	476	192	51	35
Bamberg	128	2	13	50	29	18	11	5	-	-
Barnwell	247	5	23	117	38	27	28	6	3	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	56	135	506	394	148	457	147	42	9
Berkeley	3,130 *	91	240	740	656	356	698	263	67	19
Calhoun	121	3	7	39	31	10	18	12	1	-
Charleston	4,856	199	321	829	616	278	1,575	704	312	22
Cherokee	625	11	70	249	137	54	71	25	4	4
Chester	344	1	42	156	56	34	41	12	-	2
Chesterfield	487	16	63	194	89	57	45	18	2	3
Clarendon	279	8	19	85	76	29	44	17	1	-
Colleton	439	10	56	157	101	47	40	23	4	1
Darlington	714	8	78	269	165	71	83	32	6	2
Dillon	343	6	57	139	67	29	31	9	4	1
Dorchester	1,990	45	128	534	424	204	445	156	41	13
Edgefield	217	4	19	78	40	18	46	9	1	2
Fairfield	170	1	15	61	34	13	32	12	1	1
Florence	1,564	23	153	484	353	166	237	112	33	3
Georgetown	497	4	38	145	109	66	72	42	19	2
Greenville	6,600	232	512	1,423	1,088	506	1,746	792	246	55
Greenwood	746	31	89	212	158	80	120	43	11	2
Hampton	205	5	20	90	48	21	15	6	-	-
Horry	3,372	137	301	940	743	391	582	220	48	10
Jasper	451 *	54	50	167	73	29	50	19	2	7
Kershaw	758	16	65	220	186	73	139	48	8	3
Lancaster	1,234	16	79	344	127	109	357	176	22	4
Laurens	750	25	99	251	161	82	87	35	6	4
Lee	166	2	23	72	39	17	11	1	1	-
Lexington	3,136 *	100	260	780	614	251	698	325	90	18
McCormick	57	1	5	16	16	9	5	3	1	1
Marion	326	4	40	142	81	30	19	9	1	-
Marlboro	258	2	41	102	57	23	23	9	1	-
Newberry	420	21	53	137	80	42	48	32	7	-
Oconee	671	18	78	232	118	68	97	51	5	4
Orangeburg	793 *	10	106	280	181	84	86	39	5	2
Pickens	1,204	15	97	332	249	119	255	100	29	8
Richland	4,536	95	294	1,137	971	352	958	517	182	30
Saluda	207	57	27	46	38	18	13	8	-	-
Spartanburg	4,413	61	383	1,245	1,032	431	835	348	58	20
Sumter	1,296	26	114	402	337	153	189	55	15	5
Union	236	1	37	81	55	21	25	14	2	-
Williamsburg	255	-	17	98	69	34	25	8	3	1
York	3,007	44	168	799	329	318	860	394	85	10
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-12A.
Live Births by Education and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total Births	Education of Mother								
		<9th Grade	9-11th Grade	12th Grade	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor Degree	Master Degree	Professional Degree	Unknown
South Carolina	32,155	153	1,924	6,621	5,977	3,289	8,998	3,911	1,181	101
Abbeville	176	4	9	44	43	25	34	15	1	1
Aiken	1,078	15	94	316	168	85	255	99	45	1
Allendale	5	-	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-
Anderson	1,710	11	142	415	340	168	409	166	45	14
Bamberg	49	-	4	16	11	9	6	3	-	-
Barnwell	131	4	9	55	22	14	20	5	2	-
Beaufort	982	-	25	167	205	78	337	130	39	1
Berkeley	1,648	6	86	287	339	205	484	187	48	6
Calhoun	61	2	4	10	18	8	11	7	1	-
Charleston	2,901	7	42	177	284	142	1,354	614	274	7
Cherokee	409	4	41	144	96	40	58	21	4	1
Chester	187	-	19	78	28	23	31	7	-	1
Chesterfield	275	4	24	97	55	39	38	15	2	1
Clarendon	140	-	8	31	40	17	30	13	1	-
Colleton	240	3	28	74	52	33	32	13	4	1
Darlington	343	3	34	96	77	45	58	22	6	2
Dillon	142	-	19	44	38	18	15	5	3	-
Dorchester	1,066	2	45	211	230	118	316	108	30	6
Edgefield	125	-	11	36	20	14	35	7	-	2
Fairfield	61	1	7	11	12	4	19	6	1	-
Florence	660	6	49	131	139	98	144	72	21	-
Georgetown	294	2	18	66	58	42	52	38	17	1
Greenville	3,811	7	166	521	580	295	1,379	655	193	15
Greenwood	371	2	31	72	77	54	90	35	9	1
Hampton	92	2	10	34	21	11	11	3	-	-
Horry	2,025	7	136	439	470	293	453	188	34	5
Jasper	129	-	7	35	31	11	28	14	2	1
Kershaw	466	2	33	132	112	52	97	31	6	1
Lancaster	765	3	34	196	86	75	246	109	14	2
Laurens	477	5	61	140	105	63	69	26	5	3
Lee	45	-	7	11	12	9	6	-	-	-
Lexington	1,924	7	106	411	378	175	526	252	68	1
McCormick	28	1	4	3	7	4	4	3	1	1
Marion	112	1	10	38	32	17	8	5	1	-
Marlboro	117	-	21	39	25	10	14	7	1	-
Newberry	200	-	14	49	37	27	40	27	6	-
Oconee	515	4	55	170	95	56	88	44	3	-
Orangeburg	236	1	31	53	57	40	36	14	3	1
Pickens	993	6	75	261	214	104	224	82	23	4
Richland	1,536	6	50	165	263	121	525	266	135	5
Saluda	90	1	7	22	25	17	11	7	-	-
Spartanburg	2,856	10	194	698	669	315	633	278	48	11
Sumter	558	4	32	135	151	79	113	32	12	-
Union	152	-	27	47	36	12	16	12	2	-
Williamsburg	88	-	4	32	19	12	14	4	2	1
York	1,886	10	91	412	197	212	627	264	69	4
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-12A. (continued)
Live Births by Education and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total Births	Education of Mother								
		<9th Grade	9-11th Grade	12th Grade	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor Degree	Master Degree	Professional Degree	Unknown
South Carolina	17,570	115	1,683	6,616	4,054	1,522	2,216	1,052	218	94
Abbeville	61	-	10	25	17	7	2	-	-	-
Aiken	565	3	46	238	115	43	81	26	11	2
Allendale	61	-	9	38	11	3	-	-	-	-
Anderson	423	3	61	174	85	35	38	19	3	5
Bamberg	75	1	8	33	17	9	5	2	-	-
Barnwell	105	1	10	58	15	12	7	1	1	-
Beaufort	405	3	36	150	105	31	65	12	1	2
Berkeley	895	4	56	265	226	115	138	65	16	10
Calhoun	52	-	3	24	11	2	7	5	-	-
Charleston	1,154	10	151	412	254	105	132	58	23	9
Cherokee	170	1	22	90	32	11	9	3	-	2
Chester	145	1	23	72	25	11	9	4	-	-
Chesterfield	174	2	32	82	32	15	6	3	-	2
Clarendon	124	3	8	50	34	12	13	4	-	-
Colleton	175	3	22	74	46	14	6	10	-	-
Darlington	341	1	40	164	78	26	22	10	-	-
Dillon	181	3	31	88	28	11	15	4	-	1
Dorchester	620	3	43	224	148	67	87	38	6	4
Edgefield	81	-	7	39	19	4	10	1	1	-
Fairfield	103	-	7	47	22	8	12	6	-	1
Florence	804	2	83	319	202	64	86	36	11	1
Georgetown	170	-	14	68	45	20	16	4	2	1
Greenville	1,435	10	155	502	324	122	185	90	36	11
Greenwood	267	3	32	112	70	19	22	7	1	1
Hampton	105	2	10	51	25	10	4	3	-	-
Horry	702	4	55	298	188	60	69	20	8	-
Jasper	106	-	8	46	28	7	13	4	-	-
Kershaw	211	1	16	69	58	17	34	14	-	2
Lancaster	359	1	25	113	36	27	91	57	7	2
Laurens	193	-	29	84	43	17	12	7	1	-
Lee	116	-	15	60	26	8	5	1	1	-
Lexington	722	6	61	216	171	56	129	63	13	7
McCormick	27	-	1	12	8	5	1	-	-	-
Marion	194	-	26	93	48	12	11	4	-	-
Marlboro	138	2	19	61	32	13	9	2	-	-
Newberry	144	-	18	70	32	12	7	4	1	-
Oconee	73	-	9	31	13	6	6	5	1	2
Orangeburg	507	2	65	207	119	42	44	25	2	1
Pickens	110	1	6	33	19	7	21	15	5	3
Richland	2,532	21	177	826	634	207	380	230	42	15
Saluda	35	-	4	18	10	1	1	1	-	-
Spartanburg	991	5	81	360	263	81	140	51	7	3
Sumter	648	4	76	239	173	65	65	19	3	4
Union	77	1	10	31	16	8	9	2	-	-
Williamsburg	164	-	13	65	48	22	11	4	1	-
York	830	8	50	285	103	73	181	113	14	3
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-12A. (continued)
Live Births by Education and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	Total Births	Education of Mother								
		<9th Grade	9-11th Grade	12th Grade	Some College	Associate Degree	Bachelor Degree	Master Degree	Professional Degree	Unknown
South Carolina	7,981	1,292	1,285	2,561	1,079	461	884	229	79	111
Abbeville	4	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
Aiken	254	39	44	94	31	8	30	4	1	3
Allendale	4	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	229	18	42	74	28	12	29	7	3	16
Bamberg	4	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	11	-	4	4	1	1	1	-	-	-
Beaufort	506	53	74	188	84	39	55	5	2	6
Berkeley	586	81	98	188	91	36	76	11	3	2
Calhoun	8	1	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston	801	182	128	240	78	31	89	32	15	6
Cherokee	46	6	7	15	9	3	4	1	-	1
Chester	12	-	-	6	3	-	1	1	-	1
Chesterfield	38	10	7	15	2	3	1	-	-	-
Clarendon	15	5	3	4	2	-	1	-	-	-
Colleton	24	4	6	9	3	-	2	-	-	-
Darlington	30	4	4	9	10	-	3	-	-	-
Dillon	20	3	7	7	1	-	1	-	1	-
Dorchester	304	40	40	99	46	19	42	10	5	3
Edgefield	11	4	1	3	1	-	1	1	-	-
Fairfield	6	-	1	3	-	1	1	-	-	-
Florence	100	15	21	34	12	4	7	4	1	2
Georgetown	33	2	6	11	6	4	4	-	-	-
Greenville	1,354	215	191	400	184	89	182	47	17	29
Greenwood	108	26	26	28	11	7	8	1	1	-
Hampton	8	1	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	645	126	110	203	85	38	60	12	6	5
Jasper	214	54	35	86	14	11	9	1	-	4
Kershaw	81	13	16	19	16	4	8	3	2	-
Lancaster	110	12	20	35	5	7	20	10	1	-
Laurens	80	20	9	27	13	2	6	2	-	1
Lee	5	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Lexington	489	87	93	153	65	20	43	10	9	9
McCormick	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	20	3	4	11	1	1	-	-	-	-
Marlboro	3	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	76	21	21	18	11	3	1	1	-	-
Oconee	83	14	14	31	10	6	3	2	1	2
Orangeburg	49	7	10	19	5	2	6	-	-	-
Pickens	101	8	16	38	16	8	10	3	1	1
Richland	468	68	67	146	74	24	53	21	5	10
Saluda	82	56	16	6	3	-	1	-	-	-
Spartanburg	566	46	108	187	100	35	62	19	3	6
Sumter	90	18	6	28	13	9	11	4	-	1
Union	7	-	-	3	3	1	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
York	291	26	27	102	29	33	52	17	2	3
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

ATTENDANT AT BIRTH

Of the 53,679 occurrent births, physicians attended 93.2 percent. The term “physician” includes osteopaths, residents, interns and externs. Midwives attended 6.0 percent of the total births, Other and unknown attendant accounted for 0.8 percent of the total births. The term “other” includes any specific attendant other than physician, midwife or self-attended, such as a friend or relative, EMT, RN, PA, etc. Included in the “Unknown” category are Not specified or Not classifiable attendants.

Table C-13.
Live Births by Attendant by Place of Delivery
South Carolina, 2023
(Occurrence Data) ¹

Place of Birth	Total Births	M.D.	D.O.	Certified Nurse/Licensed Midwife	Other Attendant	Unknown
Hospital	52,360	47,204	2,776	2,155	224	1
Birthing Center	399	-	-	357	42	-
Clinic/Doctor's office	1	-	-	-	1	-
Home Birth	885	40	-	709	136	-
Other	34	14	-	6	12	2
Total	53,679	47,258	2,776	3,227	415	3

Table C-14.
Live Births by Place of Delivery
South Carolina, 2014-2023
(Occurrence Data) ¹

Year	Total Births	Hospital	Birthing Center	Clinic/Doctor's Office	Home Birth	Other
2014	54,513	53,653	500	3	348	9
2015	54,757	53,877	503	2	368	7
2016	53,811	52,864	529	2	404	12
2017	53,583	52,642	519	-	411	11
2018	53,057	52,140	504	3	398	12
2019	53,453	52,657	416	3	368	9
2020	52,080	51,151	328	1	582	18
2021	53,206	52,086	339	3	755	23
2022	53,914	52,590	354	1	930	39
2023	53,679	52,360	399	1	885	34

¹ Data allocated to the place in South Carolina where the event occurred, regardless of the usual residence of the person involved.

Table C-15.
Live Births by Attendant
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data) ¹

County of Occurrence	Total Births	Attendant					
		Physician		Certified Nurse/Licensed Midwife		Other Attendant	Unknown
		In Hospital /En Route	Out of Hospital	In Hospital /En Route	Out of Hospital		
South Carolina	53,679	49,980	54	2,155	1,072	415	3
Abbeville	14	-	-	-	12	2	-
Aiken	1,110	1,094	-	-	12	4	-
Allendale	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Anderson	1,435	1,391	-	-	37	7	-
Bamberg	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
Barnwell	3	-	1	-	1	1	-
Beaufort	1,358	1,158	1	103	10	86	-
Berkeley	915	888	2	-	17	8	-
Calhoun	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Charleston	7,521	7,049	9	171	230	62	-
Cherokee	8	-	3	-	5	-	-
Chester	5	-	1	-	2	2	-
Chesterfield	7	-	1	-	4	1	1
Clarendon	312	133	-	178	-	1	-
Colleton	286	282	-	-	1	3	-
Darlington	598	544	1	43	2	8	-
Dillon	250	249	1	-	-	-	-
Dorchester	2,689	2,593	-	75	15	5	1
Edgefield	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
Fairfield	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
Florence	2,865	2,856	-	-	4	5	-
Georgetown	864	343	-	508	3	10	-
Greenville	10,910	9,964	4	591	260	91	-
Greenwood	1,135	1,113	1	-	18	3	-
Hampton	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Horry	2,735	2,544	6	129	49	7	-
Jasper	807	802	-	-	-	5	-
Kershaw	295	282	1	-	9	3	-
Lancaster	446	416	-	-	21	9	-
Laurens	99	82	1	-	13	3	-
Lee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lexington	3,810	3,755	1	2	40	12	-
McCormick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
Marlboro	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	214	211	-	-	3	-	-
Oconee	486	452	-	22	9	3	-
Orangeburg	431	383	-	35	1	12	-
Pickens	29	-	-	-	27	2	-
Richland	5,642	5,334	2	251	29	26	-
Saluda	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spartanburg	3,916	3,712	14	36	151	3	-
Sumter	1,060	1,038	-	11	3	8	-
Union	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Williamsburg	3	-	1	-	-	1	1
York	1,406	1,312	1	-	76	17	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹Data allocated to the place in South Carolina where the event occurred, regardless of the usual residence of the person involved.

AGE OF MOTHER

In 2023, there were 39 live births to resident mothers under 15 years of age and 120 births to resident mothers 45 years of age and over. As shown in Table C-16, women aged 15-44 years were responsible for 99.7 percent of all live births. In 1980, the median age of mothers was 23.8 years. The median age for 2023 is 29. The youngest mother to give birth in 2023 was 12 years old and the oldest was 54 years old.

Table C-16.
Percent Distribution of Live Births by Age of Mother
South Carolina, 2019-2023
(Residence Data)

Age of Mother	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
All Ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 15 Years	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
15-19 Years	6.0	5.5	5.2	5.0	5.1
20-24 Years	22.1	21.6	20.8	20.3	19.6
25-29 Years	30.7	30.2	29.7	29.5	29.2
30-34 Years	26.1	27.1	28.0	28.5	28.8
35-39 Years	12.5	12.8	13.3	13.6	14.1
40-44 Years	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.0
45 Years and Over	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2

Figure C-4
Percent of Live Births to Women Age 35 and Over by Race
South Carolina, 2014-2023
(Residence Data)

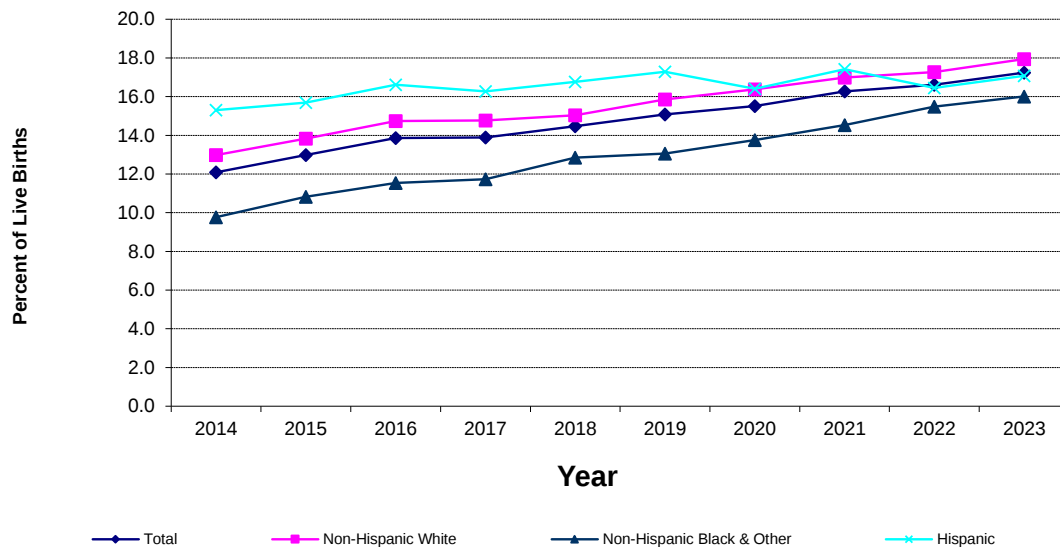
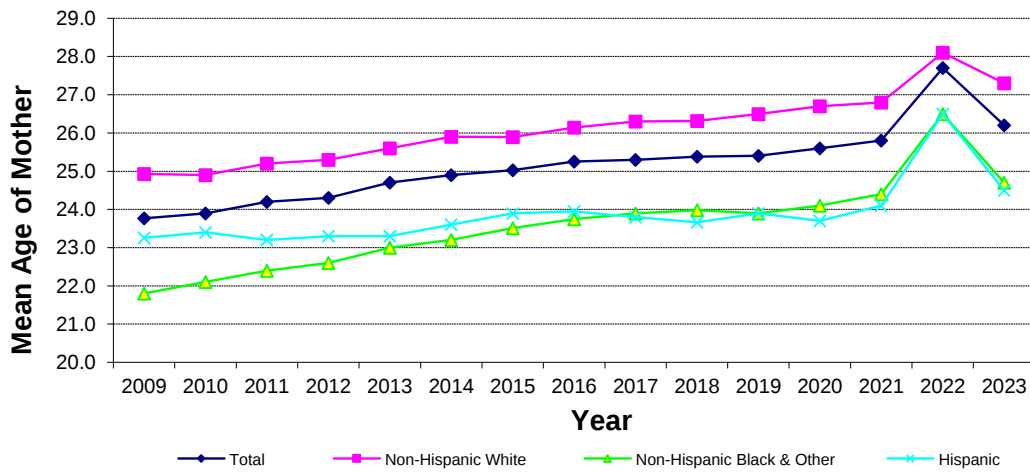


Table C-17
Mean Age of Mother at First Time Birth by Race
South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total	Non-Hispanic White	Non-Hispanic Black & Other	Hispanic
2009	23.8	24.9	21.8	23.3
2010	23.9	24.9	22.1	23.4
2011	24.2	25.2	22.4	23.2
2012	24.3	25.3	22.6	23.3
2013	24.7	25.6	23.0	23.3
2014	24.9	25.9	23.2	23.6
2015	25.0	25.9	23.5	23.9
2016	25.3	26.1	23.7	23.9
2017	25.3	26.3	23.9	23.8
2018	25.4	26.3	24.0	23.7
2019	25.4	26.5	23.9	23.9
2020	25.6	26.7	24.1	23.7
2021	25.8	26.8	24.4	24.1
2022	27.7	28.1	26.5	26.5
2023	26.2	27.3	24.7	24.5

Figure C-5
Mean Age of Mother at First Time Birth by Race
South Carolina, 2009-2023
(Residence Data)



Note: The spike in Figure C-5 for 2022 stems from a process change implemented in August 2021, leading to an inflated mean mother's age at first time birth. Additional data received from the CDC in November 2023 allowed us to revised this process for the 2023 birth data.

Table C-18.
Live Births by Age of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Births	Age of Mother								
		< 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	57,721 *	39	2,967	11,338	16,829	16,597	8,125	1,706	120	-
Abbeville	241	-	18	51	82	62	23	5	-	-
Aiken	1,906 *	5	108	413	561	552	220	43	4	-
Allendale	70	-	12	21	22	12	1	2	-	-
Anderson	2,362	1	116	504	763	651	276	49	2	-
Bamberg	128	-	9	34	39	24	15	7	-	-
Barnwell	247	1	23	52	99	45	21	6	-	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	1	55	424	551	522	280	57	4	-
Berkeley	3,130 *	1	112	546	961	954	462	83	11	-
Calhoun	121	-	8	28	42	27	15	1	-	-
Charleston	4,856	3	194	649	988	1,710	1,069	220	23	-
Cherokee	625	1	47	161	197	150	53	15	1	-
Chester	344	1	24	101	89	98	26	5	-	-
Chesterfield	487	-	34	145	153	101	48	5	1	-
Clarendon	279	1	15	72	97	62	24	8	-	-
Colleton	439	-	38	112	137	101	43	7	1	-
Darlington	714	1	52	196	218	168	63	14	2	-
Dillon	343	1	36	98	97	69	34	8	-	-
Dorchester	1,990	1	105	353	591	577	281	76	6	-
Edgefield	217	-	11	48	71	61	23	2	1	-
Fairfield	170	-	9	31	47	55	24	4	-	-
Florence	1,564	-	119	344	468	406	181	41	5	-
Georgetown	497	-	34	107	142	129	72	13	-	-
Greenville	6,600	3	265	1,013	1,908	2,089	1,080	224	18	-
Greenwood	746	1	52	179	229	187	81	16	1	-
Hampton	205	-	19	65	51	47	18	4	1	-
Horry	3,372	4	180	683	999	895	495	111	5	-
Jasper	451 *	-	32	125	138	101	40	14	1	-
Kershaw	758	-	48	160	202	235	87	25	1	-
Lancaster	1,234	1	36	218	366	365	206	40	2	-
Laurens	750	-	52	191	256	166	65	20	-	-
Lee	166	-	16	61	35	30	18	6	-	-
Lexington	3,136 *	1	147	572	925	938	459	88	6	-
McCormick	57	-	3	14	23	9	4	4	-	-
Marion	326	-	36	95	76	73	38	8	-	-
Marlboro	258	-	19	90	78	50	17	3	1	-
Newberry	420	-	34	116	118	102	38	11	1	-
Oconee	671	-	37	163	217	165	68	21	-	-
Orangeburg	793 *	1	65	217	218	191	82	19	-	-
Pickens	1,204	-	64	240	434	318	129	18	1	-
Richland	4,536	2	199	796	1,241	1,436	705	149	8	-
Saluda	207	1	17	57	51	42	27	12	-	-
Spartanburg	4,413	1	224	922	1,434	1,190	525	112	5	-
Sumter	1,296	2	97	293	426	314	136	28	-	-
Union	236	-	20	70	61	54	29	2	-	-
Williamsburg	255	-	13	76	87	57	19	2	1	-
York	3,007	4	113	432	841	1,007	505	98	7	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-18A.

Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total Births	Age of Mother								
		< 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	32,155	8	1,014	5,295	9,847	10,222	4,811	891	67	-
Abbeville	176	-	11	29	66	51	15	4	-	-
Aiken	1,078	2	47	220	339	325	118	24	3	-
Allendale	5	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-
Anderson	1,710	1	65	328	587	502	198	28	1	-
Bamberg	49	-	3	12	13	15	4	2	-	-
Barnwell	131	1	10	28	51	25	12	4	-	-
Beaufort	982	-	8	167	299	311	158	36	3	-
Berkeley	1,648	-	35	241	563	529	236	40	4	-
Calhoun	61	-	2	12	27	15	5	-	-	-
Charleston	2,901	1	21	174	517	1,236	790	145	17	-
Cherokee	409	1	29	107	130	101	34	6	1	-
Chester	187	-	15	51	55	52	12	2	-	-
Chesterfield	275	-	13	72	98	61	29	2	-	-
Clarendon	140	-	6	33	55	32	10	4	-	-
Colleton	240	-	18	55	86	58	18	5	-	-
Darlington	343	-	22	80	109	89	36	5	2	-
Dillon	142	-	10	40	49	33	6	4	-	-
Dorchester	1,066	-	30	169	321	342	163	39	2	-
Edgefield	125	-	6	22	47	36	12	1	1	-
Fairfield	61	-	1	13	15	20	11	1	-	-
Florence	660	-	29	131	219	194	70	12	5	-
Georgetown	294	-	13	58	83	87	45	8	-	-
Greenville	3,811	1	70	434	1,116	1,351	705	124	10	-
Greenwood	371	-	13	81	124	107	40	6	-	-
Hampton	92	-	4	35	27	18	6	1	1	-
Horry	2,025	-	66	346	628	596	320	67	2	-
Jasper	129	-	-	31	43	39	11	4	1	-
Kershaw	466	-	24	88	143	153	50	8	-	-
Lancaster	765	-	13	130	240	237	122	22	1	-
Laurens	477	-	21	127	168	110	37	14	-	-
Lee	45	-	2	17	11	8	5	2	-	-
Lexington	1,924	-	55	320	592	605	295	53	4	-
McCormick	28	-	2	8	11	2	2	3	-	-
Marion	112	-	12	28	31	25	15	1	-	-
Marlboro	117	-	7	36	43	27	4	-	-	-
Newberry	200	-	12	42	57	65	19	5	-	-
Oconee	515	-	23	120	176	134	50	12	-	-
Orangeburg	236	1	10	61	79	55	27	3	-	-
Pickens	993	-	51	189	369	266	105	12	1	-
Richland	1,536	-	25	162	395	609	298	46	1	-
Saluda	90	-	4	22	30	21	10	3	-	-
Spartanburg	2,856	-	111	553	992	804	328	65	3	-
Sumter	558	-	28	122	208	135	53	12	-	-
Union	152	-	15	49	41	29	17	1	-	-
Williamsburg	88	-	1	29	35	18	5	-	-	-
York	1,886	-	51	221	557	694	304	55	4	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-18A. (continued)
Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total Births	Age of Mother								
		< 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	17,570	19	1,281	4,163	4,768	4,526	2,247	531	35	-
Abbeville	61	-	7	21	15	10	7	1	-	-
Aiken	565	1	36	137	155	158	63	14	1	-
Allendale	61	-	12	17	19	11	-	2	-	-
Anderson	423	-	29	131	114	87	52	10	-	-
Bamberg	75	-	6	21	25	9	9	5	-	-
Barnwell	105	-	12	22	43	18	8	2	-	-
Beaufort	405	1	19	105	115	105	51	8	1	-
Berkeley	895	1	37	176	229	278	147	22	5	-
Calhoun	52	-	6	14	15	10	6	1	-	-
Charleston	1,154	-	88	292	258	310	152	51	3	-
Cherokee	170	-	15	45	51	40	14	5	-	-
Chester	145	1	8	47	32	43	12	2	-	-
Chesterfield	174	-	15	61	47	34	14	2	1	-
Clarendon	124	1	8	36	34	29	14	2	-	-
Colleton	175	-	19	52	45	35	23	1	-	-
Darlington	341	1	27	105	101	75	25	7	-	-
Dillon	181	1	23	52	46	30	26	3	-	-
Dorchester	620	-	42	128	180	159	80	28	3	-
Edgefield	81	-	4	26	21	23	7	-	-	-
Fairfield	103	-	6	17	32	33	12	3	-	-
Florence	804	-	83	186	221	191	96	27	-	-
Georgetown	170	-	16	43	46	35	25	5	-	-
Greenville	1,435	2	98	275	426	396	192	41	5	-
Greenwood	267	1	25	74	76	58	27	5	1	-
Hampton	105	-	15	27	22	27	11	3	-	-
Horry	702	1	51	198	194	158	81	19	-	-
Jasper	106	-	9	25	34	29	7	2	-	-
Kershaw	211	-	14	54	42	65	27	9	-	-
Lancaster	359	-	13	69	94	101	69	13	-	-
Laurens	193	-	22	42	65	39	21	4	-	-
Lee	116	-	14	40	24	21	13	4	-	-
Lexington	722	1	42	140	209	210	100	19	1	-
McCormick	27	-	1	6	11	6	2	1	-	-
Marion	194	-	22	56	43	47	19	7	-	-
Marlboro	138	-	12	52	35	23	12	3	1	-
Newberry	144	-	13	49	40	26	13	3	-	-
Oconee	73	-	8	22	18	11	8	6	-	-
Orangeburg	507	-	50	143	121	127	52	14	-	-
Pickens	110	-	8	18	37	27	17	3	-	-
Richland	2,532	2	144	537	697	707	350	88	7	-
Saluda	35	-	4	12	8	6	2	3	-	-
Spartanburg	991	1	74	228	273	257	124	32	2	-
Sumter	648	1	60	146	191	162	75	13	-	-
Union	77	-	5	19	20	21	11	1	-	-
Williamsburg	164	-	11	46	51	39	14	2	1	-
York	830	3	48	151	193	240	157	35	3	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-18A. (continued)
Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	Total Births	Age of Mother								
		< 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	7,981	12	672	1,875	2,213	1,846	1,061	284	18	-
Abbeville	4	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
Aiken	254	2	25	54	66	66	36	5	-	-
Allendale	4	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-
Anderson	229	-	22	45	62	62	26	11	1	-
Bamberg	4	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-
Barnwell	11	-	1	2	5	2	1	-	-	-
Beaufort	506	-	28	151	137	106	71	13	-	-
Berkeley	586	-	40	129	169	147	78	21	2	-
Calhoun	8	-	-	2	-	2	4	-	-	-
Charleston	801	2	85	183	213	164	127	24	3	-
Cherokee	46	-	3	9	16	9	5	4	-	-
Chester	12	-	1	3	2	3	2	1	-	-
Chesterfield	38	-	6	12	8	6	5	1	-	-
Clarendon	15	-	1	3	8	1	-	2	-	-
Colleton	24	-	1	5	6	8	2	1	1	-
Darlington	30	-	3	11	8	4	2	2	-	-
Dillon	20	-	3	6	2	6	2	1	-	-
Dorchester	304	1	33	56	90	76	38	9	1	-
Edgefield	11	-	1	-	3	2	4	1	-	-
Fairfield	6	-	2	1	-	2	1	-	-	-
Florence	100	-	7	27	28	21	15	2	-	-
Georgetown	33	-	5	6	13	7	2	-	-	-
Greenville	1,354	-	97	304	366	342	183	59	3	-
Greenwood	108	-	14	24	29	22	14	5	-	-
Hampton	8	-	-	3	2	2	1	-	-	-
Horry	645	3	63	139	177	141	94	25	3	-
Jasper	214	-	23	67	61	33	22	8	-	-
Kershaw	81	-	10	18	17	17	10	8	1	-
Lancaster	110	1	10	19	32	27	15	5	1	-
Laurens	80	-	9	22	23	17	7	2	-	-
Lee	5	-	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lexington	489	-	50	112	124	123	63	16	1	-
McCormick	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Marion	20	-	2	11	2	1	4	-	-	-
Marlboro	3	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Newberry	76	-	9	25	21	11	6	3	1	-
Oconee	83	-	6	21	23	20	10	3	-	-
Orangeburg	49	-	5	13	18	9	2	2	-	-
Pickens	101	-	5	33	28	25	7	3	-	-
Richland	468	-	30	97	149	120	57	15	-	-
Saluda	82	1	9	23	13	15	15	6	-	-
Spartanburg	566	-	39	141	169	129	73	15	-	-
Sumter	90	1	9	25	27	17	8	3	-	-
Union	7	-	-	2	-	4	1	-	-	-
Williamsburg	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
York	291	1	14	60	91	73	44	8	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-19.
Live Births to Mothers Less than 20 Years Old
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Births Under 20 Years	Age of Mother		
		< 15 Years	15 - 17 Years	18 - 19 Years
South Carolina	3,006	39	802	2,165
Abbeville	18	-	1	17
Aiken	113	5	27	81
Allendale	12	-	2	10
Anderson	117	1	35	81
Bamberg	9	-	3	6
Barnwell	24	1	3	20
Beaufort	56	1	11	44
Berkeley	113	1	32	80
Calhoun	8	-	2	6
Charleston	197	3	60	134
Cherokee	48	1	11	36
Chester	25	1	10	14
Chesterfield	34	-	10	24
Clarendon	16	1	4	11
Colleton	38	-	11	27
Darlington	53	1	10	42
Dillon	37	1	11	25
Dorchester	106	1	31	74
Edgefield	11	-	3	8
Fairfield	9	-	2	7
Florence	119	-	30	89
Georgetown	34	-	10	24
Greenville	268	3	84	181
Greenwood	53	1	21	31
Hampton	19	-	4	15
Horry	184	4	52	128
Jasper	32	-	9	23
Kershaw	48	-	13	35
Lancaster	37	1	9	27
Laurens	52	-	16	36
Lee	16	-	4	12
Lexington	148	1	39	108
McCormick	3	-	-	3
Marion	36	-	10	26
Marlboro	19	-	7	12
Newberry	34	-	10	24
Oconee	37	-	9	28
Orangeburg	66	1	18	47
Pickens	64	-	13	51
Richland	201	2	48	151
Saluda	18	1	7	10
Spartanburg	225	1	49	175
Sumter	99	2	24	73
Union	20	-	5	15
Williamsburg	13	-	4	9
York	117	4	28	85
Unknown	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-19A.

Live Births to Mothers Less than 20 Years Old by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total Births Under 20 Years	Age of Mother		
		< 15 Years	15 -17 Years	18 - 19 Years
South Carolina	1,022	8	213	801
Abbeville	11	-	1	10
Aiken	49	2	11	36
Allendale	-	-	-	-
Anderson	66	1	15	50
Bamberg	3	-	-	3
Barnwell	11	1	2	8
Beaufort	8	-	-	8
Berkeley	35	-	7	28
Calhoun	2	-	1	1
Charleston	22	1	1	20
Cherokee	30	1	6	23
Chester	15	-	3	12
Chesterfield	13	-	3	10
Clarendon	6	-	2	4
Colleton	18	-	5	13
Darlington	22	-	4	18
Dillon	10	-	2	8
Dorchester	30	-	7	23
Edgefield	6	-	-	6
Fairfield	1	-	-	1
Florence	29	-	7	22
Georgetown	13	-	3	10
Greenville	71	1	12	58
Greenwood	13	-	2	11
Hampton	4	-	1	3
Horry	66	-	18	48
Jasper	-	-	-	-
Kershaw	24	-	6	18
Lancaster	13	-	2	11
Laurens	21	-	5	16
Lee	2	-	-	2
Lexington	55	-	14	41
McCormick	2	-	-	2
Marion	12	-	4	8
Marlboro	7	-	1	6
Newberry	12	-	2	10
Oconee	23	-	6	17
Orangeburg	11	1	4	6
Pickens	51	-	10	41
Richland	25	-	3	22
Saluda	4	-	2	2
Spartanburg	111	-	21	90
Sumter	28	-	4	24
Union	15	-	5	10
Williamsburg	1	-	-	1
York	51	-	11	40
Unknown	-	-	-	-

Table C-19A. (continued)
Live Births to Mothers Less than 20 Years Old by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total Births Under 20 Years	Age of Mother		
		< 15 Years	15 - 17 Years	18 - 19 Years
South Carolina	1,300	19	360	921
Abbeville	7	-	-	7
Aiken	37	1	7	29
Allendale	12	-	2	10
Anderson	29	-	8	21
Bamberg	6	-	3	3
Barnwell	12	-	1	11
Beaufort	20	1	5	14
Berkeley	38	1	8	29
Calhoun	6	-	1	5
Charleston	88	-	28	60
Cherokee	15	-	4	11
Chester	9	1	6	2
Chesterfield	15	-	6	9
Clarendon	9	1	1	7
Colleton	19	-	5	14
Darlington	28	1	6	21
Dillon	24	1	8	15
Dorchester	42	-	16	26
Edgefield	4	-	2	2
Fairfield	6	-	1	5
Florence	83	-	22	61
Georgetown	16	-	5	11
Greenville	100	2	35	63
Greenwood	26	1	12	13
Hampton	15	-	3	12
Horry	52	1	18	33
Jasper	9	-	1	8
Kershaw	14	-	6	8
Lancaster	13	-	3	10
Laurens	22	-	8	14
Lee	14	-	4	10
Lexington	43	1	9	33
McCormick	1	-	-	1
Marion	22	-	6	16
Marlboro	12	-	6	6
Newberry	13	-	2	11
Oconee	8	-	1	7
Orangeburg	50	-	12	38
Pickens	8	-	1	7
Richland	146	2	31	113
Saluda	4	-	2	2
Spartanburg	75	1	21	53
Sumter	61	1	17	43
Union	5	-	-	5
Williamsburg	11	-	4	7
York	51	3	13	35
Unknown	-	-	-	-

Table C-19A. (continued)

Live Births to Mothers Less than 20 Years Old by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)

Hispanic

County of Residence	Total Births Under 20 Years	Age of Mother		
		< 15 Years	15 - 17 Years	18 - 19 Years
South Carolina	684	12	229	443
Abbeville	-	-	-	-
Aiken	27	2	9	16
Allendale	-	-	-	-
Anderson	22	-	12	10
Bamberg	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	1	-	-	1
Beaufort	28	-	6	22
Berkeley	40	-	17	23
Calhoun	-	-	-	-
Charleston	87	2	31	54
Cherokee	3	-	1	2
Chester	1	-	1	-
Chesterfield	6	-	1	5
Clarendon	1	-	1	-
Colleton	1	-	1	-
Darlington	3	-	-	3
Dillon	3	-	1	2
Dorchester	34	1	8	25
Edgefield	1	-	1	-
Fairfield	2	-	1	1
Florence	7	-	1	6
Georgetown	5	-	2	3
Greenville	97	-	37	60
Greenwood	14	-	7	7
Hampton	-	-	-	-
Horry	66	3	16	47
Jasper	23	-	8	15
Kershaw	10	-	1	9
Lancaster	11	1	4	6
Laurens	9	-	3	6
Lee	-	-	-	-
Lexington	50	-	16	34
McCormick	-	-	-	-
Marion	2	-	-	2
Marlboro	-	-	-	-
Newberry	9	-	6	3
Oconee	6	-	2	4
Orangeburg	5	-	2	3
Pickens	5	-	2	3
Richland	30	-	14	16
Saluda	10	1	3	6
Spartanburg	39	-	7	32
Sumter	10	1	3	6
Union	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	1	-	-	1
York	15	1	4	10
Unknown	-	-	-	-

LIVE BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED MOTHERS

In 2023, there were 25,806 live births to resident unmarried mothers in South Carolina, representing 44.7 percent of all live births. As in the past, live births to unmarried mothers occurred more frequently among young mothers. As shown in Table C-20, females under age 20 accounted for 10.9 percent of all live births to unmarried mothers in 2023.

Table C-20.
Percent Distribution of Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age
South Carolina, 2019-2023
(Residence Data)

Age of Mother	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
All Ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 15 Years	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
15-19 Years	12.0	11.1	10.7	10.4	10.7
20-24 Years	33.5	33.5	32.8	32.6	31.4
25-29 Years	29.6	28.9	28.6	27.9	27.6
30 Years and Older	24.8	26.4	27.7	28.9	30.1

Figure C-6.
Percent Distribution of Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

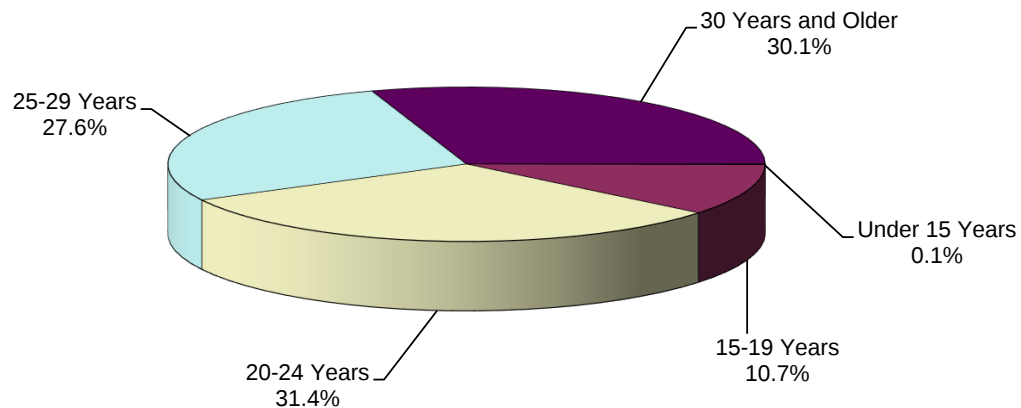


Table C-21.

Live Births and Percent of Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	25,806 *	44.7	8,830	27.5	12,563	71.5	4,407	55.2
Abbeville	111	46.1	55	31.3	55	90.2	1	25.0
Aiken	864 *	45.3	333	30.9	398	70.4	130	51.2
Allendale	61	87.1	1	20.0	59	96.7	1	25.0
Anderson	992	42.0	542	31.7	331	78.3	119	52.0
Bamberg	78	60.9	12	24.5	64	85.3	2	50.0
Barnwell	154	62.3	57	43.5	94	89.5	3	27.3
Beaufort	735 *	38.8	196	20.0	272	67.2	266	52.6
Berkeley	1,236	39.5	389	23.6	544	60.8	303	51.7
Calhoun	59	48.8	16	26.2	39	75.0	4	50.0
Charleston	1,723	35.5	410	14.1	844	73.1	469	58.6
Cherokee	340	54.4	178	43.5	142	83.5	20	43.5
Chester	230	66.9	92	49.2	131	90.3	7	58.3
Chesterfield	297	61.0	125	45.5	146	83.9	26	68.4
Clarendon	151	54.1	42	30.0	99	79.8	10	66.7
Colleton	290	66.1	129	53.8	148	84.6	13	54.2
Darlington	466	65.3	159	46.4	285	83.6	22	73.3
Dillon	235	68.5	67	47.2	158	87.3	10	50.0
Dorchester	882	44.3	298	28.0	416	67.1	168	55.3
Edgefield	102	47.0	31	24.8	66	81.5	5	45.5
Fairfield	109	64.1	21	34.4	83	80.6	5	83.3
Florence	878	56.1	215	32.6	615	76.5	48	48.0
Georgetown	264	53.1	116	39.5	127	74.7	21	63.6
Greenville	2,366	35.8	677	17.8	940	65.5	749	55.3
Greenwood	414	55.5	122	32.9	229	85.8	63	58.3
Hampton	135	65.9	42	45.7	87	82.9	6	75.0
Horry	1,709	50.7	800	39.5	520	74.1	389	60.3
Jasper	272 *	60.3	36	27.9	86	81.1	148	69.2
Kershaw	341	45.0	167	35.8	130	61.6	44	54.3
Lancaster	416	33.7	181	23.7	181	50.4	54	49.1
Laurens	380	50.7	177	37.1	153	79.3	50	62.5
Lee	123	74.1	17	37.8	104	89.7	2	40.0
Lexington	1,262	40.2	556	28.9	431	59.7	275	56.2
McCormick	37	64.9	12	42.9	24	88.9	1	50.0
Marion	239	73.3	56	50.0	168	86.6	15	75.0
Marlboro	185	71.7	61	52.1	121	87.7	3	100.0
Newberry	238	56.7	71	35.5	122	84.7	45	59.2
Oconee	275	41.0	185	35.9	52	71.2	38	45.8
Orangeburg	566	71.4	103	43.6	425	83.8	38	77.6
Pickens	405	33.6	294	29.6	54	49.1	57	56.4
Richland	2,331	51.4	297	19.3	1,762	69.6	272	58.1
Saluda	121	58.5	37	41.1	33	94.3	51	62.2
Spartanburg	1,654	37.5	699	24.5	679	68.5	276	48.8
Sumter	715	55.2	173	31.0	496	76.5	46	51.1
Union	154	65.3	83	54.6	66	85.7	5	71.4
Williamsburg	161	63.1	30	34.1	128	78.0	3	100.0
York	1,050	34.9	470	24.9	456	54.9	124	42.6
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes unknown race

Table C-22.

Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age Group
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Births	Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	25,806 *	38	2,770	8,104	7,117	4,987	2,240	522	28	-
Abbeville	111	-	17	34	32	18	8	2	-	-
Aiken	864 *	5	100	288	219	176	59	16	1	-
Allendale	61	-	12	19	18	10	-	2	-	-
Anderson	992	1	108	360	270	165	70	17	1	-
Bamberg	78	-	9	26	24	7	9	3	-	-
Barnwell	154	1	21	43	52	23	10	4	-	-
Beaufort	735 *	1	48	246	195	154	76	13	2	-
Berkeley	1,236	1	106	358	345	277	122	25	2	-
Calhoun	59	-	7	23	17	8	4	-	-	-
Charleston	1,723	2	184	502	430	344	204	53	4	-
Cherokee	340	1	45	120	95	56	17	6	-	-
Chester	230	1	21	85	54	53	15	1	-	-
Chesterfield	297	-	33	119	70	51	21	3	-	-
Clarendon	151	1	15	55	39	30	10	1	-	-
Colleton	290	-	37	93	82	48	27	3	-	-
Darlington	466	1	51	160	137	82	32	3	-	-
Dillon	235	1	33	82	61	36	19	3	-	-
Dorchester	882	1	93	243	266	168	82	26	3	-
Edgefield	102	-	9	37	26	19	9	2	-	-
Fairfield	109	-	9	25	29	32	13	1	-	-
Florence	878	-	115	271	249	158	70	13	2	-
Georgetown	264	-	32	81	71	45	28	7	-	-
Greenville	2,366	3	247	680	703	467	210	55	1	-
Greenwood	414	1	49	131	109	78	39	7	-	-
Hampton	135	-	18	46	31	27	11	2	-	-
Horry	1,709	4	162	519	486	329	166	41	2	-
Jasper	272 *	-	31	90	86	42	18	5	-	-
Kershaw	341	-	47	113	85	65	23	7	1	-
Lancaster	416	1	36	148	124	68	33	5	1	-
Laurens	380	-	47	126	106	69	26	6	-	-
Lee	123	-	15	51	23	21	10	3	-	-
Lexington	1,262	1	133	387	327	256	129	27	2	-
McCormick	37	-	3	9	16	5	3	1	-	-
Marion	239	-	35	77	51	47	24	5	-	-
Marlboro	185	-	19	75	52	27	8	3	1	-
Newberry	238	-	29	97	57	33	17	4	1	-
Oconee	275	-	33	111	71	37	18	5	-	-
Orangeburg	566	1	64	182	140	123	44	12	-	-
Pickens	405	-	57	144	108	63	26	7	-	-
Richland	2,331	2	194	633	666	547	227	60	2	-
Saluda	121	1	16	45	26	17	11	5	-	-
Spartanburg	1,654	1	199	531	479	302	117	24	1	-
Sumter	715	2	96	208	199	142	59	9	-	-
Union	154	-	17	59	32	33	11	2	-	-
Williamsburg	161	-	13	63	45	31	8	1	-	-
York	1,050	4	105	309	314	198	97	22	1	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

*Includes unknown race

Table C-22A.

Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age Group and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023

(Residence Data)

Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total Births	Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	8,830	8	906	2,981	2,463	1,576	716	169	11	-
Abbeville	55	-	10	13	17	10	4	1	-	-
Aiken	333	2	43	123	76	67	16	5	1	-
Allendale	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	542	1	60	209	144	89	29	9	1	-
Bamberg	12	-	3	6	1	1	1	-	-	-
Barnwell	57	1	9	20	14	7	3	3	-	-
Beaufort	196	-	5	65	53	45	22	4	2	-
Berkeley	389	-	32	121	123	73	32	8	-	-
Calhoun	16	-	1	8	6	1	-	-	-	-
Charleston	410	1	18	90	109	102	64	23	3	-
Cherokee	178	1	28	71	44	25	6	3	-	-
Chester	92	-	12	37	24	14	4	1	-	-
Chesterfield	125	-	12	48	31	22	10	2	-	-
Clarendon	42	-	6	16	8	8	4	-	-	-
Colleton	129	-	17	42	38	21	9	2	-	-
Darlington	159	-	21	52	47	23	15	1	-	-
Dillon	67	-	8	26	22	8	2	1	-	-
Dorchester	298	-	23	92	92	55	25	10	1	-
Edgefield	31	-	4	11	8	4	3	1	-	-
Fairfield	21	-	1	9	3	5	3	-	-	-
Florence	215	-	26	75	67	29	14	2	2	-
Georgetown	116	-	12	42	29	17	13	3	-	-
Greenville	677	1	61	219	199	121	57	19	-	-
Greenwood	122	-	12	43	28	27	12	-	-	-
Hampton	42	-	3	20	11	5	3	-	-	-
Horry	800	-	60	234	250	157	83	16	-	-
Jasper	36	-	-	15	15	5	-	1	-	-
Kershaw	167	-	24	52	49	32	9	1	-	-
Lancaster	181	-	13	79	49	29	9	2	-	-
Laurens	177	-	18	68	53	30	5	3	-	-
Lee	17	-	1	9	2	4	1	-	-	-
Lexington	556	-	53	183	145	106	54	14	1	-
McCormick	12	-	2	5	4	-	1	-	-	-
Marion	56	-	12	15	13	10	6	-	-	-
Marlboro	61	-	7	26	20	6	2	-	-	-
Newberry	71	-	10	32	11	10	7	1	-	-
Oconee	185	-	20	73	46	31	13	2	-	-
Orangeburg	103	1	9	37	26	22	6	2	-	-
Pickens	294	-	44	108	79	43	15	5	-	-
Richland	297	-	22	86	64	76	39	10	-	-
Saluda	37	-	4	15	10	2	5	1	-	-
Spartanburg	699	-	93	230	217	104	49	6	-	-
Sumter	173	-	28	63	48	24	8	2	-	-
Union	83	-	12	39	15	10	6	1	-	-
Williamsburg	30	-	1	19	6	4	-	-	-	-
York	470	-	46	134	147	92	47	4	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-22A. (continued)
Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age Group and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total Births	Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	12,563	19	1,261	3,769	3,475	2,680	1,114	235	10	-
Abbeville	55	-	7	20	15	8	4	1	-	-
Aiken	398	1	35	128	110	92	25	7	-	-
Allendale	59	-	12	17	18	10	-	2	-	-
Anderson	331	-	28	117	93	54	33	6	-	-
Bamberg	64	-	6	19	23	6	7	3	-	-
Barnwell	94	-	12	22	36	16	7	1	-	-
Beaufort	272	1	19	87	80	61	23	1	-	-
Berkeley	544	1	36	148	139	149	61	9	1	-
Calhoun	39	-	6	13	11	7	2	-	-	-
Charleston	844	-	86	273	191	182	90	21	1	-
Cherokee	142	-	15	42	45	28	9	3	-	-
Chester	131	1	8	45	30	37	10	-	-	-
Chesterfield	146	-	15	60	36	25	9	1	-	-
Clarendon	99	1	8	36	27	21	6	-	-	-
Colleton	148	-	19	48	39	24	17	1	-	-
Darlington	285	1	27	97	86	56	16	2	-	-
Dillon	158	1	23	51	38	26	17	2	-	-
Dorchester	416	-	42	112	127	80	41	12	2	-
Edgefield	66	-	4	26	16	15	5	-	-	-
Fairfield	83	-	6	15	26	26	9	1	-	-
Florence	615	-	82	178	169	120	55	11	-	-
Georgetown	127	-	15	34	36	24	14	4	-	-
Greenville	940	2	94	239	294	214	81	16	-	-
Greenwood	229	1	25	72	66	40	21	4	-	-
Hampton	87	-	15	23	19	20	8	2	-	-
Horry	520	1	50	178	132	105	44	10	-	-
Jasper	86	-	9	24	28	21	4	-	-	-
Kershaw	130	-	14	49	25	28	11	3	-	-
Lancaster	181	-	13	57	58	31	21	1	-	-
Laurens	153	-	21	40	44	29	17	2	-	-
Lee	104	-	14	40	21	17	9	3	-	-
Lexington	431	1	39	121	123	97	43	6	1	-
McCormick	24	-	1	4	11	5	2	1	-	-
Marion	168	-	21	52	37	37	16	5	-	-
Marlboro	121	-	12	47	32	21	5	3	1	-
Newberry	122	-	13	46	33	20	8	2	-	-
Oconee	52	-	8	20	15	3	4	2	-	-
Orangeburg	425	-	50	134	101	95	36	9	-	-
Pickens	54	-	8	14	15	9	7	1	-	-
Richland	1,762	2	142	482	518	410	165	41	2	-
Saluda	33	-	4	12	8	6	1	2	-	-
Spartanburg	679	1	74	205	184	154	49	11	1	-
Sumter	496	1	60	129	138	112	49	7	-	-
Union	66	-	5	19	17	20	4	1	-	-
Williamsburg	128	-	11	43	38	27	8	1	-	-
York	456	3	47	131	127	92	41	14	1	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table C-22A. (continued)
Live Births to Unmarried Mothers by Age Group and Race of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	Total Births	Under 15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years	Unknown
South Carolina	4,407	11	603	1,349	1,179	731	409	118	7	-
Abbeville	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aiken	130	2	22	35	33	17	17	4	-	-
Allendale	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	119	-	20	34	33	22	8	2	-	-
Bamberg	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Barnwell	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	266	-	24	93	62	48	31	8	-	-
Berkeley	303	-	38	89	83	55	29	8	1	-
Calhoun	4	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-
Charleston	469	1	80	139	130	60	50	9	-	-
Cherokee	20	-	2	7	6	3	2	-	-	-
Chester	7	-	1	3	-	2	1	-	-	-
Chesterfield	26	-	6	11	3	4	2	-	-	-
Clarendon	10	-	1	3	4	1	-	1	-	-
Colleton	13	-	1	3	5	3	1	-	-	-
Darlington	22	-	3	11	4	3	1	-	-	-
Dillon	10	-	2	5	1	2	-	-	-	-
Dorchester	168	1	28	39	47	33	16	4	-	-
Edgefield	5	-	1	-	2	-	1	1	-	-
Fairfield	5	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	-
Florence	48	-	7	18	13	9	1	-	-	-
Georgetown	21	-	5	5	6	4	1	-	-	-
Greenville	749	-	92	222	210	132	72	20	1	-
Greenwood	63	-	12	16	15	11	6	3	-	-
Hampton	6	-	-	3	1	2	-	-	-	-
Horry	389	3	52	107	104	67	39	15	2	-
Jasper	148	-	22	49	43	16	14	4	-	-
Kershaw	44	-	9	12	11	5	3	3	1	-
Lancaster	54	1	10	12	17	8	3	2	1	-
Laurens	50	-	8	18	9	10	4	1	-	-
Lee	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lexington	275	-	41	83	59	53	32	7	-	-
McCormick	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	15	-	2	10	1	-	2	-	-	-
Marlboro	3	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Newberry	45	-	6	19	13	3	2	1	1	-
Oconee	38	-	5	18	10	3	1	1	-	-
Orangeburg	38	-	5	11	13	6	2	1	-	-
Pickens	57	-	5	22	14	11	4	1	-	-
Richland	272	-	30	65	84	61	23	9	-	-
Saluda	51	1	8	18	8	9	5	2	-	-
Spartanburg	276	-	32	96	78	44	19	7	-	-
Sumter	46	1	8	16	13	6	2	-	-	-
Union	5	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-
Williamsburg	3	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
York	124	1	12	44	40	14	9	4	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

LIVE BIRTHS BY BIRTHWEIGHT

Birthweight distribution by race reveals racial differences. For both races, the highest percentage of births weighed between 3,000-3,499 grams. However, the median birthweight for non-hispanic whites was the greatest, followed by hispanic and non-hispanic black and other. Figure C-7 illustrates the birthweight distribution by race.

Table C-23.
Live Births by Birthweight Groups by Race of Mother:
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Weight Group	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black & Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	57,721 *	100.0	32,155	100.0	17,570	100.0	7,981	100.0
Less Than 2,500 grams	5,768 *	10.0	2,330	7.2	2,784	15.8	649	8.1
Under 500 grams	136 *	0.2	41	0.1	76	0.4	18	0.2
500-999 grams	337	0.6	123	0.4	180	1.0	34	0.4
1,000-1,499 grams	486 *	0.8	180	0.6	255	1.5	50	0.6
1,500-1,999 grams	1,079 *	1.9	447	1.4	510	2.9	120	1.5
2,000-2,499 grams	3,730 *	6.5	1,539	4.8	1,763	10.0	427	5.4
2,500 or More grams	51,945 *	90.0	29,819	92.7	14,784	84.1	7,332	91.9
2,500-2,999 grams	11,866 *	20.6	5,347	16.6	4,902	27.9	1,615	20.2
3,000-3,499 grams	22,250 *	38.5	12,390	38.5	6,497	37.0	3,359	42.1
3,500-3,999 grams	13,959 *	24.2	9,270	28.8	2,789	15.9	1,897	23.8
4,000-4,499 grams	3,386 *	5.9	2,454	7.6	519	3.0	412	5.2
4,500-4,999 grams	450	0.8	330	1.0	72	0.4	48	0.6
5,000 or more grams	34	0.1	28	0.1	5	0.0	1	0.0

*Includes unknown race

Figure C-7.
Percent Distribution of Live Births by Birthweight (in grams)
and Race of Mother, South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

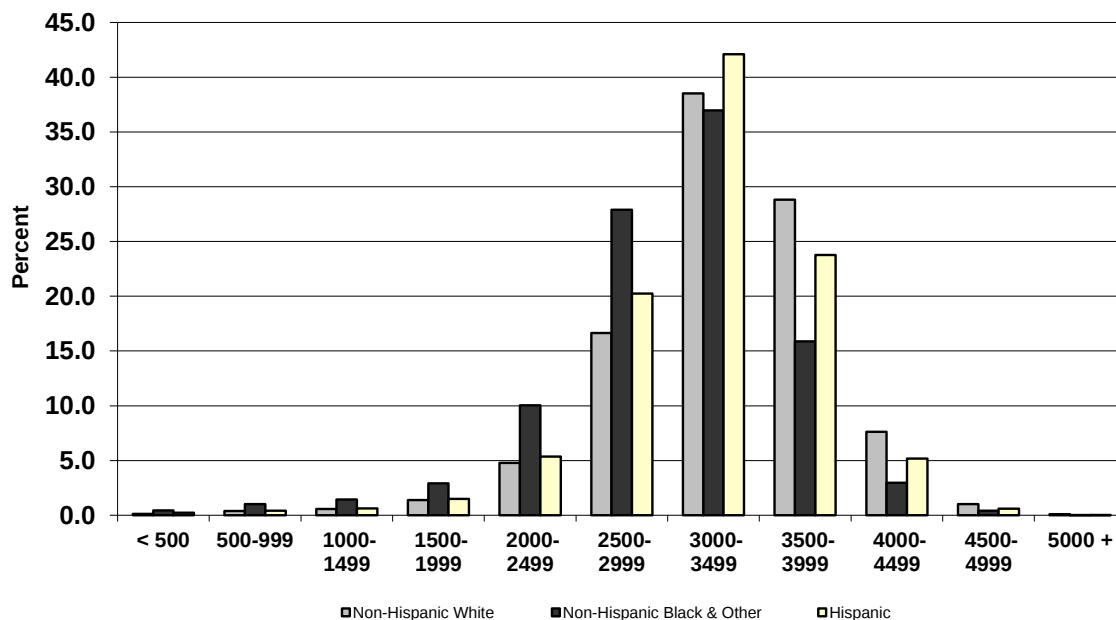


Table C-24.
Live Births by Birthweight, Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Age and Race	Birthweight						
	Total Births	< 500 Grams	500-1499 Grams	1500-2499 Grams	2500-4999 Grams	5000 + Grams	Not Stated
South Carolina	57,721 *	136	823	4,809	51,911	34	8
Non-Hispanic White	32,155	41	303	1,986	29,791	28	6
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	17,570	76	435	2,273	14,779	5	2
Hispanic	7,981	18	84	547	7,331	1	-
Under 15 Years	39	-	1	6	32	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	8	-	1	2	5	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	19	-	-	4	15	-	-
Hispanic	12	-	-	-	12	-	-
15-19 Years	2,967	17	59	339	2,551	-	1
Non-Hispanic White	1,014	2	20	90	902	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	1,281	12	32	184	1,052	-	1
Hispanic	672	3	7	65	597	-	-
20-24 Years	11,338 *	24	164	981	10,165	4	-
Non-Hispanic White	5,295	7	54	344	4,886	4	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	4,163	10	94	500	3,559	-	-
Hispanic	1,875	7	15	135	1,718	-	-
25-34 Years	33,426 *	71	429	2,553	30,344	23	6
Non-Hispanic White	20,069	23	165	1,119	18,736	21	5
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	9,294	41	228	1,184	7,838	2	1
Hispanic	4,059	7	36	250	3,766	-	-
35-44 Years	9,831 *	24	166	916	8,717	7	1
Non-Hispanic White	5,702	9	62	425	5,202	3	1
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	2,778	13	79	396	2,287	3	-
Hispanic	1,345	1	25	94	1,224	1	-
45 and Over	120	-	4	14	102	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	67	-	1	6	60	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	35	-	2	5	28	-	-
Hispanic	18	-	1	3	14	-	-
Not Stated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-25.
Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County and Race	Total Births	Birthweight					
		< 500 Grams	500-1499 Grams	1500-2499 Grams	2500-4999 Grams	5000+ Grams	Unknown
South Carolina	57,721 *	136	823	4,809	51,911	34	8
Non-Hispanic White	32,155	41	303	1,986	29,791	28	6
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	17,570	76	435	2,273	14,779	5	2
Hispanic	7,981	18	84	547	7,331	1	-
Abbeville	241	-	4	19	218	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	176	-	3	6	167	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	61	-	1	12	48	-	-
Hispanic	4	-	-	1	3	-	-
Aiken	1,906 *	7	20	169	1,709	-	1
Non-Hispanic White	1,078	1	9	77	991	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	565	4	9	77	474	-	1
Hispanic	254	2	2	14	236	-	-
Allendale	70	-	1	8	61	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	5	-	-	1	4	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	61	-	1	7	53	-	-
Hispanic	4	-	-	-	4	-	-
Anderson	2,362	4	24	190	2,143	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	1,710	3	11	106	1,589	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	423	-	10	66	347	-	-
Hispanic	229	1	3	18	207	-	-
Bamberg	128	-	3	19	106	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	49	-	-	4	45	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	75	-	3	15	57	-	-
Hispanic	4	-	-	-	4	-	-
Barnwell	247	1	3	26	217	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	131	-	-	8	123	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	105	1	3	18	83	-	-
Hispanic	11	-	-	-	11	-	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	4	27	137	1,725	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	982	2	8	61	910	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	405	1	13	44	347	-	-
Hispanic	506	1	6	32	467	-	-
Berkeley	3,130 *	7	46	267	2,809	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	1,648	1	17	106	1,523	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	895	5	22	111	757	-	-
Hispanic	586	1	7	50	528	-	-
Calhoun	121	1	1	12	107	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	61	-	1	2	58	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	52	1	-	9	42	-	-
Hispanic	8	-	-	1	7	-	-

Table C-25. (continued)
Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County and Race	Total Births	Birthweight					
		< 500 Grams	1000-1499 Grams	2000-2499 Grams	2500-2999 Grams	5000+ Grams	Unknown
Charleston	4,856	8	40	394	4,414	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	2,901	4	16	158	2,723	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	1,154	3	19	178	954	-	-
Hispanic	801	1	5	58	737	-	-
Cherokee	625	1	10	53	560	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	409	-	5	28	375	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	170	1	4	24	141	-	-
Hispanic	46	-	1	1	44	-	-
Chester	344	1	7	25	310	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	187	-	4	9	173	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	145	1	2	16	126	-	-
Hispanic	12	-	1	-	11	-	-
Chesterfield	487	-	10	41	436	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	275	-	1	20	254	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	174	-	8	20	146	-	-
Hispanic	38	-	1	1	36	-	-
Clarendon	279	2	4	28	245	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	140	-	-	10	130	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	124	2	4	16	102	-	-
Hispanic	15	-	-	2	13	-	-
Colleton	439	1	7	53	377	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	240	-	2	25	213	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	175	1	4	26	143	1	-
Hispanic	24	-	1	2	21	-	-
Darlington	714	1	11	71	631	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	343	1	5	28	309	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	341	-	6	40	295	-	-
Hispanic	30	-	-	3	27	-	-
Dillon	343	3	9	46	285	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	142	2	-	15	125	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	181	1	9	29	142	-	-
Hispanic	20	-	-	2	18	-	-
Dorchester	1,990	3	32	152	1,796	5	2
Non-Hispanic White	1,066	-	13	63	985	3	2
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	620	3	16	70	529	2	-
Hispanic	304	-	3	19	282	-	-

Table C-25. (continued)
Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County and Race	Total Births	Birthweight					
		< 500 Grams	1000-1499 Grams	2000-2499 Grams	2500-2999 Grams	5000+ Grams	Unknown
Edgefield	217	1	6	24	186	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	125	-	-	9	116	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	81	1	6	13	61	-	-
Hispanic	11	-	-	2	9	-	-
Fairfield	170	1	3	18	148	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	61	1	-	4	56	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	103	-	3	13	87	-	-
Hispanic	6	-	-	1	5	-	-
Florence	1,564	4	35	187	1,337	-	1
Non-Hispanic White	660	-	8	54	597	-	1
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	804	4	27	127	646	-	-
Hispanic	100	-	-	6	94	-	-
Georgetown	497	1	8	45	443	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	294	-	1	18	275	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	170	1	7	25	137	-	-
Hispanic	33	-	-	2	31	-	-
Greenville	6,600	10	93	451	6,039	7	-
Non-Hispanic White	3,811	3	42	208	3,551	7	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	1,435	4	34	153	1,244	-	-
Hispanic	1,354	3	17	90	1,244	-	-
Greenwood	746	5	14	68	658	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	371	2	3	22	343	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	267	3	10	37	217	-	-
Hispanic	108	-	1	9	98	-	-
Hampton	205	2	2	20	181	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	92	-	1	3	88	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	105	2	1	17	85	-	-
Hispanic	8	-	-	-	8	-	-
Horry	3,372	5	35	246	3,084	2	-
Non-Hispanic White	2,025	4	22	114	1,884	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	702	1	8	89	603	1	-
Hispanic	645	-	5	43	597	-	-
Jasper	451 *	-	9	48	394	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	129	-	1	11	117	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	106	-	5	17	84	-	-
Hispanic	214	-	2	19	193	-	-

Table C-25. (continued)
Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County and Race	Total Births	Birthweight					
		< 500 Grams	1000-1499 Grams	2000-2499 Grams	2500-2999 Grams	5000+ Grams	Unknown
Kershaw	758	1	10	53	692	2	-
Non-Hispanic White	466	-	3	29	432	2	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	211	1	4	22	184	-	-
Hispanic	81	-	3	2	76	-	-
Lancaster	1,234	2	15	105	1,112	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	765	1	9	51	704	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	359	1	6	49	303	-	-
Hispanic	110	-	-	5	105	-	-
Laurens	750	2	11	58	678	-	1
Non-Hispanic White	477	2	5	26	444	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	193	-	5	25	162	-	1
Hispanic	80	-	1	7	72	-	-
Lee	166	3	2	21	140	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	45	-	1	3	41	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	116	3	1	17	95	-	-
Hispanic	5	-	-	1	4	-	-
Lexington	3,136 *	9	36	259	2,830	2	-
Non-Hispanic White	1,924	2	13	135	1,772	2	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	722	5	20	84	613	-	-
Hispanic	489	2	3	39	445	-	-
McCormick	57	-	-	8	49	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	28	-	-	5	23	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	27	-	-	3	24	-	-
Hispanic	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Marion	326	6	12	42	266	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	112	1	5	7	99	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	194	5	7	34	148	-	-
Hispanic	20	-	-	1	19	-	-
Marlboro	258	1	6	26	224	-	1
Non-Hispanic White	117	-	2	13	101	-	1
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	138	1	4	12	121	-	-
Hispanic	3	-	-	1	2	-	-
Newberry	420	-	6	33	381	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	200	-	1	13	186	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	144	-	5	16	123	-	-
Hispanic	76	-	-	4	72	-	-
Oconee	671	-	6	50	615	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	515	-	3	38	474	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	73	-	1	11	61	-	-
Hispanic	83	-	2	1	80	-	-

Table C-25. (continued)
Live Births by Birthweight and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County and Race	Total Births	Birthweight					
		< 500 Grams	1000-1499 Grams	2000-2499 Grams	2500-2999 Grams	5000+ Grams	Unknown
Orangeburg	793 *	4	9	92	688	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	236	1	2	20	213	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	507	2	7	70	428	-	-
Hispanic	49	-	-	2	47	-	-
Pickens	1,204	2	16	66	1,118	1	1
Non-Hispanic White	993	2	11	49	929	1	1
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	110	-	1	10	99	-	-
Hispanic	101	-	4	7	90	-	-
Richland	4,536	19	88	438	3,989	2	-
Non-Hispanic White	1,536	1	12	102	1,420	1	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	2,532	14	72	309	2,137	-	-
Hispanic	468	4	4	27	432	1	-
Saluda	207	-	3	18	186	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	90	-	1	10	79	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	35	-	2	3	30	-	-
Hispanic	82	-	-	5	77	-	-
Spartanburg	4,413	4	65	322	4,019	3	-
Non-Hispanic White	2,856	2	33	166	2,652	3	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	991	1	24	114	852	-	-
Hispanic	566	1	8	42	515	-	-
Sumter	1,296	-	31	132	1,132	1	-
Non-Hispanic White	558	-	8	31	519	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	648	-	23	96	528	1	-
Hispanic	90	-	-	5	85	-	-
Union	236	-	5	17	214	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	152	-	3	10	139	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	77	-	2	7	68	-	-
Hispanic	7	-	-	-	7	-	-
Williamsburg	255	-	2	36	217	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	88	-	1	8	79	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	164	-	1	28	135	-	-
Hispanic	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
York	3,007	10	36	216	2,742	2	1
Non-Hispanic White	1,886	5	17	100	1,761	2	1
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	830	3	15	94	718	-	-
Hispanic	291	2	4	22	263	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Hispanic White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Hispanic Black/Other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hispanic	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

LOW WEIGHT LIVE BIRTHS

Live births under 5 pounds 8 ounces or less than 2,500 grams are characterized as low weight live births. Low weight live births accounted for 10.0 percent of the 57,721 resident births in 2023. In relation to age of mother, low weight births were comparatively frequent among very young mothers. In year 2023, 17.9 percent of all lives births to mothers under 15 were low birth weight. Only 9.1 percent of all live births to mothers 25-34 were low weight.

Figure C-8
Percent* of Live Births Less than 2,500 Grams by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

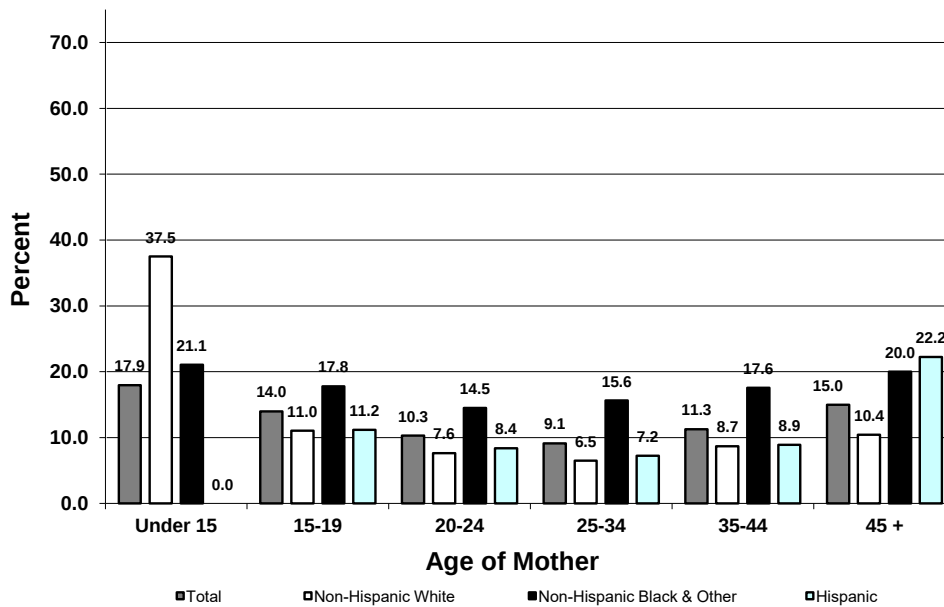


Table C-26.
Percent* of Live Births Less Than 2,500 Grams by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	Under 15	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45 +
Total	17.9	14.0	10.3	9.1	11.3	15.0
Non-Hispanic White	37.5	11.0	7.6	6.5	8.7	10.4
Non-Hispanic Black & Other	21.1	17.8	14.5	15.6	17.6	20.0
Hispanic	0.0	11.2	8.4	7.2	8.9	22.2

* Percentages are based on total live births within each age group

Table C-27.

Low Weight¹ Live Births and Percent of Low Weight Live Births by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	5,768 *	10.0	2,330	7.2	2,784	15.8	649	8.1
Abbeville	23	9.5	9	5.1	13	21.3	1	25.0
Aiken	196 *	10.3	87	8.1	90	15.9	18	7.1
Allendale	9	12.9	1	20.0	8	13.1	-	0
Anderson	218	9.2	120	7.0	76	18.0	22	9.6
Bamberg	22	17.2	4	8.2	18	24.0	-	0
Barnwell	30	12.1	8	6.1	22	21.0	-	0
Beaufort	168	8.9	71	7.2	58	14.3	39	7.7
Berkeley	320	10.2	124	7.5	138	15.4	58	9.9
Calhoun	14	11.6	3	4.9	10	19.2	1	12.5
Charleston	442	9.1	178	6.1	200	17.3	64	8.0
Cherokee	64	10.2	33	8.1	29	17.1	2	4.3
Chester	33	9.6	13	7.0	19	13.1	1	8.3
Chesterfield	51	10.5	21	7.6	28	16.1	2	5.3
Clarendon	34	12.2	10	7.1	22	17.7	2	13.3
Colleton	61	13.9	27	11.3	31	17.7	3	12.5
Darlington	83	11.6	34	9.9	46	13.5	3	10.0
Dillon	58	16.9	17	12.0	39	21.5	2	10.0
Dorchester	187	9.4	76	7.1	89	14.4	22	7.2
Edgefield	31	14.3	9	7.2	20	24.7	2	18.2
Fairfield	22	12.9	5	8.2	16	15.5	1	16.7
Florence	226	14.5	62	9.4	158	19.7	6	6.0
Georgetown	54	10.9	19	6.5	33	19.4	2	6.1
Greenville	554	8.4	253	6.6	191	13.3	110	8.1
Greenwood	87	11.7	27	7.3	50	18.7	10	9.3
Hampton	24	11.7	4	4.3	20	19.0	-	0
Horry	286	8.5	140	6.9	98	14.0	48	7.4
Jasper	57 *	12.6	12	9.3	22	20.8	21	9.8
Kershaw	64	8.4	32	6.9	27	12.8	5	6.2
Lancaster	122	9.9	61	8.0	56	15.6	5	4.5
Laurens	71	9.5	33	6.9	30	15.5	8	10.0
Lee	26	15.7	4	8.9	21	18.1	1	20.0
Lexington	304 *	9.7	150	7.8	109	15.1	44	9.0
McCormick	8	14.0	5	17.9	3	11.1	-	0
Marion	60	18.4	13	11.6	46	23.7	1	5.0
Marlboro	33	12.8	15	12.8	17	12.3	1	33.3
Newberry	39	9.3	14	7.0	21	14.6	4	5.3
Oconee	56	8.3	41	8.0	12	16.4	3	3.6
Orangeburg	105 *	13.2	23	9.7	79	15.6	2	4.1
Pickens	84	7.0	62	6.2	11	10.0	11	10.9
Richland	545	12.0	115	7.5	395	15.6	35	7.5
Saluda	21	10.1	11	12.2	5	14.3	5	6.1
Spartanburg	391	8.9	201	7.0	139	14.0	51	9.0
Sumter	163	12.6	39	7.0	119	18.4	5	5.6
Union	22	9.3	13	8.6	9	11.7	-	0
Williamsburg	38	14.9	9	10.2	29	17.7	-	0
York	262	8.7	122	6.5	112	13.5	28	9.6
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams
 * Includes unknown race

Table C-28.
Low Weight¹ Live Births by Age of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total	Age of Mother (Years)								
		<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	5,768 *	7	415	1,169	1,528	1,525	885	221	18	-
Abbeville	23	-	2	7	6	4	4	-	-	-
Aiken	196 *	1	11	48	52	49	26	7	2	-
Allendale	9	-	2	3	4	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	218	-	12	47	67	55	31	6	-	-
Bamberg	22	-	-	5	5	6	5	1	-	-
Barnwell	30	-	4	4	14	6	2	-	-	-
Beaufort	168	1	10	37	58	36	22	3	1	-
Berkeley	320	-	20	59	94	94	41	10	2	-
Calhoun	14	-	1	4	3	3	2	1	-	-
Charleston	442	-	30	78	96	110	96	31	1	-
Cherokee	64	-	6	15	22	16	3	1	1	-
Chester	33	-	1	9	4	15	3	1	-	-
Chesterfield	51	-	4	16	19	6	5	-	1	-
Clarendon	34	-	2	13	4	7	4	4	-	-
Colleton	61	-	4	14	17	16	9	1	-	-
Darlington	83	-	5	17	23	26	8	3	1	-
Dillon	58	-	6	19	15	11	6	1	-	-
Dorchester	187	-	16	26	48	57	32	8	-	-
Edgefield	31	-	1	9	8	8	5	-	-	-
Fairfield	22	-	1	5	6	5	5	-	-	-
Florence	226	-	20	42	57	65	33	9	-	-
Georgetown	54	-	5	14	16	8	9	2	-	-
Greenville	554	1	31	86	162	150	100	24	-	-
Greenwood	87	-	7	15	27	21	15	1	1	-
Hampton	24	-	3	7	1	7	3	2	1	-
Horry	286	-	15	58	81	80	40	11	1	-
Jasper	57 *	-	5	19	14	12	7	-	-	-
Kershaw	64	-	5	13	6	29	8	2	1	-
Lancaster	122	-	2	26	37	29	21	7	-	-
Laurens	71	-	5	17	22	18	6	3	-	-
Lee	26	-	1	12	5	7	1	-	-	-
Lexington	304 *	-	21	57	82	78	58	8	-	-
McCormick	8	-	-	3	3	-	1	1	-	-
Marion	60	-	12	9	9	14	13	3	-	-
Marlboro	33	-	2	8	10	7	5	1	-	-
Newberry	39	-	7	13	7	6	4	1	1	-
Oconee	56	-	4	6	13	17	14	2	-	-
Orangeburg	105 *	1	12	22	20	33	14	3	-	-
Pickens	84	-	7	17	30	22	8	-	-	-
Richland	545	1	40	102	131	158	90	21	2	-
Saluda	21	-	1	8	2	4	3	3	-	-
Spartanburg	391	-	32	85	97	100	52	24	1	-
Sumter	163	-	17	37	47	39	19	4	-	-
Union	22	-	2	2	4	11	2	1	-	-
Williamsburg	38	-	3	13	14	7	1	-	-	-
York	262	2	18	43	66	73	49	10	1	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams

* Includes unknown race

Table C-28A.

Low Weight¹ Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	Total	Age of Mother (Years)								
		<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	2,330	3	112	405	658	649	418	78	7	-
Abbeville	9	-	2	2	3	-	2	-	-	-
Aiken	87	1	6	16	24	23	13	3	1	-
Allendale	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	120	-	4	26	38	34	17	1	-	-
Bamberg	4	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Barnwell	8	-	2	1	4	1	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	71	-	-	15	25	16	12	2	1	-
Berkeley	124	-	4	16	41	37	20	5	1	-
Calhoun	3	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Charleston	178	-	2	12	29	57	64	14	-	-
Cherokee	33	-	2	7	11	11	1	-	1	-
Chester	13	-	1	3	3	5	-	1	-	-
Chesterfield	21	-	-	4	9	3	5	-	-	-
Clarendon	10	-	-	4	-	2	1	3	-	-
Colleton	27	-	2	7	8	6	3	1	-	-
Darlington	34	-	2	6	7	10	6	2	1	-
Dillon	17	-	-	4	6	5	2	-	-	-
Dorchester	76	-	6	8	21	26	14	1	-	-
Edgefield	9	-	-	3	1	2	3	-	-	-
Fairfield	5	-	-	2	-	1	2	-	-	-
Florence	62	-	6	9	17	18	10	2	-	-
Georgetown	19	-	-	6	7	3	3	-	-	-
Greenville	253	1	8	32	84	66	54	8	-	-
Greenwood	27	-	-	6	9	7	5	-	-	-
Hampton	4	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-
Horry	140	-	5	28	48	36	19	4	-	-
Jasper	12	-	-	3	4	4	1	-	-	-
Kershaw	32	-	2	4	4	16	6	-	-	-
Lancaster	61	-	-	14	20	15	9	3	-	-
Laurens	33	-	2	8	9	10	3	1	-	-
Lee	4	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Lexington	150	-	6	25	39	42	35	3	-	-
McCormick	5	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-
Marion	13	-	4	2	-	1	6	-	-	-
Marlboro	15	-	-	4	4	6	1	-	-	-
Newberry	14	-	3	3	1	4	2	1	-	-
Oconee	41	-	2	4	10	13	12	-	-	-
Orangeburg	23	1	2	2	6	7	5	-	-	-
Pickens	62	-	5	14	20	16	7	-	-	-
Richland	115	-	4	17	31	36	23	4	-	-
Saluda	11	-	-	6	1	2	1	1	-	-
Spartanburg	201	-	19	43	49	53	24	12	1	-
Sumter	39	-	3	10	12	9	4	1	-	-
Union	13	-	1	-	3	9	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	9	-	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-
York	122	-	7	14	42	36	19	4	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams

Table C-28A. (continued)
Low Weight¹ Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	Total	Age of Mother (Years)								
		<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	2,784	4	228	604	731	722	382	106	7	-
Abbeville	13	-	-	5	3	3	2	-	-	-
Aiken	90	-	3	25	21	26	10	4	1	-
Allendale	8	-	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	76	-	6	17	25	16	10	2	-	-
Bamberg	18	-	-	5	3	6	3	1	-	-
Barnwell	22	-	2	3	10	5	2	-	-	-
Beaufort	58	1	5	9	22	15	6	-	-	-
Berkeley	138	-	9	27	40	41	16	4	1	-
Calhoun	10	-	1	1	3	2	2	1	-	-
Charleston	200	-	18	58	47	41	27	9	-	-
Cherokee	29	-	4	7	11	4	2	1	-	-
Chester	19	-	-	6	1	10	2	-	-	-
Chesterfield	28	-	4	10	10	3	-	-	1	-
Clarendon	22	-	2	9	2	5	3	1	-	-
Colleton	31	-	1	6	9	9	6	-	-	-
Darlington	46	-	2	10	16	16	1	1	-	-
Dillon	39	-	5	15	9	5	4	1	-	-
Dorchester	89	-	6	16	21	25	16	5	-	-
Edgefield	20	-	1	6	6	5	2	-	-	-
Fairfield	16	-	-	3	6	4	3	-	-	-
Florence	158	-	14	32	38	44	23	7	-	-
Georgetown	33	-	4	8	9	5	5	2	-	-
Greenville	191	-	16	31	57	51	27	9	-	-
Greenwood	50	-	6	6	18	11	8	-	1	-
Hampton	20	-	3	5	1	7	2	2	-	-
Horry	98	-	5	24	22	30	13	4	-	-
Jasper	22	-	2	3	8	7	2	-	-	-
Kershaw	27	-	2	9	2	12	2	-	-	-
Lancaster	56	-	2	11	16	13	11	3	-	-
Laurens	30	-	3	4	12	7	3	1	-	-
Lee	21	-	1	9	4	6	1	-	-	-
Lexington	109	-	9	20	35	24	18	3	-	-
McCormick	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	46	-	8	6	9	13	7	3	-	-
Marlboro	17	-	2	3	6	1	4	1	-	-
Newberry	21	-	3	9	6	1	2	-	-	-
Oconee	12	-	1	1	3	4	1	2	-	-
Orangeburg	79	-	10	20	14	24	8	3	-	-
Pickens	11	-	1	-	6	3	1	-	-	-
Richland	395	1	29	78	91	115	65	14	2	-
Saluda	5	-	1	-	1	1	1	1	-	-
Spartanburg	139	-	9	24	38	38	19	11	-	-
Sumter	119	-	13	26	34	28	15	3	-	-
Union	9	-	1	2	1	2	2	1	-	-
Williamsburg	29	-	3	8	10	7	1	-	-	-
York	112	2	9	24	19	27	24	6	1	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams

Table C-28A. (continued)
Low Weight¹ Live Births by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	Total	Age of Mother (Years)								
		<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	649	-	75	157	139	154	83	37	4	-
Abbeville	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Aiken	18	-	2	6	7	-	3	-	-	-
Allendale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	22	-	2	4	4	5	4	3	-	-
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	39	-	5	13	11	5	4	1	-	-
Berkeley	58	-	7	16	13	16	5	1	-	-
Calhoun	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston	64	-	10	8	20	12	5	8	1	-
Cherokee	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Chester	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Chesterfield	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarendon	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Colleton	3	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Darlington	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Dillon	2	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Dorchester	22	-	4	2	6	6	2	2	-	-
Edgefield	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Fairfield	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florence	6	-	-	1	2	3	-	-	-	-
Georgetown	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Greenville	110	-	7	23	21	33	19	7	-	-
Greenwood	10	-	1	3	-	3	2	1	-	-
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	48	-	5	6	11	14	8	3	1	-
Jasper	21	-	3	11	2	1	4	-	-	-
Kershaw	5	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	1	-
Lancaster	5	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	-
Laurens	8	-	-	5	1	1	-	1	-	-
Lee	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lexington	44	-	6	12	8	12	4	2	-	-
McCormick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marlboro	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	4	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1	-
Oconee	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Orangeburg	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Pickens	11	-	1	3	4	3	-	-	-	-
Richland	35	-	7	7	9	7	2	3	-	-
Saluda	5	-	-	2	-	1	1	1	-	-
Spartanburg	51	-	4	18	10	9	9	1	-	-
Sumter	5	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
York	28	-	2	5	5	10	6	-	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹ Live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams

Table C-29.

Very Low Weight¹ Live Births and Percent of Very Low Weight Live Births by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	959 *	1.7	344	1.1	511	2.9	102	1.3
Abbeville	4	1.7	3	1.7	1	1.6	-	0
Aiken	27	1.4	10	0.9	13	2.3	4	1.6
Allendale	1	1.4	-	0	1	1.6	-	0
Anderson	28	1.2	14	0.8	10	2.4	4	1.7
Bamberg	3	2.3	-	0	3	4.0	-	0
Barnwell	4	1.6	-	0	4	3.8	-	0
Beaufort	31	1.6	10	1.0	14	3.5	7	1.4
Berkeley	53	1.7	18	1.1	27	3.0	8	1.4
Calhoun	2	1.7	1	1.6	1	1.9	-	0
Charleston	48	1.0	20	0.7	22	1.9	6	0.7
Cherokee	11	1.8	5	1.2	5	2.9	1	2.2
Chester	8	2.3	4	2.1	3	2.1	1	8.3
Chesterfield	10	2.1	1	0.4	8	4.6	1	2.6
Clarendon	6	2.2	-	0	6	4.8	-	0
Colleton	8	1.8	2	0.8	5	2.9	1	4.2
Darlington	12	1.7	6	1.7	6	1.8	-	0
Dillon	12	3.5	2	1.4	10	5.5	-	0
Dorchester	35	1.8	13	1.2	19	3.1	3	1.0
Edgefield	7	3.2	-	0	7	8.6	-	0
Fairfield	4	2.4	1	1.6	3	2.9	-	0
Florence	39	2.5	8	1.2	31	3.9	-	0
Georgetown	9	1.8	1	0.3	8	4.7	-	0
Greenville	103	1.6	45	1.2	38	2.6	20	1.5
Greenwood	19	2.5	5	1.3	13	4.9	1	0.9
Hampton	4	2.0	1	1.1	3	2.9	-	0
Horry	40	1.2	26	1.3	9	1.3	5	0.8
Jasper	9 *	2.0	1	0.8	5	4.7	2	0.9
Kershaw	11	1.5	3	0.6	5	2.4	3	3.7
Lancaster	17	1.4	10	1.3	7	1.9	-	0
Laurens	13	1.7	7	1.5	5	2.6	1	1.3
Lee	5	3.0	1	2.2	4	3.4	-	0
Lexington	45	1.4	15	0.8	25	3.5	5	1.0
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	18	5.5	6	5.4	12	6.2	-	0
Marlboro	7	2.7	2	1.7	5	3.6	-	0
Newberry	6	1.4	1	0.5	5	3.5	-	0
Oconee	6	0.9	3	0.6	1	1.4	2	2.4
Orangeburg	13 *	1.6	3	1.3	9	1.8	-	0
Pickens	18	1.5	13	1.3	1	0.9	4	4.0
Richland	107	2.4	13	0.8	86	3.4	8	1.7
Saluda	3	1.4	1	1.1	2	5.7	-	0
Spartanburg	69	1.6	35	1.2	25	2.5	9	1.6
Sumter	31	2.4	8	1.4	23	3.5	-	0
Union	5	2.1	3	2.0	2	2.6	-	0
Williamsburg	2	0.8	1	1.1	1	0.6	-	0
York	46	1.5	22	1.2	18	2.2	6	2.1
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹Live birth weighing less than 1,500 grams

* Includes unknown race

Table C-30.

Live Births and Number of Births with Congenital Anomalies by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Live Births	Anomalies	Live Births	Anomalies	Live Births	Anomalies	Live Births	Anomalies
South Carolina	57,721 *	230	32,155	127	17,570	67	7,981	36
Abbeville	241	-	176	-	61	-	4	-
Aiken	1,906 *	5	1,078	3	565	1	254	1
Allendale	70	-	5	-	61	-	4	-
Anderson	2,362	8	1,710	6	423	2	229	-
Bamberg	128	-	49	-	75	-	4	-
Barnwell	247	-	131	-	105	-	11	-
Beaufort	1,894 *	12	982	7	405	3	506	2
Berkeley	3,130 *	16	1,648	8	895	4	586	4
Calhoun	121	1	61	1	52	-	8	-
Charleston	4,856	35	2,901	23	1,154	9	801	3
Cherokee	625	3	409	2	170	1	46	-
Chester	344	1	187	1	145	-	12	-
Chesterfield	487	4	275	2	174	2	38	-
Clarendon	279	1	140	-	124	1	15	-
Colleton	439	-	240	-	175	-	24	-
Darlington	714	7	343	6	341	1	30	-
Dillon	343	2	142	1	181	1	20	-
Dorchester	1,990	8	1,066	3	620	2	304	3
Edgefield	217	1	125	1	81	-	11	-
Fairfield	170	-	61	-	103	-	6	-
Florence	1,564	16	660	5	804	10	100	1
Georgetown	497	3	294	1	170	1	33	1
Greenville	6,600	15	3,811	11	1,435	2	1,354	2
Greenwood	746	3	371	1	267	1	108	1
Hampton	205	-	92	-	105	-	8	-
Horry	3,372	24	2,025	13	702	2	645	9
Jasper	451 *	1	129	1	106	-	214	-
Kershaw	758	3	466	2	211	-	81	1
Lancaster	1,234	1	765	1	359	-	110	-
Laurens	750	3	477	2	193	-	80	1
Lee	166	3	45	-	116	3	5	-
Lexington	3,136 *	3	1,924	3	722	-	489	-
McCormick	57	-	28	-	27	-	2	-
Marion	326	-	112	-	194	-	20	-
Marlboro	258	2	117	1	138	1	3	-
Newberry	420	2	200	1	144	1	76	-
Oconee	671	3	515	3	73	-	83	-
Orangeburg	793 *	5	236	2	507	3	49	-
Pickens	1,204	4	993	2	110	-	101	2
Richland	4,536	11	1,536	3	2,532	8	468	-
Saluda	207	-	90	-	35	-	82	-
Spartanburg	4,413	10	2,856	7	991	2	566	1
Sumter	1,296	3	558	-	648	3	90	-
Union	236	-	152	-	77	-	7	-
Williamsburg	255	3	88	1	164	2	3	-
York	3,007	8	1,886	3	830	1	291	4
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-31.
Live Births by Gestational Age
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	TOTAL	Very Preterm ¹		Preterm ²	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	57,721 *	1,019	1.8	6,704	11.6
Abbeville	241	5	2.1	26	10.8
Aiken	1,906 *	23	1.2	208	10.9
Allendale	70	1	1.4	6	8.6
Anderson	2,362	41	1.7	295	12.5
Bamberg	128	1	0.8	18	14.1
Barnwell	247	5	2.0	37	15.0
Beaufort	1,894 *	32	1.7	195	10.3
Berkeley	3,130 *	66	2.1	395	12.6
Calhoun	121	2	1.7	15	12.4
Charleston	4,856	51	1.1	522	10.7
Cherokee	625	10	1.6	71	11.4
Chester	344	10	2.9	40	11.6
Chesterfield	487	8	1.6	69	14.2
Clarendon	279	7	2.5	30	10.8
Colleton	439	7	1.6	61	13.9
Darlington	714	12	1.7	88	12.3
Dillon	343	13	3.8	51	14.9
Dorchester	1,990	37	1.9	237	11.9
Edgefield	217	6	2.8	32	14.7
Fairfield	170	4	2.4	32	18.8
Florence	1,564	45	2.9	225	14.4
Georgetown	497	12	2.4	68	13.7
Greenville	6,600	115	1.7	716	10.8
Greenwood	746	24	3.2	94	12.6
Hampton	205	4	2.0	29	14.1
Horry	3,372	50	1.5	387	11.5
Jasper	451 *	14	3.1	63	14.0
Kershaw	758	9	1.2	72	9.5
Lancaster	1,234	18	1.5	135	10.9
Laurens	750	13	1.7	99	13.2
Lee	166	5	3.0	27	16.3
Lexington	3,136 *	46	1.5	357	11.4
McCormick	57	-	0	4	7.0
Marion	326	23	7.1	54	16.6
Marlboro	258	8	3.1	39	15.1
Newberry	420	4	1.0	49	11.7
Oconee	671	6	0.9	74	11.0
Orangeburg	793 *	9	1.1	100	12.6
Pickens	1,204	20	1.7	124	10.3
Richland	4,536	96	2.1	557	12.3
Saluda	207	2	1.0	25	12.1
Spartanburg	4,413	71	1.6	446	10.1
Sumter	1,296	27	2.1	170	13.1
Union	236	4	1.7	26	11.0
Williamsburg	255	6	2.4	43	16.9
York	3,007	47	1.6	293	9.7
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

*Includes unknown race

¹Gestation less than 32 weeks

²Gestation less than 37 weeks

Table C-31A.
Live Births by Gestational Age by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic White

County of Residence	TOTAL	Very Preterm ¹		Preterm ²	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	32,155	394	1.2	3,220	10.0
Abbeville	176	3	1.7	14	8.0
Aiken	1,078	10	0.9	101	9.4
Allendale	5	-	0	1	20.0
Anderson	1,710	19	1.1	188	11.0
Bamberg	49	-	0	6	12.2
Barnwell	131	-	0	10	7.6
Beaufort	982	11	1.1	79	8.0
Berkeley	1,648	27	1.6	169	10.3
Calhoun	61	1	1.6	6	9.8
Charleston	2,901	19	0.7	244	8.4
Cherokee	409	4	1.0	46	11.2
Chester	187	4	2.1	19	10.2
Chesterfield	275	1	0.4	38	13.8
Clarendon	140	1	0.7	13	9.3
Colleton	240	1	0.4	31	12.9
Darlington	343	6	1.7	41	12.0
Dillon	142	5	3.5	25	17.6
Dorchester	1,066	16	1.5	123	11.5
Edgefield	125	1	0.8	12	9.6
Fairfield	61	1	1.6	8	13.1
Florence	660	12	1.8	75	11.4
Georgetown	294	2	0.7	36	12.2
Greenville	3,811	50	1.3	369	9.7
Greenwood	371	8	2.2	39	10.5
Hampton	92	-	0	12	13.0
Horry	2,025	29	1.4	221	10.9
Jasper	129	1	0.8	13	10.1
Kershaw	466	2	0.4	35	7.5
Lancaster	765	9	1.2	87	11.4
Laurens	477	8	1.7	58	12.2
Lee	45	1	2.2	3	6.7
Lexington	1,924	17	0.9	201	10.4
McCormick	28	-	0	2	7.1
Marion	112	9	8.0	18	16.1
Marlboro	117	3	2.6	18	15.4
Newberry	200	1	0.5	26	13.0
Oconee	515	6	1.2	59	11.5
Orangeburg	236	3	1.3	25	10.6
Pickens	993	16	1.6	99	10.0
Richland	1,536	15	1.0	148	9.6
Saluda	90	1	1.1	12	13.3
Spartanburg	2,856	37	1.3	247	8.6
Sumter	558	8	1.4	57	10.2
Union	152	3	2.0	18	11.8
Williamsburg	88	4	4.5	14	15.9
York	1,886	19	1.0	154	8.2
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

¹Gestation less than 32 weeks

²Gestation less than 37 weeks

Table C-31A. (continued)
Live Births by Gestational Age by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County of Residence	TOTAL	Very Preterm ¹		Preterm ²	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	17,570	505	2.9	2,656	15.1
Abbeville	61	2	3.3	11	18.0
Aiken	565	9	1.6	82	14.5
Allendale	61	1	1.6	5	8.2
Anderson	423	14	3.3	79	18.7
Bamberg	75	1	1.3	12	16.0
Barnwell	105	5	4.8	27	25.7
Beaufort	405	14	3.5	62	15.3
Berkeley	895	30	3.4	156	17.4
Calhoun	52	1	1.9	8	15.4
Charleston	1,154	25	2.2	200	17.3
Cherokee	170	5	2.9	21	12.4
Chester	145	5	3.4	20	13.8
Chesterfield	174	6	3.4	27	15.5
Clarendon	124	6	4.8	15	12.1
Colleton	175	5	2.9	27	15.4
Darlington	341	6	1.8	44	12.9
Dillon	181	7	3.9	24	13.3
Dorchester	620	18	2.9	81	13.1
Edgefield	81	5	6.2	18	22.2
Fairfield	103	3	2.9	23	22.3
Florence	804	33	4.1	144	17.9
Georgetown	170	10	5.9	31	18.2
Greenville	1,435	40	2.8	206	14.4
Greenwood	267	15	5.6	45	16.9
Hampton	105	4	3.8	17	16.2
Horry	702	13	1.9	100	14.2
Jasper	106	9	8.5	18	17.0
Kershaw	211	4	1.9	27	12.8
Lancaster	359	9	2.5	40	11.1
Laurens	193	4	2.1	32	16.6
Lee	116	4	3.4	23	19.8
Lexington	722	22	3.0	103	14.3
McCormick	27	-	0	2	7.4
Marion	194	14	7.2	34	17.5
Marlboro	138	5	3.6	19	13.8
Newberry	144	3	2.1	19	13.2
Oconee	73	-	0	12	16.4
Orangeburg	507	5	1.0	71	14.0
Pickens	110	1	0.9	12	10.9
Richland	2,532	73	2.9	367	14.5
Saluda	35	1	2.9	8	22.9
Spartanburg	991	28	2.8	136	13.7
Sumter	648	19	2.9	103	15.9
Union	77	1	1.3	8	10.4
Williamsburg	164	2	1.2	29	17.7
York	830	18	2.2	108	13.0
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

¹Gestation less than 32 weeks

²Gestation less than 37 weeks

Table C-31A. (continued)
Live Births by Gestational Age by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County of Residence	TOTAL	Very Preterm ¹		Preterm ²	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	7,981	119	1.5	821	10.3
Abbeville	4	-	0	1	25.0
Aiken	254	4	1.6	22	8.7
Allendale	4	-	0	-	0
Anderson	229	8	3.5	28	12.2
Bamberg	4	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	11	-	0	-	0
Beaufort	506	7	1.4	54	10.7
Berkeley	586	9	1.5	70	11.9
Calhoun	8	-	0	1	12.5
Charleston	801	7	0.9	78	9.7
Cherokee	46	1	2.2	4	8.7
Chester	12	1	8.3	1	8.3
Chesterfield	38	1	2.6	4	10.5
Clarendon	15	-	0	2	13.3
Colleton	24	1	4.2	3	12.5
Darlington	30	-	0	3	10.0
Dillon	20	1	5.0	2	10.0
Dorchester	304	3	1.0	33	10.9
Edgefield	11	-	0	2	18.2
Fairfield	6	-	0	1	16.7
Florence	100	-	0	6	6.0
Georgetown	33	-	0	1	3.0
Greenville	1,354	25	1.8	141	10.4
Greenwood	108	1	0.9	10	9.3
Hampton	8	-	0	-	0
Horry	645	8	1.2	66	10.2
Jasper	214	4	1.9	30	14.0
Kershaw	81	3	3.7	10	12.3
Lancaster	110	-	0	8	7.3
Laurens	80	1	1.3	9	11.3
Lee	5	-	0	1	20.0
Lexington	489	7	1.4	52	10.6
McCormick	2	-	0	-	0
Marion	20	-	0	2	10.0
Marlboro	3	-	0	2	66.7
Newberry	76	-	0	4	5.3
Oconee	83	-	0	3	3.6
Orangeburg	49	-	0	3	6.1
Pickens	101	3	3.0	13	12.9
Richland	468	8	1.7	42	9.0
Saluda	82	-	0	5	6.1
Spartanburg	566	6	1.1	63	11.1
Sumter	90	-	0	10	11.1
Union	7	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	3	-	0	-	0
York	291	10	3.4	31	10.7
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

¹Gestation less than 32 weeks

²Gestation less than 37 weeks

Table C-32.
Live Births To Mothers who Breastfed by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Births	Breastfed	Births	Breastfed	Births	Breastfed	Births	Breastfed
South Carolina	57,721 *	46,169 *	32,155	26,910	17,570	12,513	7,981	6,735
Abbeville	241	174	176	138	61	32	4	4
Aiken	1,906 *	1,502 *	1,078	893	565	388	254	212
Allendale	70	35	5	4	61	28	4	3
Anderson	2,362	1,756	1,710	1,336	423	239	229	181
Bamberg	128	76	49	36	75	36	4	4
Barnwell	247	153	131	93	105	51	11	9
Beaufort	1,894 *	1,717 *	982	910	405	333	506	473
Berkeley	3,130 *	2,717 *	1,648	1,460	895	741	586	515
Calhoun	121	90	61	50	52	32	8	8
Charleston	4,856	4,287	2,901	2,695	1,154	898	801	694
Cherokee	625	455	409	310	170	102	46	43
Chester	344	238	187	146	145	80	12	12
Chesterfield	487	300	275	191	174	83	38	26
Clarendon	279	199	140	105	124	82	15	12
Colleton	439	317	240	187	175	112	24	18
Darlington	714	428	343	241	341	167	30	20
Dillon	343	200	142	82	181	101	20	17
Dorchester	1,990	1,695	1,066	943	620	480	304	272
Edgefield	217	157	125	95	81	51	11	11
Fairfield	170	144	61	51	103	87	6	6
Florence	1,564	1,071	660	500	804	503	100	68
Georgetown	497	377	294	239	170	109	33	29
Greenville	6,600	5,370	3,811	3,304	1,435	1,034	1,354	1,032
Greenwood	746	530	371	297	267	148	108	85
Hampton	205	145	92	68	105	70	8	7
Horry	3,372	2,636	2,025	1,606	702	471	645	559
Jasper	451 *	398	129	115	106	82	214	201
Kershaw	758	622	466	391	211	157	81	74
Lancaster	1,234	1,015	765	641	359	274	110	100
Laurens	750	529	477	357	193	117	80	55
Lee	166	85	45	30	116	51	5	4
Lexington	3,136 *	2,629	1,924	1,636	722	577	489	416
McCormick	57	34	28	20	27	13	2	1
Marion	326	197	112	70	194	115	20	12
Marlboro	258	130	117	70	138	60	3	-
Newberry	420	297	200	159	144	76	76	62
Oconee	671	500	515	388	73	42	83	70
Orangeburg	793 *	561	236	176	507	342	49	43
Pickens	1,204	932	993	778	110	75	101	79
Richland	4,536	3,878	1,536	1,351	2,532	2,111	468	416
Saluda	207	138	90	68	35	16	82	54
Spartanburg	4,413	3,649	2,856	2,449	991	721	566	479
Sumter	1,296	929	558	449	648	404	90	76
Union	236	158	152	105	77	47	7	6
Williamsburg	255	171	88	59	164	109	3	3
York	3,007	2,548	1,886	1,618	830	666	291	264
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-33.
Live Births to Mothers with Infectious Diseases
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County Of Residence	Total	STD		Hepatitis	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	57,721 *	1,843	3.2	249	0.4
Abbeville	241	8	3.3	-	0
Aiken	1,906 *	58	3.0	5	0.3
Allendale	70	4	5.7	-	0
Anderson	2,362	70	3.0	13	0.6
Bamberg	128	12	9.4	-	0
Barnwell	247	13	5.3	3	1.2
Beaufort	1,894 *	42	2.2	1	0.1
Berkeley	3,130 *	68	2.2	14	0.4
Calhoun	121	1	0.8	-	0
Charleston	4,856	162	3.3	15	0.3
Cherokee	625	34	5.4	4	0.6
Chester	344	12	3.5	2	0.6
Chesterfield	487	23	4.7	5	1.0
Clarendon	279	13	4.7	-	0
Colleton	439	26	5.9	1	0.2
Darlington	714	40	5.6	2	0.3
Dillon	343	14	4.1	3	0.9
Dorchester	1,990	53	2.7	12	0.6
Edgefield	217	6	2.8	-	0
Fairfield	170	4	2.4	-	0
Florence	1,564	63	4.0	11	0.7
Georgetown	497	14	2.8	3	0.6
Greenville	6,600	246	3.7	40	0.6
Greenwood	746	35	4.7	2	0.3
Hampton	205	14	6.8	2	1.0
Horry	3,372	58	1.7	28	0.8
Jasper	451 *	14	3.1	1	0.2
Kershaw	758	14	1.8	1	0.1
Lancaster	1,234	25	2.0	3	0.2
Laurens	750	22	2.9	3	0.4
Lee	166	18	10.8	-	0
Lexington	3,136 *	52	1.7	9	0.3
McCormick	57	4	7.0	-	0
Marion	326	21	6.4	2	0.6
Marlboro	258	11	4.3	1	0.4
Newberry	420	19	4.5	-	0
Oconee	671	22	3.3	5	0.7
Orangeburg	793 *	29	3.7	-	0
Pickens	1,204	44	3.7	7	0.6
Richland	4,536	163	3.6	13	0.3
Saluda	207	13	6.3	1	0.5
Spartanburg	4,413	113	2.6	21	0.5
Sumter	1,296	81	6.3	2	0.2
Union	236	18	7.6	1	0.4
Williamsburg	255	11	4.3	-	0
York	3,007	56	1.9	13	0.4
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

* Includes unknown race

Table C-33A.

Live Births to Mothers with Infectious Diseases by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County Of Residence	Total	STD		Hepatitis	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	32,155	448	1.4	164	0.5
Abbeville	176	3	1.7	-	0
Aiken	1,078	15	1.4	5	0.5
Allendale	5	-	0	-	0
Anderson	1,710	30	1.8	10	0.6
Bamberg	49	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	131	4	3.1	2	1.5
Beaufort	982	8	0.8	-	0
Berkeley	1,648	21	1.3	7	0.4
Calhoun	61	-	0	-	0
Charleston	2,901	18	0.6	8	0.3
Cherokee	409	9	2.2	3	0.7
Chester	187	1	0.5	2	1.1
Chesterfield	275	5	1.8	3	1.1
Clarendon	140	3	2.1	-	0
Colleton	240	10	4.2	-	0
Darlington	343	9	2.6	1	0.3
Dillon	142	3	2.1	3	2.1
Dorchester	1,066	10	0.9	6	0.6
Edgefield	125	3	2.4	-	0
Fairfield	61	-	0	-	0
Florence	660	12	1.8	7	1.1
Georgetown	294	4	1.4	2	0.7
Greenville	3,811	53	1.4	21	0.6
Greenwood	371	7	1.9	1	0.3
Hampton	92	3	3.3	-	0
Horry	2,025	24	1.2	22	1.1
Jasper	129	3	2.3	1	0.8
Kershaw	466	3	0.6	1	0.2
Lancaster	765	6	0.8	3	0.4
Laurens	477	8	1.7	3	0.6
Lee	45	-	0	-	0
Lexington	1,924	17	0.9	5	0.3
McCormick	28	1	3.6	-	0
Marion	112	7	6.3	2	1.8
Marlboro	117	1	0.9	1	0.9
Newberry	200	4	2.0	-	0
Oconee	515	15	2.9	5	1.0
Orangeburg	236	6	2.5	-	0
Pickens	993	29	2.9	3	0.3
Richland	1,536	15	1.0	7	0.5
Saluda	90	2	2.2	1	1.1
Spartanburg	2,856	36	1.3	16	0.6
Sumter	558	16	2.9	-	0
Union	152	8	5.3	1	0.7
Williamsburg	88	1	1.1	-	0
York	1,886	15	0.8	12	0.6
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

Table C-33A. (continued)
Live Births to Mothers with Infectious Diseases by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County Of Residence	Total	STD		Hepatitis	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	17,570	1,080	6.1	54	0.3
Abbeville	61	5	8.2	-	0
Aiken	565	34	6.0	-	0
Allendale	61	3	4.9	-	0
Anderson	423	30	7.1	1	0.2
Bamberg	75	12	16.0	-	0
Barnwell	105	8	7.6	1	1.0
Beaufort	405	15	3.7	1	0.2
Berkeley	895	33	3.7	6	0.7
Calhoun	52	1	1.9	-	0
Charleston	1,154	99	8.6	3	0.3
Cherokee	170	22	12.9	1	0.6
Chester	145	11	7.6	-	0
Chesterfield	174	15	8.6	2	1.1
Clarendon	124	10	8.1	-	0
Colleton	175	15	8.6	1	0.6
Darlington	341	28	8.2	1	0.3
Dillon	181	11	6.1	-	0
Dorchester	620	36	5.8	3	0.5
Edgefield	81	2	2.5	-	0
Fairfield	103	4	3.9	-	0
Florence	804	48	6.0	3	0.4
Georgetown	170	9	5.3	1	0.6
Greenville	1,435	110	7.7	9	0.6
Greenwood	267	26	9.7	1	0.4
Hampton	105	10	9.5	2	1.9
Horry	702	28	4.0	1	0.1
Jasper	106	4	3.8	-	0
Kershaw	211	5	2.4	-	0
Lancaster	359	16	4.5	-	0
Laurens	193	13	6.7	-	0
Lee	116	18	15.5	-	0
Lexington	722	21	2.9	2	0.3
McCormick	27	3	11.1	-	0
Marion	194	13	6.7	-	0
Marlboro	138	10	7.2	-	0
Newberry	144	12	8.3	-	0
Oconee	73	4	5.5	-	0
Orangeburg	507	20	3.9	-	0
Pickens	110	5	4.5	3	2.7
Richland	2,532	134	5.3	6	0.2
Saluda	35	4	11.4	-	0
Spartanburg	991	57	5.8	3	0.3
Sumter	648	62	9.6	2	0.3
Union	77	10	13.0	-	0
Williamsburg	164	10	6.1	-	0
York	830	34	4.1	1	0.1
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

Table C-33A. (continued)

Live Births to Mothers with Infectious Diseases by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total	STD		Hepatitis	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	7,981	315	3.9	31	0.4
Abbeville	4	-	0	-	0
Aiken	254	9	3.5	-	0
Allendale	4	1	25.0	-	0
Anderson	229	10	4.4	2	0.9
Bamberg	4	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	11	1	9.1	-	0
Beaufort	506	19	3.8	-	0
Berkeley	586	14	2.4	1	0.2
Calhoun	8	-	0	-	0
Charleston	801	45	5.6	4	0.5
Cherokee	46	3	6.5	-	0
Chester	12	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	38	3	7.9	-	0
Clarendon	15	-	0	-	0
Colleton	24	1	4.2	-	0
Darlington	30	3	10.0	-	0
Dillon	20	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	304	7	2.3	3	1.0
Edgefield	11	1	9.1	-	0
Fairfield	6	-	0	-	0
Florence	100	3	3.0	1	1.0
Georgetown	33	1	3.0	-	0
Greenville	1,354	83	6.1	10	0.7
Greenwood	108	2	1.9	-	0
Hampton	8	1	12.5	-	0
Horry	645	6	0.9	5	0.8
Jasper	214	7	3.3	-	0
Kershaw	81	6	7.4	-	0
Lancaster	110	3	2.7	-	0
Laurens	80	1	1.3	-	0
Lee	5	-	0	-	0
Lexington	489	14	2.9	2	0.4
McCormick	2	-	0	-	0
Marion	20	1	5.0	-	0
Marlboro	3	-	0	-	0
Newberry	76	3	3.9	-	0
Oconee	83	3	3.6	-	0
Orangeburg	49	3	6.1	-	0
Pickens	101	10	9.9	1	1.0
Richland	468	14	3.0	-	0
Saluda	82	7	8.5	-	0
Spartanburg	566	20	3.5	2	0.4
Sumter	90	3	3.3	-	0
Union	7	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	3	-	0	-	0
York	291	7	2.4	-	0
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0

Table C-34.

Number of Mothers who received WIC Services during Pregnancy by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		Non-Hispanic White		Non-Hispanic Black and Other		Hispanic	
	Births	WIC	Births	WIC	Births	WIC	Births	WIC
South Carolina	57,721 *	17,588	32,155	6,179	17,570	8,580	7,981	2,828
Abbeville	241	74	176	40	61	34	4	-
Aiken	1,906 *	497	1,078	204	565	222	254	70
Allendale	70	46	5	1	61	41	4	4
Anderson	2,362	624	1,710	361	423	196	229	67
Bamberg	128	70	49	13	75	54	4	3
Barnwell	247	109	131	38	105	65	11	6
Beaufort	1,894 *	604	982	141	405	223	506	240
Berkeley	3,130 *	786	1,648	252	895	366	586	168
Calhoun	121	55	61	12	52	39	8	4
Charleston	4,856	945	2,901	171	1,154	523	801	251
Cherokee	625	239	409	130	170	90	46	19
Chester	344	154	187	57	145	93	12	4
Chesterfield	487	232	275	100	174	113	38	19
Clarendon	279	137	140	46	124	80	15	11
Colleton	439	234	240	105	175	118	24	11
Darlington	714	358	343	130	341	215	30	13
Dillon	343	195	142	71	181	110	20	14
Dorchester	1,990	575	1,066	187	620	288	304	100
Edgefield	217	57	125	17	81	38	11	2
Fairfield	170	88	61	20	103	67	6	1
Florence	1,564	793	660	227	804	518	100	48
Georgetown	497	191	294	82	170	97	33	12
Greenville	6,600	1,358	3,811	385	1,435	517	1,354	456
Greenwood	746	248	371	67	267	137	108	44
Hampton	205	128	92	46	105	80	8	2
Horry	3,372	1,180	2,025	565	702	383	645	232
Jasper	451 *	227	129	31	106	72	214	124
Kershaw	758	255	466	117	211	105	81	33
Lancaster	1,234	294	765	128	359	131	110	35
Laurens	750	274	477	155	193	92	80	27
Lee	166	116	45	20	116	93	5	3
Lexington	3,136 *	795	1,924	341	722	288	489	166
McCormick	57	25	28	9	27	14	2	2
Marion	326	197	112	55	194	135	20	7
Marlboro	258	156	117	57	138	99	3	-
Newberry	420	145	200	37	144	73	76	35
Oconee	671	181	515	128	73	24	83	29
Orangeburg	793 *	443	236	87	507	339	49	17
Pickens	1,204	282	993	209	110	36	101	37
Richland	4,536	1,406	1,536	172	2,532	1,084	468	150
Saluda	207	73	90	18	35	24	82	31
Spartanburg	4,413	1,230	2,856	609	991	423	566	198
Sumter	1,296	653	558	200	648	408	90	45
Union	236	103	152	57	77	42	7	4
Williamsburg	255	149	88	31	164	115	3	3
York	3,007	607	1,886	250	830	276	291	81
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table C-35.
Live Births by Expected Pay Source
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total	Medicaid		Private Insurance		Self - Pay		Other	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	57,721 *	26,444	45.8	25,197	43.7	2,421	4.2	3,627	6.3
Abbeville	241	107	44.4	100	41.5	21	8.7	13	5.4
Aiken	1,906 *	936	49.1	808	42.4	39	2.0	110	5.8
Allendale	70	61	87.1	7	10.0	1	1.4	1	1.4
Anderson	2,362	1,058	44.8	1,019	43.1	103	4.4	181	7.7
Bamberg	128	91	71.1	24	18.8	4	3.1	9	7.0
Barnwell	247	167	67.6	66	26.7	7	2.8	6	2.4
Beaufort	1,894 *	785	41.4	611	32.3	101	5.3	396	20.9
Berkeley	3,130 *	1,280	40.9	1,364	43.6	54	1.7	432	13.8
Calhoun	121	60	49.6	49	40.5	3	2.5	9	7.4
Charleston	4,856	1,678	34.6	2,746	56.5	98	2.0	333	6.9
Cherokee	625	313	50.1	290	46.4	18	2.9	4	0.6
Chester	344	218	63.4	109	31.7	12	3.5	5	1.5
Chesterfield	487	335	68.8	112	23.0	19	3.9	21	4.3
Clarendon	279	164	58.8	74	26.5	11	3.9	30	10.8
Colleton	439	310	70.6	101	23.0	3	0.7	25	5.7
Darlington	714	504	70.6	129	18.1	7	1.0	74	10.4
Dillon	343	248	72.3	53	15.5	6	1.7	36	10.5
Dorchester	1,990	893	44.9	890	44.7	31	1.6	175	8.8
Edgefield	217	93	42.9	114	52.5	5	2.3	5	2.3
Fairfield	170	93	54.7	67	39.4	6	3.5	4	2.4
Florence	1,564	1,033	66.0	266	17.0	44	2.8	221	14.1
Georgetown	497	298	60.0	180	36.2	5	1.0	14	2.8
Greenville	6,600	2,525	38.3	3,485	52.8	414	6.3	175	2.7
Greenwood	746	378	50.7	314	42.1	47	6.3	6	0.8
Hampton	205	148	72.2	42	20.5	4	2.0	11	5.4
Horry	3,372	1,789	53.1	1,283	38.0	214	6.3	86	2.6
Jasper	451 *	300	66.5	94	20.8	43	9.5	14	3.1
Kershaw	758	359	47.4	278	36.7	29	3.8	91	12.0
Lancaster	1,234	378	30.6	765	62.0	59	4.8	32	2.6
Laurens	750	404	53.9	282	37.6	40	5.3	24	3.2
Lee	166	140	84.3	19	11.4	1	0.6	6	3.6
Lexington	3,136 *	1,206	38.5	1,607	51.2	204	6.5	118	3.8
McCormick	57	30	52.6	23	40.4	2	3.5	1	1.8
Marion	326	254	77.9	51	15.6	8	2.5	13	4.0
Marlboro	258	187	72.5	49	19.0	4	1.6	18	7.0
Newberry	420	231	55.0	161	38.3	18	4.3	10	2.4
Oconee	671	327	48.7	276	41.1	35	5.2	29	4.3
Orangeburg	793 *	521	65.7	186	23.5	24	3.0	61	7.7
Pickens	1,204	505	41.9	558	46.3	55	4.6	84	7.0
Richland	4,536	1,980	43.7	1,988	43.8	208	4.6	359	7.9
Saluda	207	98	47.3	63	30.4	41	19.8	5	2.4
Spartanburg	4,413	2,015	45.7	2,146	48.6	185	4.2	67	1.5
Sumter	1,296	702	54.2	321	24.8	14	1.1	259	20.0
Union	236	137	58.1	94	39.8	4	1.7	1	0.4
Williamsburg	255	177	69.4	52	20.4	4	1.6	22	8.6
York	3,007	928	30.9	1,881	62.6	166	5.5	31	1.0
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes unknown race

Table C-35A.

Live Births by Expected Pay Source by Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County Of Residence	Total	Medicaid		Private Insurance		Self - Pay		Other	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	32,155	10,128	31.5	18,538	57.7	1,070	3.3	2,401	7.5
Abbeville	176	62	35.2	84	47.7	18	10.2	12	6.8
Aiken	1,078	379	35.2	611	56.7	17	1.6	65	6.0
Allendale	5	2	40.0	3	60.0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	1,710	637	37.3	852	49.8	65	3.8	155	9.1
Bamberg	49	24	49.0	16	32.7	3	6.1	6	12.2
Barnwell	131	71	54.2	49	37.4	6	4.6	4	3.1
Beaufort	982	210	21.4	486	49.5	31	3.2	255	26.0
Berkeley	1,648	390	23.7	937	56.9	26	1.6	295	17.9
Calhoun	61	21	34.4	35	57.4	1	1.6	4	6.6
Charleston	2,901	335	11.5	2,303	79.4	45	1.6	217	7.5
Cherokee	409	180	44.0	213	52.1	13	3.2	3	0.7
Chester	187	93	49.7	87	46.5	6	3.2	1	0.5
Chesterfield	275	160	58.2	89	32.4	5	1.8	21	7.6
Clarendon	140	59	42.1	55	39.3	2	1.4	24	17.1
Colleton	240	144	60.0	82	34.2	2	0.8	12	5.0
Darlington	343	186	54.2	98	28.6	3	0.9	56	16.3
Dillon	142	89	62.7	30	21.1	1	0.7	22	15.5
Dorchester	1,066	315	29.5	622	58.3	17	1.6	111	10.4
Edgefield	125	35	28.0	83	66.4	3	2.4	4	3.2
Fairfield	61	19	31.1	36	59.0	3	4.9	3	4.9
Florence	660	304	46.1	177	26.8	10	1.5	169	25.6
Georgetown	294	135	45.9	148	50.3	2	0.7	9	3.1
Greenville	3,811	805	21.1	2,635	69.1	258	6.8	113	3.0
Greenwood	371	135	36.4	220	59.3	12	3.2	3	0.8
Hampton	92	53	57.6	32	34.8	2	2.2	5	5.4
Horry	2,025	868	42.9	1,027	50.7	65	3.2	65	3.2
Jasper	129	46	35.7	75	58.1	1	0.8	7	5.4
Kershaw	466	187	40.1	202	43.3	8	1.7	69	14.8
Lancaster	765	190	24.8	529	69.2	30	3.9	16	2.1
Laurens	477	216	45.3	215	45.1	25	5.2	21	4.4
Lee	45	28	62.2	12	26.7	-	0	5	11.1
Lexington	1,924	585	30.4	1,211	62.9	43	2.2	84	4.4
McCormick	28	12	42.9	14	50.0	1	3.6	1	3.6
Marion	112	70	62.5	34	30.4	2	1.8	6	5.4
Marlboro	117	70	59.8	31	26.5	1	0.9	15	12.8
Newberry	200	71	35.5	120	60.0	5	2.5	4	2.0
Oconee	515	227	44.1	240	46.6	22	4.3	24	4.7
Orangeburg	236	116	49.2	94	39.8	5	2.1	21	8.9
Pickens	993	381	38.4	492	49.5	45	4.5	73	7.4
Richland	1,536	303	19.7	1,022	66.5	40	2.6	170	11.1
Saluda	90	35	38.9	48	53.3	3	3.3	4	4.4
Spartanburg	2,856	1,123	39.3	1,562	54.7	127	4.4	44	1.5
Sumter	558	187	33.5	195	34.9	5	0.9	171	30.6
Union	152	82	53.9	65	42.8	4	2.6	1	0.7
Williamsburg	88	40	45.5	35	39.8	-	0	13	14.8
York	1,886	448	23.8	1,332	70.6	87	4.6	18	1.0
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

Table C-35A. (continued)
Live Births by Expected Pay Source by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County Of Residence	Total	Medicaid		Private Insurance		Self - Pay		Other	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	17,570	11,350	64.6	5,093	29.0	325	1.8	795	4.5
Abbeville	61	44	72.1	14	23.0	2	3.3	1	1.6
Aiken	565	390	69.0	143	25.3	4	0.7	25	4.4
Allendale	61	55	90.2	4	6.6	1	1.6	1	1.6
Anderson	423	271	64.1	118	27.9	13	3.1	21	5.0
Bamberg	75	63	84.0	8	10.7	1	1.3	3	4.0
Barnwell	105	88	83.8	16	15.2	-	0	1	1.0
Beaufort	405	267	65.9	67	16.5	12	3.0	58	14.3
Berkeley	895	491	54.9	318	35.5	7	0.8	79	8.8
Calhoun	52	33	63.5	14	26.9	-	0	5	9.6
Charleston	1,154	780	67.6	310	26.9	14	1.2	50	4.3
Cherokee	170	106	62.4	61	35.9	2	1.2	1	0.6
Chester	145	119	82.1	20	13.8	2	1.4	4	2.8
Chesterfield	174	148	85.1	22	12.6	4	2.3	-	0
Clarendon	124	96	77.4	17	13.7	6	4.8	5	4.0
Colleton	175	144	82.3	18	10.3	1	0.6	12	6.9
Darlington	341	296	86.8	26	7.6	4	1.2	15	4.4
Dillon	181	144	79.6	22	12.2	4	2.2	11	6.1
Dorchester	620	377	60.8	198	31.9	4	0.6	41	6.6
Edgefield	81	52	64.2	27	33.3	1	1.2	1	1.2
Fairfield	103	71	68.9	29	28.2	2	1.9	1	1.0
Florence	804	657	81.7	80	10.0	18	2.2	49	6.1
Georgetown	170	133	78.2	31	18.2	1	0.6	5	2.9
Greenville	1,435	820	57.1	540	37.6	37	2.6	37	2.6
Greenwood	267	181	67.8	78	29.2	6	2.2	2	0.7
Hampton	105	90	85.7	10	9.5	-	0	5	4.8
Horry	702	493	70.2	170	24.2	27	3.8	12	1.7
Jasper	106	91	85.8	11	10.4	1	0.9	3	2.8
Kershaw	211	126	59.7	68	32.2	4	1.9	13	6.2
Lancaster	359	147	40.9	191	53.2	9	2.5	12	3.3
Laurens	193	137	71.0	53	27.5	1	0.5	2	1.0
Lee	116	108	93.1	6	5.2	1	0.9	1	0.9
Lexington	722	386	53.5	288	39.9	18	2.5	30	4.2
McCormick	27	16	59.3	9	33.3	1	3.7	-	0
Marion	194	167	86.1	17	8.8	4	2.1	6	3.1
Marlboro	138	117	84.8	17	12.3	1	0.7	3	2.2
Newberry	144	111	77.1	30	20.8	1	0.7	2	1.4
Oconee	73	51	69.9	18	24.7	2	2.7	1	1.4
Orangeburg	507	377	74.4	88	17.4	5	1.0	37	7.3
Pickens	110	57	51.8	43	39.1	3	2.7	7	6.4
Richland	2,532	1,460	57.7	884	34.9	49	1.9	139	5.5
Saluda	35	26	74.3	9	25.7	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	991	549	55.4	403	40.7	25	2.5	14	1.4
Sumter	648	463	71.5	120	18.5	3	0.5	62	9.6
Union	77	51	66.2	26	33.8	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	164	134	81.7	17	10.4	4	2.4	9	5.5
York	830	367	44.2	434	52.3	20	2.4	9	1.1
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

Table C-35A. (continued)
Live Births by Expected Pay Source by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County Of Residence	Total	Medicaid		Private Insurance		Self - Pay		Other	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	7,981	4,962	62.2	1,562	19.6	1,023	12.8	429	5.4
Abbeville	4	1	25.0	2	50.0	1	25.0	-	0
Aiken	254	164	64.6	51	20.1	18	7.1	18	7.1
Allendale	4	4	100.0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	229	150	65.5	49	21.4	25	10.9	5	2.2
Bamberg	4	4	100.0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	11	8	72.7	1	9.1	1	9.1	1	9.1
Beaufort	506	308	60.9	57	11.3	58	11.5	83	16.4
Berkeley	586	399	68.1	109	18.6	20	3.4	58	9.9
Calhoun	8	6	75.0	-	0	2	25.0	-	0
Charleston	801	563	70.3	133	16.6	39	4.9	66	8.2
Cherokee	46	27	58.7	16	34.8	3	6.5	-	0
Chester	12	6	50.0	2	16.7	4	33.3	-	0
Chesterfield	38	27	71.1	1	2.6	10	26.3	-	0
Clarendon	15	9	60.0	2	13.3	3	20.0	1	6.7
Colleton	24	22	91.7	1	4.2	-	0	1	4.2
Darlington	30	22	73.3	5	16.7	-	0	3	10.0
Dillon	20	15	75.0	1	5.0	1	5.0	3	15.0
Dorchester	304	201	66.1	70	23.0	10	3.3	23	7.6
Edgefield	11	6	54.5	4	36.4	1	9.1	-	0
Fairfield	6	3	50.0	2	33.3	1	16.7	-	0
Florence	100	72	72.0	9	9.0	16	16.0	3	3.0
Georgetown	33	30	90.9	1	3.0	2	6.1	-	0
Greenville	1,354	900	66.5	310	22.9	119	8.8	25	1.8
Greenwood	108	62	57.4	16	14.8	29	26.9	1	0.9
Hampton	8	5	62.5	-	0	2	25.0	1	12.5
Horry	645	428	66.4	86	13.3	122	18.9	9	1.4
Jasper	214	163	76.2	8	3.7	39	18.2	4	1.9
Kershaw	81	46	56.8	8	9.9	17	21.0	9	11.1
Lancaster	110	41	37.3	45	40.9	20	18.2	4	3.6
Laurens	80	51	63.8	14	17.5	14	17.5	1	1.3
Lee	5	4	80.0	1	20.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	489	234	47.9	108	22.1	143	29.2	4	0.8
McCormick	2	2	100.0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	20	17	85.0	-	0	2	10.0	1	5.0
Marlboro	3	-	0	1	33.3	2	66.7	-	0
Newberry	76	49	64.5	11	14.5	12	15.8	4	5.3
Oconee	83	49	59.0	18	21.7	11	13.3	4	4.8
Orangeburg	49	28	57.1	4	8.2	14	28.6	3	6.1
Pickens	101	67	66.3	23	22.8	7	6.9	4	4.0
Richland	468	217	46.4	82	17.5	119	25.4	50	10.7
Saluda	82	37	45.1	6	7.3	38	46.3	1	1.2
Spartanburg	566	343	60.6	181	32.0	33	5.8	9	1.6
Sumter	90	52	57.8	6	6.7	6	6.7	26	28.9
Union	7	4	57.1	3	42.9	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	3	3	100.0	-	0	-	0	-	0
York	291	113	38.8	115	39.5	59	20.3	4	1.4
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

Table C-36.
Live Births by BMI and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County Of Residence	Total	Underweight		Normal		Overweight		Obese	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	57,721 *	1,736	3.0	20,587	35.7	14,813	25.7	20,054	34.7
Abbeville	241	2	0.8	63	26.1	56	23.2	117	48.5
Aiken	1,906 *	63	3.3	664	34.8	475	24.9	701	36.8
Allendale	70	2	2.9	17	24.3	19	27.1	32	45.7
Anderson	2,362	63	2.7	802	34.0	570	24.1	890	37.7
Bamberg	128	4	3.1	33	25.8	38	29.7	51	39.8
Barnwell	247	9	3.6	51	20.6	68	27.5	119	48.2
Beaufort	1,894 *	58	3.1	789	41.7	506	26.7	528	27.9
Berkeley	3,130 *	85	2.7	1,105	35.3	851	27.2	1,073	34.3
Calhoun	121	1	0.8	45	37.2	27	22.3	48	39.7
Charleston	4,856	140	2.9	2,441	50.3	1,162	23.9	1,097	22.6
Cherokee	625	33	5.3	182	29.1	153	24.5	254	40.6
Chester	344	11	3.2	111	32.3	77	22.4	139	40.4
Chesterfield	487	14	2.9	150	30.8	122	25.1	200	41.1
Clarendon	279	7	2.5	91	32.6	71	25.4	107	38.4
Colleton	439	17	3.9	150	34.2	115	26.2	157	35.8
Darlington	714	30	4.2	219	30.7	164	23.0	299	41.9
Dillon	343	14	4.1	94	27.4	88	25.7	146	42.6
Dorchester	1,990	61	3.1	704	35.4	526	26.4	690	34.7
Edgefield	217	3	1.4	66	30.4	60	27.6	88	40.6
Fairfield	170	1	0.6	50	29.4	43	25.3	76	44.7
Florence	1,564	43	2.7	466	29.8	423	27.0	630	40.3
Georgetown	497	19	3.8	174	35.0	119	23.9	185	37.2
Greenville	6,600	172	2.6	2,476	37.5	1,792	27.2	2,003	30.3
Greenwood	746	15	2.0	217	29.1	190	25.5	315	42.2
Hampton	205	10	4.9	63	30.7	46	22.4	84	41.0
Horry	3,372	112	3.3	1,249	37.0	902	26.7	1,095	32.5
Jasper	451 *	16	3.5	148	32.8	138	30.6	144	31.9
Kershaw	758	23	3.0	226	29.8	198	26.1	299	39.4
Lancaster	1,234	34	2.8	465	37.7	316	25.6	401	32.5
Laurens	750	16	2.1	206	27.5	203	27.1	306	40.8
Lee	166	8	4.8	51	30.7	31	18.7	73	44.0
Lexington	3,136 *	89	2.8	1,077	34.3	864	27.6	1,103	35.2
McCormick	57	1	1.8	17	29.8	15	26.3	23	40.4
Marion	326	14	4.3	84	25.8	79	24.2	149	45.7
Marlboro	258	12	4.7	80	31.0	56	21.7	110	42.6
Newberry	420	11	2.6	132	31.4	109	26.0	167	39.8
Oconee	671	18	2.7	227	33.8	172	25.6	253	37.7
Orangeburg	793 *	18	2.3	220	27.7	156	19.7	392	49.4
Pickens	1,204	35	2.9	368	30.6	318	26.4	470	39.0
Richland	4,536	154	3.4	1,522	33.6	1,148	25.3	1,709	37.7
Saluda	207	4	1.9	56	27.1	65	31.4	81	39.1
Spartanburg	4,413	130	2.9	1,574	35.7	1,090	24.7	1,589	36.0
Sumter	1,296	51	3.9	333	25.7	323	24.9	510	39.4
Union	236	9	3.8	77	32.6	52	22.0	98	41.5
Williamsburg	255	9	3.5	57	22.4	57	22.4	132	51.8
York	3,007	95	3.2	1,195	39.7	760	25.3	921	30.6
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes unknown race

Table C-36.

Live Births to Mothers by BMI and Race of Mother
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Non-Hispanic White

County Of Residence	Total	Underweight		Normal		Overweight		Obese	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	32,155	985	3.1	12,895	40.1	8,212	25.5	9,863	30.7
Abbeville	176	2	1.1	49	27.8	47	26.7	76	43.2
Aiken	1,078	32	3.0	419	38.9	268	24.9	358	33.2
Allendale	5	1	20.0	1	20.0	2	40.0	1	20.0
Anderson	1,710	54	3.2	623	36.4	407	23.8	609	35.6
Bamberg	49	1	2.0	15	30.6	17	34.7	16	32.7
Barnwell	131	3	2.3	31	23.7	41	31.3	56	42.7
Beaufort	982	31	3.2	475	48.4	259	26.4	211	21.5
Berkeley	1,648	49	3.0	660	40.0	438	26.6	498	30.2
Calhoun	61	1	1.6	27	44.3	12	19.7	21	34.4
Charleston	2,901	87	3.0	1,737	59.9	634	21.9	438	15.1
Cherokee	409	27	6.6	122	29.8	97	23.7	160	39.1
Chester	187	5	2.7	63	33.7	46	24.6	71	38.0
Chesterfield	275	9	3.3	85	30.9	67	24.4	113	41.1
Clarendon	140	4	2.9	52	37.1	37	26.4	46	32.9
Colleton	240	11	4.6	82	34.2	73	30.4	74	30.8
Darlington	343	16	4.7	116	33.8	86	25.1	124	36.2
Dillon	142	9	6.3	44	31.0	32	22.5	57	40.1
Dorchester	1,066	39	3.7	401	37.6	289	27.1	332	31.1
Edgefield	125	2	1.6	45	36.0	42	33.6	36	28.8
Fairfield	61	-	0	20	32.8	20	32.8	21	34.4
Florence	660	24	3.6	232	35.2	178	27.0	226	34.2
Georgetown	294	11	3.7	124	42.2	75	25.5	84	28.6
Greenville	3,811	97	2.5	1,661	43.6	1,008	26.4	1,003	26.3
Greenwood	371	7	1.9	122	32.9	109	29.4	132	35.6
Hampton	92	3	3.3	39	42.4	19	20.7	31	33.7
Horry	2,025	76	3.8	802	39.6	524	25.9	621	30.7
Jasper	129	8	6.2	52	40.3	32	24.8	37	28.7
Kershaw	466	14	3.0	141	30.3	131	28.1	178	38.2
Lancaster	765	20	2.6	292	38.2	197	25.8	248	32.4
Laurens	477	12	2.5	140	29.4	127	26.6	192	40.3
Lee	45	2	4.4	10	22.2	8	17.8	25	55.6
Lexington	1,924	41	2.1	668	34.7	539	28.0	676	35.1
McCormick	28	-	0	10	35.7	9	32.1	9	32.1
Marion	112	7	6.3	38	33.9	30	26.8	37	33.0
Marlboro	117	8	6.8	37	31.6	25	21.4	47	40.2
Newberry	200	4	2.0	69	34.5	53	26.5	73	36.5
Oconee	515	16	3.1	181	35.1	122	23.7	196	38.1
Orangeburg	236	4	1.7	89	37.7	48	20.3	94	39.8
Pickens	993	31	3.1	316	31.8	254	25.6	385	38.8
Richland	1,536	45	2.9	645	42.0	424	27.6	420	27.3
Saluda	90	2	2.2	25	27.8	29	32.2	34	37.8
Spartanburg	2,856	83	2.9	1,121	39.3	691	24.2	947	33.2
Sumter	558	16	2.9	154	27.6	163	29.2	188	33.7
Union	152	5	3.3	49	32.2	35	23.0	63	41.4
Williamsburg	88	4	4.5	21	23.9	21	23.9	42	47.7
York	1,886	62	3.3	790	41.9	447	23.7	557	29.5
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

Table C-36. (continued)
Live Births to Mothers by BMI and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Non-Hispanic Black & Other

County Of Residence	Total	Underweight		Normal		Overweight		Obese	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	17,570	550	3.1	4,983	28.4	4,175	23.8	7,725	44.0
Abbeville	61	-	0	13	21.3	8	13.1	39	63.9
Aiken	565	22	3.9	162	28.7	137	24.2	242	42.8
Allendale	61	1	1.6	14	23.0	16	26.2	30	49.2
Anderson	423	3	0.7	104	24.6	109	25.8	199	47.0
Bamberg	75	3	4.0	16	21.3	20	26.7	34	45.3
Barnwell	105	6	5.7	18	17.1	21	20.0	60	57.1
Beaufort	405	19	4.7	118	29.1	92	22.7	174	43.0
Berkeley	895	23	2.6	258	28.8	214	23.9	397	44.4
Calhoun	52	-	0	17	32.7	13	25.0	22	42.3
Charleston	1,154	41	3.6	387	33.5	272	23.6	450	39.0
Cherokee	170	6	3.5	43	25.3	40	23.5	81	47.6
Chester	145	6	4.1	46	31.7	28	19.3	62	42.8
Chesterfield	174	4	2.3	49	28.2	47	27.0	74	42.5
Clarendon	124	3	2.4	32	25.8	33	26.6	54	43.5
Colleton	175	5	2.9	59	33.7	38	21.7	73	41.7
Darlington	341	14	4.1	92	27.0	68	19.9	166	48.7
Dillon	181	5	2.8	46	25.4	49	27.1	80	44.2
Dorchester	620	20	3.2	190	30.6	145	23.4	262	42.3
Edgefield	81	1	1.2	19	23.5	12	14.8	49	60.5
Fairfield	103	1	1.0	27	26.2	21	20.4	54	52.4
Florence	804	17	2.1	200	24.9	212	26.4	374	46.5
Georgetown	170	7	4.1	39	22.9	33	19.4	91	53.5
Greenville	1,435	46	3.2	416	29.0	341	23.8	612	42.6
Greenwood	267	7	2.6	68	25.5	46	17.2	142	53.2
Hampton	105	6	5.7	23	21.9	24	22.9	51	48.6
Horry	702	23	3.3	205	29.2	188	26.8	281	40.0
Jasper	106	4	3.8	24	22.6	26	24.5	48	45.3
Kershaw	211	7	3.3	56	26.5	50	23.7	97	46.0
Lancaster	359	12	3.3	129	35.9	90	25.1	122	34.0
Laurens	193	2	1.0	40	20.7	53	27.5	92	47.7
Lee	116	6	5.2	39	33.6	22	19.0	47	40.5
Lexington	722	21	2.9	232	32.1	179	24.8	287	39.8
McCormick	27	1	3.7	6	22.2	6	22.2	13	48.1
Marion	194	6	3.1	40	20.6	42	21.6	106	54.6
Marlboro	138	4	2.9	42	30.4	29	21.0	63	45.7
Newberry	144	4	2.8	42	29.2	33	22.9	65	45.1
Oconee	73	2	2.7	19	26.0	22	30.1	29	39.7
Orangeburg	507	10	2.0	116	22.9	96	18.9	280	55.2
Pickens	110	2	1.8	31	28.2	32	29.1	43	39.1
Richland	2,532	77	3.0	708	28.0	606	23.9	1,141	45.1
Saluda	35	2	5.7	13	37.1	4	11.4	15	42.9
Spartanburg	991	30	3.0	283	28.6	240	24.2	432	43.6
Sumter	648	31	4.8	147	22.7	144	22.2	294	45.4
Union	77	4	5.2	26	33.8	16	20.8	31	40.3
Williamsburg	164	5	3.0	35	21.3	36	22.0	88	53.7
York	830	31	3.7	294	35.4	222	26.7	279	33.6
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

Table C-36. (continued)
Live Births to Mothers by BMI and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Hispanic

County Of Residence	Total	Underweight		Normal		Overweight		Obese	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
South Carolina	7,981	201	2.5	2,704	33.9	2,423	30.4	2,459	30.8
Abbeville	4	-	0	1	25.0	1	25.0	2	50.0
Aiken	254	9	3.5	79	31.1	68	26.8	98	38.6
Allendale	4	-	0	2	50.0	1	25.0	1	25.0
Anderson	229	6	2.6	75	32.8	54	23.6	82	35.8
Bamberg	4	-	0	2	50.0	1	25.0	1	25.0
Barnwell	11	-	0	2	18.2	6	54.5	3	27.3
Beaufort	506	8	1.6	196	38.7	155	30.6	142	28.1
Berkeley	586	13	2.2	186	31.7	199	34.0	178	30.4
Calhoun	8	-	0	1	12.5	2	25.0	5	62.5
Charleston	801	12	1.5	317	39.6	256	32.0	209	26.1
Cherokee	46	-	0	17	37.0	16	34.8	13	28.3
Chester	12	-	0	2	16.7	3	25.0	6	50.0
Chesterfield	38	1	2.6	16	42.1	8	21.1	13	34.2
Clarendon	15	-	0	7	46.7	1	6.7	7	46.7
Colleton	24	1	4.2	9	37.5	4	16.7	10	41.7
Darlington	30	-	0	11	36.7	10	33.3	9	30.0
Dillon	20	-	0	4	20.0	7	35.0	9	45.0
Dorchester	304	2	0.7	113	37.2	92	30.3	96	31.6
Edgefield	11	-	0	2	18.2	6	54.5	3	27.3
Fairfield	6	-	0	3	50.0	2	33.3	1	16.7
Florence	100	2	2.0	34	34.0	33	33.0	30	30.0
Georgetown	33	1	3.0	11	33.3	11	33.3	10	30.3
Greenville	1,354	29	2.1	399	29.5	443	32.7	388	28.7
Greenwood	108	1	0.9	27	25.0	35	32.4	41	38.0
Hampton	8	1	12.5	1	12.5	3	37.5	2	25.0
Horry	645	13	2.0	242	37.5	190	29.5	193	29.9
Jasper	214	4	1.9	72	33.6	80	37.4	57	26.6
Kershaw	81	2	2.5	29	35.8	17	21.0	24	29.6
Lancaster	110	2	1.8	44	40.0	29	26.4	31	28.2
Laurens	80	2	2.5	26	32.5	23	28.8	22	27.5
Lee	5	-	0	2	40.0	1	20.0	1	20.0
Lexington	489	27	5.5	177	36.2	145	29.7	140	28.6
McCormick	2	-	0	1	50.0	-	0	1	50.0
Marion	20	1	5.0	6	30.0	7	35.0	6	30.0
Marlboro	3	-	0	1	33.3	2	66.7	-	0
Newberry	76	3	3.9	21	27.6	23	30.3	29	38.2
Oconee	83	-	0	27	32.5	28	33.7	28	33.7
Orangeburg	49	4	8.2	15	30.6	12	24.5	17	34.7
Pickens	101	2	2.0	21	20.8	32	31.7	42	41.6
Richland	468	32	6.8	169	36.1	118	25.2	148	31.6
Saluda	82	-	0	18	22.0	32	39.0	32	39.0
Spartanburg	566	17	3.0	170	30.0	159	28.1	210	37.1
Sumter	90	4	4.4	32	35.6	16	17.8	28	31.1
Union	7	-	0	2	28.6	1	14.3	4	57.1
Williamsburg	3	-	0	1	33.3	-	0	2	66.7
York	291	2	0.7	111	38.1	91	31.3	85	29.2
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

TEEN PREGNANCY

Table D-1.
Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 10-19
Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	334,444	3,506 *	10.5	3,006	9.0	2,808	93.4	19	6.3	481 *	1.4
Abbeville	1,489	23	15.4	18	12.1	17	94.4	1	52.6	4	2.7
Aiken	10,438	129 *	12.4	113	10.8	105	92.9	-	0	16 *	1.5
Allendale	390	13	33.3	12	30.8	12	100.0	-	0	1	2.6
Anderson	13,927	154	11.1	117	8.4	109	93.2	1	8.5	36	2.6
Bamberg	849	11	13.0	9	10.6	9	100.0	-	0	2	2.4
Barnwell	1,343	26	19.4	24	17.9	22	91.7	-	0	2	1.5
Beaufort	10,075	71	7.0	56	5.6	49	87.5	-	0	15	1.5
Berkeley	16,108	139	8.6	113	7.0	107	94.7	1	8.8	25	1.6
Calhoun	742	10	13.5	8	10.8	7	87.5	-	0	2	2.7
Charleston	22,230	245	11.0	197	8.9	186	94.4	2	10.1	46	2.1
Cherokee	3,652	50	13.7	48	13.1	46	95.8	-	0	2	0.5
Chester	1,944	26	13.4	25	12.9	22	88.0	-	0	1	0.5
Chesterfield	2,749	35	12.7	34	12.4	33	97.1	-	0	1	0.4
Clarendon	1,547	18	11.6	16	10.3	16	100.0	1	58.8	1	0.6
Colleton	2,353	41	17.4	38	16.1	37	97.4	1	25.6	2	0.8
Darlington	3,958	54	13.6	53	13.4	52	98.1	-	0	1	0.3
Dillon	1,931	37	19.2	37	19.2	34	91.9	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	11,416	125	10.9	106	9.3	94	88.7	-	0	19	1.7
Edgefield	1,372	18	13.1	11	8.0	9	81.8	-	0	7	5.1
Fairfield	1,054	10	9.5	9	8.5	9	100.0	-	0	1	0.9
Florence	9,321	124	13.3	119	12.8	115	96.6	-	0	5	0.5
Georgetown	3,220	40	12.4	34	10.6	32	94.1	-	0	6	1.9
Greenville	35,718	348	9.7	268	7.5	250	93.3	3	11.1	77	2.2
Greenwood	4,976	76	15.3	53	10.7	50	94.3	-	0	23	4.6
Hampton	1,021	23	22.5	19	18.6	18	94.7	-	0	4	3.9
Horry	21,523	193	9.0	184	8.5	166	90.2	1	5.4	8	0.4
Jasper	1,540	38	24.7	32	20.8	31	96.9	-	0	6	3.9
Kershaw	4,562	57	12.5	48	10.5	47	97.9	-	0	9	2.0
Lancaster	6,043	38	6.3	37	6.1	37	100.0	-	0	1	0.2
Laurens	4,267	61	14.3	52	12.2	47	90.4	-	0	9	2.1
Lee	875	16	18.3	16	18.3	15	93.8	-	0	-	0
Lexington	19,969	174	8.7	148	7.4	134	90.5	1	6.7	25	1.3
McCormick	300	3	10.0	3	10.0	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	1,767	37	20.9	36	20.4	35	97.2	-	0	1	0.6
Marlboro	1,394	19	13.6	19	13.6	19	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	2,575	39	15.1	34	13.2	29	85.3	-	0	5	1.9
Oconee	4,580	41	9.0	37	8.1	33	89.2	1	26.3	3	0.7
Orangeburg	5,912	76 *	12.9	66	11.2	65	98.5	2	29.4	8 *	1.4
Pickens	9,547	79	8.3	64	6.7	57	89.1	-	0	15	1.6
Richland	30,304	244	8.1	201	6.6	196	97.5	1	5.0	42	1.4
Saluda	1,087	18	16.6	18	16.6	17	94.4	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	23,851	255	10.7	225	9.4	200	88.9	2	8.8	28	1.2
Sumter	6,707	114	17.0	99	14.8	98	99.0	1	10.0	14	2.1
Union	1,512	23	15.2	20	13.2	17	85.0	-	0	3	2.0
Williamsburg	1,671	13	7.8	13	7.8	13	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	20,635	122	5.9	117	5.7	109	93.2	-	0	5	0.2
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 10-19

* Includes unknown race

Table D-1A.
 Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 10-19 by Race
 Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 White

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	210,508	1,547	7.3	1,305	6.2	1,159	88.8	11	8.4	231	1.1
Abbeville	1,025	14	13.7	11	10.7	10	90.9	1	83.3	2	2.0
Aiken	6,581	72	10.9	66	10.0	60	90.9	-	0	6	0.9
Allendale	55	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	10,605	99	9.3	71	6.7	65	91.5	1	13.9	27	2.5
Bamberg	239	4	16.7	3	12.6	3	100.0	-	0	1	4.2
Barnwell	589	12	20.4	12	20.4	10	83.3	-	0	-	0
Beaufort	6,995	31	4.4	24	3.4	20	83.3	-	0	7	1.0
Berkeley	10,059	59	5.9	46	4.6	41	89.1	1	21.3	12	1.2
Calhoun	392	3	7.7	2	5.1	1	50.0	-	0	1	2.6
Charleston	14,534	72	5.0	51	3.5	46	90.2	2	37.7	19	1.3
Cherokee	2,604	33	12.7	32	12.3	31	96.9	-	0	1	0.4
Chester	1,094	16	14.6	16	14.6	13	81.3	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	1,563	13	8.3	13	8.3	12	92.3	-	0	-	0
Clarendon	700	7	10.0	6	8.6	6	100.0	1	142.9	-	0
Colleton	1,293	18	13.9	18	13.9	17	94.4	-	0	-	0
Darlington	1,965	24	12.2	24	12.2	23	95.8	-	0	-	0
Dillon	807	11	13.6	11	13.6	9	81.8	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	7,025	54	7.7	45	6.4	36	80.0	-	0	9	1.3
Edgefield	871	11	12.6	7	8.0	5	71.4	-	0	4	4.6
Fairfield	326	3	9.2	2	6.1	2	100.0	-	0	1	3.1
Florence	4,146	35	8.4	33	8.0	30	90.9	-	0	2	0.5
Georgetown	1,882	17	9.0	16	8.5	15	93.8	-	0	1	0.5
Greenville	25,280	134	5.3	90	3.6	80	88.9	2	21.7	42	1.7
Greenwood	2,837	21	7.4	14	4.9	12	85.7	-	0	7	2.5
Hampton	392	4	10.2	4	10.2	3	75.0	-	0	-	0
Horry	16,083	122	7.6	117	7.3	103	88.0	-	0	5	0.3
Jasper	823	14	17.0	13	15.8	12	92.3	-	0	1	1.2
Kershaw	3,071	38	12.4	31	10.1	30	96.8	-	0	7	2.3
Lancaster	4,173	21	5.0	20	4.8	20	100.0	-	0	1	0.2
Laurens	2,923	28	9.6	24	8.2	20	83.3	-	0	4	1.4
Lee	239	2	8.4	2	8.4	1	50.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	14,568	93	6.4	75	5.1	67	89.3	1	13.2	17	1.2
McCormick	97	2	20.6	2	20.6	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	595	13	21.8	13	21.8	13	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marlboro	511	7	13.7	7	13.7	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	1,654	17	10.3	15	9.1	13	86.7	-	0	2	1.2
Oconee	3,890	31	8.0	27	6.9	23	85.2	1	35.7	3	0.8
Orangeburg	1,582	16	10.1	13	8.2	12	92.3	1	71.4	2	1.3
Pickens	8,344	64	7.7	53	6.4	46	86.8	-	0	11	1.3
Richland	12,507	48	3.8	36	2.9	33	91.7	-	0	12	1.0
Saluda	744	6	8.1	6	8.1	5	83.3	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	16,417	140	8.5	126	7.7	104	82.5	-	0	14	0.9
Sumter	2,655	35	13.2	31	11.7	30	96.8	-	0	4	1.5
Union	925	17	18.4	15	16.2	12	80.0	-	0	2	2.2
Williamsburg	478	2	4.2	2	4.2	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	14,370	64	4.5	60	4.2	54	90.0	-	0	4	0.3
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

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² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 10-19

Table D-1A. (continued)
 Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 10-19 by Race
 Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Black & Other

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	123,936	1,957	15.8	1,701	13.7	1,649	96.9	8	4.7	248	2.0
Abbeville	464	9	19.4	7	15.1	7	100.0	-	0	2	4.3
Aiken	3,857	56	14.5	47	12.2	45	95.7	-	0	9	2.3
Allendale	335	13	38.8	12	35.8	12	100.0	-	0	1	3.0
Anderson	3,322	55	16.6	46	13.8	44	95.7	-	0	9	2.7
Bamberg	610	7	11.5	6	9.8	6	100.0	-	0	1	1.6
Barnwell	754	14	18.6	12	15.9	12	100.0	-	0	2	2.7
Beaufort	3,080	40	13.0	32	10.4	29	90.6	-	0	8	2.6
Berkeley	6,049	80	13.2	67	11.1	66	98.5	-	0	13	2.1
Calhoun	350	7	20.0	6	17.1	6	100.0	-	0	1	2.9
Charleston	7,696	173	22.5	146	19.0	140	95.9	-	0	27	3.5
Cherokee	1,048	17	16.2	16	15.3	15	93.8	-	0	1	1.0
Chester	850	10	11.8	9	10.6	9	100.0	-	0	1	1.2
Chesterfield	1,186	22	18.5	21	17.7	21	100.0	-	0	1	0.8
Clarendon	847	11	13.0	10	11.8	10	100.0	-	0	1	1.2
Colleton	1,060	23	21.7	20	18.9	20	100.0	1	47.6	2	1.9
Darlington	1,993	30	15.1	29	14.6	29	100.0	-	0	1	0.5
Dillon	1,124	26	23.1	26	23.1	25	96.2	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	4,391	71	16.2	61	13.9	58	95.1	-	0	10	2.3
Edgefield	501	7	14.0	4	8.0	4	100.0	-	0	3	6.0
Fairfield	728	7	9.6	7	9.6	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Florence	5,175	89	17.2	86	16.6	85	98.8	-	0	3	0.6
Georgetown	1,338	23	17.2	18	13.5	17	94.4	-	0	5	3.7
Greenville	10,438	214	20.5	178	17.1	170	95.5	1	5.6	35	3.4
Greenwood	2,139	55	25.7	39	18.2	38	97.4	-	0	16	7.5
Hampton	629	19	30.2	15	23.8	15	100.0	-	0	4	6.4
Horry	5,440	71	13.1	67	12.3	63	94.0	1	14.7	3	0.6
Jasper	717	24	33.5	19	26.5	19	100.0	-	0	5	7.0
Kershaw	1,491	19	12.7	17	11.4	17	100.0	-	0	2	1.3
Lancaster	1,870	17	9.1	17	9.1	17	100.0	-	0	-	0
Laurens	1,344	33	24.6	28	20.8	27	96.4	-	0	5	3.7
Lee	636	14	22.0	14	22.0	14	100.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	5,401	81	15.0	73	13.5	67	91.8	-	0	8	1.5
McCormick	203	1	4.9	1	4.9	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	1,172	24	20.5	23	19.6	22	95.7	-	0	1	0.9
Marlboro	883	12	13.6	12	13.6	12	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	921	22	23.9	19	20.6	16	84.2	-	0	3	3.3
Oconee	690	10	14.5	10	14.5	10	100.0	-	0	-	0
Orangeburg	4,330	59	13.6	53	12.2	53	100.0	1	18.5	5	1.2
Pickens	1,203	15	12.5	11	9.1	11	100.0	-	0	4	3.3
Richland	17,797	196	11.0	165	9.3	163	98.8	1	6.0	30	1.7
Saluda	343	12	35.0	12	35.0	12	100.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	7,434	115	15.5	99	13.3	96	97.0	2	19.8	14	1.9
Sumter	4,052	79	19.5	68	16.8	68	100.0	1	14.5	10	2.5
Union	587	6	10.2	5	8.5	5	100.0	-	0	1	1.7
Williamsburg	1,193	11	9.2	11	9.2	11	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	6,265	58	9.3	57	9.1	55	96.5	-	0	1	0.2
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

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² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 10-19

Table D-2.
Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 15-17
Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	103,910	948 *	9.1	802	7.7	792	98.8	6	7.4	140 *	1.3
Abbeville	490	2	4.1	1	2.0	1	100.0	-	0	1	2.0
Aiken	3,210	28	8.7	27	8.4	27	100.0	-	0	1	0.3
Allendale	130	2	15.4	2	15.4	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	4,170	43	10.3	35	8.4	35	100.0	1	27.8	7	1.7
Bamberg	300	4	13.3	3	10.0	3	100.0	-	0	1	3.3
Barnwell	390	4	10.3	3	7.7	3	100.0	-	0	1	2.6
Beaufort	3,260	12	3.7	11	3.4	10	90.9	-	0	1	0.3
Berkeley	4,650	37	8.0	32	6.9	32	100.0	1	30.3	4	0.9
Calhoun	230	3	13.0	2	8.7	2	100.0	-	0	1	4.3
Charleston	6,980	78	11.2	60	8.6	60	100.0	1	16.4	17	2.4
Cherokee	1,110	11	9.9	11	9.9	10	90.9	-	0	-	0
Chester	570	11	19.3	10	17.5	10	100.0	-	0	1	1.8
Chesterfield	820	10	12.2	10	12.2	10	100.0	-	0	-	0
Clarendon	470	4	8.5	4	8.5	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Colleton	710	13	18.3	11	15.5	11	100.0	1	83.3	1	1.4
Darlington	1,230	10	8.1	10	8.1	10	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dillon	570	11	19.3	11	19.3	11	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	3,300	36	10.9	31	9.4	31	100.0	-	0	5	1.5
Edgefield	410	5	12.2	3	7.3	3	100.0	-	0	2	4.9
Fairfield	310	2	6.5	2	6.5	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Florence	2,780	31	11.2	30	10.8	30	100.0	-	0	1	0.4
Georgetown	980	14	14.3	10	10.2	10	100.0	-	0	4	4.1
Greenville	10,770	111	10.3	84	7.8	82	97.6	1	11.8	26	2.4
Greenwood	1,670	27	16.2	21	12.6	21	100.0	-	0	6	3.6
Hampton	300	5	16.7	4	13.3	4	100.0	-	0	1	3.3
Horry	7,230	54	7.5	52	7.2	50	96.2	-	0	2	0.3
Jasper	460	11	23.9	9	19.6	9	100.0	-	0	2	4.3
Kershaw	1,340	14	10.4	13	9.7	13	100.0	-	0	1	0.7
Lancaster	1,650	10	6.1	9	5.5	9	100.0	-	0	1	0.6
Laurens	1,280	19	14.8	16	12.5	16	100.0	-	0	3	2.3
Lee	260	4	15.4	4	15.4	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	5,820	49	8.4	39	6.7	38	97.4	-	0	10	1.7
McCormick	90	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	530	10	18.9	10	18.9	10	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marlboro	410	7	17.1	7	17.1	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	830	11	13.3	10	12.0	8	80.0	-	0	1	1.2
Oconee	1,370	11	8.0	9	6.6	9	100.0	-	0	2	1.5
Orangeburg	1,940	21 *	10.8	18	9.3	18	100.0	-	0	3 *	1.5
Pickens	3,670	14	3.8	13	3.5	13	100.0	-	0	1	0.3
Richland	10,570	61	5.8	48	4.5	48	100.0	-	0	13	1.2
Saluda	340	7	20.6	7	20.6	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	7,250	61	8.4	49	6.8	49	100.0	-	0	12	1.7
Sumter	1,990	30	15.1	24	12.1	24	100.0	1	40.0	5	2.5
Union	440	6	13.6	5	11.4	5	100.0	-	0	1	2.3
Williamsburg	510	4	7.8	4	7.8	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	6,130	30	4.9	28	4.6	27	96.4	-	0	2	0.3
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 18-19

* Includes unknown race

Table D-2A.
Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 15-17 by Race
Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
White

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	65,730	361	5.5	297	4.5	294	99.0	4	13.3	60	0.9
Abbeville	340	1	2.9	1	2.9	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Aiken	2,010	20	10.0	20	10.0	20	100.0	-	0	-	0
Allendale	20	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	3,220	24	7.5	19	5.9	19	100.0	1	50.0	4	1.2
Bamberg	60	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	170	2	11.8	2	11.8	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Beaufort	2,280	5	2.2	5	2.2	5	100.0	-	0	-	0
Berkeley	2,850	14	4.9	12	4.2	12	100.0	1	76.9	1	0.4
Calhoun	120	1	8.3	1	8.3	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Charleston	4,610	17	3.7	10	2.2	10	100.0	1	90.9	6	1.3
Cherokee	780	6	7.7	6	7.7	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Chester	320	4	12.5	4	12.5	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	480	3	6.3	3	6.3	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Clarendon	210	2	9.5	2	9.5	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Colleton	390	5	12.8	5	12.8	5	100.0	-	0	-	0
Darlington	630	4	6.3	4	6.3	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dillon	240	3	12.5	3	12.5	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	2,020	14	6.9	10	5.0	10	100.0	-	0	4	2.0
Edgefield	270	3	11.1	1	3.7	1	100.0	-	0	2	7.4
Fairfield	90	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Florence	1,250	7	5.6	7	5.6	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Georgetown	580	5	8.6	5	8.6	5	100.0	-	0	-	0
Greenville	7,720	32	4.1	19	2.5	18	94.7	1	50.0	12	1.6
Greenwood	920	4	4.3	2	2.2	2	100.0	-	0	2	2.2
Hampton	120	1	8.3	1	8.3	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Horry	5,420	31	5.7	30	5.5	29	96.7	-	0	1	0.2
Jasper	250	4	16.0	4	16.0	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Kershaw	900	8	8.9	7	7.8	7	100.0	-	0	1	1.1
Lancaster	1,130	4	3.5	3	2.7	3	100.0	-	0	1	0.9
Laurens	890	7	7.9	5	5.6	5	100.0	-	0	2	2.2
Lee	70	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	4,250	24	5.6	17	4.0	16	94.1	-	0	7	1.6
McCormick	30	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	190	4	21.1	4	21.1	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marlboro	150	1	6.7	1	6.7	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	560	5	8.9	4	7.1	4	100.0	-	0	1	1.8
Oconee	1,180	10	8.5	8	6.8	8	100.0	-	0	2	1.7
Orangeburg	440	5	11.4	4	9.1	4	100.0	-	0	1	2.3
Pickens	3,230	11	3.4	10	3.1	10	100.0	-	0	1	0.3
Richland	4,710	12	2.5	8	1.7	8	100.0	-	0	4	0.8
Saluda	230	3	13.0	3	13.0	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	4,980	28	5.6	24	4.8	24	100.0	-	0	4	0.8
Sumter	760	5	6.6	4	5.3	4	100.0	-	0	1	1.3
Union	280	6	21.4	5	17.9	5	100.0	-	0	1	3.6
Williamsburg	130	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
York	4,280	16	3.7	14	3.3	14	100.0	-	0	2	0.5
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 18-19

Table D-2A. (continued)
 Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 15-17 by Race
 Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Black & Other

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	38,180	586	15.3	505	13.2	498	98.6	2	3.9	79	2.1
Abbeville	140	1	7.1	-	0	-	0	-	0	1	7.1
Aiken	1,200	8	6.7	7	5.8	7	100.0	-	0	1	0.8
Allendale	110	2	18.2	2	18.2	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	960	19	19.8	16	16.7	16	100.0	-	0	3	3.1
Bamberg	240	4	16.7	3	12.5	3	100.0	-	0	1	4.2
Barnwell	220	2	9.1	1	4.5	1	100.0	-	0	1	4.5
Beaufort	980	7	7.1	6	6.1	5	83.3	-	0	1	1.0
Berkeley	1,810	23	12.7	20	11.0	20	100.0	-	0	3	1.7
Calhoun	110	2	18.2	1	9.1	1	100.0	-	0	1	9.1
Charleston	2,370	61	25.7	50	21.1	50	100.0	-	0	11	4.6
Cherokee	340	5	14.7	5	14.7	4	80.0	-	0	-	0
Chester	250	7	28.0	6	24.0	6	100.0	-	0	1	4.0
Chesterfield	350	7	20.0	7	20.0	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Clarendon	260	2	7.7	2	7.7	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Colleton	320	8	25.0	6	18.8	6	100.0	1	142.9	1	3.1
Darlington	600	6	10.0	6	10.0	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dillon	330	8	24.2	8	24.2	8	100.0	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	1,280	22	17.2	21	16.4	21	100.0	-	0	1	0.8
Edgefield	150	2	13.3	2	13.3	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Fairfield	210	2	9.5	2	9.5	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Florence	1,530	24	15.7	23	15.0	23	100.0	-	0	1	0.7
Georgetown	400	9	22.5	5	12.5	5	100.0	-	0	4	10.0
Greenville	3,050	79	25.9	65	21.3	64	98.5	-	0	14	4.6
Greenwood	750	23	30.7	19	25.3	19	100.0	-	0	4	5.3
Hampton	190	4	21.1	3	15.8	3	100.0	-	0	1	5.3
Horry	1,810	23	12.7	22	12.2	21	95.5	-	0	1	0.6
Jasper	210	7	33.3	5	23.8	5	100.0	-	0	2	9.5
Kershaw	440	6	13.6	6	13.6	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Lancaster	520	6	11.5	6	11.5	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Laurens	390	12	30.8	11	28.2	11	100.0	-	0	1	2.6
Lee	190	4	21.1	4	21.1	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	1,580	25	15.8	22	13.9	22	100.0	-	0	3	1.9
McCormick	60	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	340	6	17.6	6	17.6	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marlboro	260	6	23.1	6	23.1	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	270	6	22.2	6	22.2	4	66.7	-	0	-	0
Oconee	200	1	5.0	1	5.0	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Orangeburg	1,500	15	10.0	14	9.3	14	100.0	-	0	1	0.7
Pickens	440	3	6.8	3	6.8	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Richland	5,850	49	8.4	40	6.8	40	100.0	-	0	9	1.5
Saluda	110	4	36.4	4	36.4	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	2,270	33	14.5	25	11.0	25	100.0	-	0	8	3.5
Sumter	1,220	25	20.5	20	16.4	20	100.0	1	47.6	4	3.3
Union	170	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Williamsburg	380	4	10.5	4	10.5	4	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	1,850	14	7.6	14	7.6	13	92.9	-	0	-	0
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 10-19

Table D-3.
Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 18-19
Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	69,270	2,506 *	36.2	2,165	31.3	1,978	91.4	13	6.0	328 *	4.7
Abbeville	320	21	65.6	17	53.1	16	94.1	1	55.6	3	9.4
Aiken	2,140	96 *	44.9	81	37.9	73	90.1	-	0	15 *	7.0
Allendale	80	11	137.5	10	125.0	10	100.0	-	0	1	12.5
Anderson	2,780	110	39.6	81	29.1	73	90.1	-	0	29	10.4
Bamberg	200	7	35.0	6	30.0	6	100.0	-	0	1	5.0
Barnwell	260	21	80.8	20	76.9	18	90.0	-	0	1	3.8
Beaufort	2,170	58	26.7	44	20.3	38	86.4	-	0	14	6.5
Berkeley	3,100	100	32.3	80	25.8	74	92.5	-	0	20	6.5
Calhoun	150	7	46.7	6	40.0	5	83.3	-	0	1	6.7
Charleston	4,650	163	35.1	134	28.8	124	92.5	1	7.4	28	6.0
Cherokee	740	38	51.4	36	48.6	35	97.2	-	0	2	2.7
Chester	380	14	36.8	14	36.8	11	78.6	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	550	25	45.5	24	43.6	23	95.8	-	0	1	1.8
Clarendon	310	13	41.9	11	35.5	11	100.0	1	83.3	1	3.2
Colleton	470	28	59.6	27	57.4	26	96.3	-	0	1	2.1
Darlington	820	43	52.4	42	51.2	41	97.6	-	0	1	1.2
Dillon	380	25	65.8	25	65.8	22	88.0	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	2,200	88	40.0	74	33.6	62	83.8	-	0	14	6.4
Edgefield	280	13	46.4	8	28.6	6	75.0	-	0	5	17.9
Fairfield	200	8	40.0	7	35.0	7	100.0	-	0	1	5.0
Florence	1,850	93	50.3	89	48.1	85	95.5	-	0	4	2.2
Georgetown	650	26	40.0	24	36.9	22	91.7	-	0	2	3.1
Greenville	7,180	232	32.3	181	25.2	165	91.2	2	10.9	49	6.8
Greenwood	1,120	46	41.1	31	27.7	28	90.3	-	0	15	13.4
Hampton	200	17	85.0	15	75.0	14	93.3	-	0	2	10.0
Horry	4,820	134	27.8	128	26.6	112	87.5	1	7.8	5	1.0
Jasper	300	27	90.0	23	76.7	22	95.7	-	0	4	13.3
Kershaw	890	42	47.2	35	39.3	34	97.1	-	0	7	7.9
Lancaster	1,100	27	24.5	27	24.5	27	100.0	-	0	-	0
Laurens	860	42	48.8	36	41.9	31	86.1	-	0	6	7.0
Lee	170	12	70.6	12	70.6	11	91.7	-	0	-	0
Lexington	3,880	124	32.0	108	27.8	95	88.0	1	9.2	15	3.9
McCormick	60	3	50.0	3	50.0	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	350	27	77.1	26	74.3	25	96.2	-	0	1	2.9
Marlboro	270	12	44.4	12	44.4	12	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	550	28	50.9	24	43.6	21	87.5	-	0	4	7.3
Oconee	920	30	32.6	28	30.4	24	85.7	1	34.5	1	1.1
Orangeburg	1,290	54	41.9	47	36.4	46	97.9	2	40.8	5	3.9
Pickens	2,450	65	26.5	51	20.8	44	86.3	-	0	14	5.7
Richland	7,050	177	25.1	151	21.4	146	96.7	1	6.6	25	3.5
Saluda	230	10	43.5	10	43.5	9	90.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	4,830	193	40.0	175	36.2	150	85.7	2	11.3	16	3.3
Sumter	1,320	82	62.1	73	55.3	72	98.6	-	0	9	6.8
Union	300	17	56.7	15	50.0	12	80.0	-	0	2	6.7
Williamsburg	340	9	26.5	9	26.5	9	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	4,090	88	21.5	85	20.8	78	91.8	-	0	3	0.7
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 18-19

* Includes unknown race

Table D-3A.
Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 18-19 by Race
Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
White

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	43,820	1,170	26.7	995	22.7	852	85.6	7	7.0	168	3.8
Abbeville	230	13	56.5	10	43.5	9	90.0	1	90.9	2	8.7
Aiken	1,340	50	37.3	44	32.8	38	86.4	-	0	6	4.5
Allendale	10	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	2,140	74	34.6	51	23.8	45	88.2	-	0	23	10.7
Bamberg	40	4	100.0	3	75.0	3	100.0	-	0	1	25.0
Barnwell	110	9	81.8	9	81.8	7	77.8	-	0	-	0
Beaufort	1,520	26	17.1	19	12.5	15	78.9	-	0	7	4.6
Berkeley	1,900	45	23.7	34	17.9	29	85.3	-	0	11	5.8
Calhoun	80	2	25.0	1	12.5	-	0	-	0	1	12.5
Charleston	3,070	54	17.6	40	13.0	35	87.5	1	24.4	13	4.2
Cherokee	520	26	50.0	25	48.1	24	96.0	-	0	1	1.9
Chester	210	12	57.1	12	57.1	9	75.0	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	320	10	31.3	10	31.3	9	90.0	-	0	-	0
Clarendon	140	5	35.7	4	28.6	4	100.0	1	200.0	-	0
Colleton	260	13	50.0	13	50.0	12	92.3	-	0	-	0
Darlington	420	20	47.6	20	47.6	19	95.0	-	0	-	0
Dillon	160	8	50.0	8	50.0	6	75.0	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	1,350	39	28.9	34	25.2	25	73.5	-	0	5	3.7
Edgefield	180	8	44.4	6	33.3	4	66.7	-	0	2	11.1
Fairfield	60	3	50.0	2	33.3	2	100.0	-	0	1	16.7
Florence	830	28	33.7	26	31.3	23	88.5	-	0	2	2.4
Georgetown	390	12	30.8	11	28.2	10	90.9	-	0	1	2.6
Greenville	5,150	100	19.4	70	13.6	61	87.1	1	14.1	29	5.6
Greenwood	610	17	27.9	12	19.7	10	83.3	-	0	5	8.2
Hampton	80	3	37.5	3	37.5	2	66.7	-	0	-	0
Horry	3,610	89	24.7	86	23.8	73	84.9	-	0	3	0.8
Jasper	160	10	62.5	9	56.3	8	88.9	-	0	1	6.3
Kershaw	600	29	48.3	24	40.0	23	95.8	-	0	5	8.3
Lancaster	750	16	21.3	16	21.3	16	100.0	-	0	-	0
Laurens	590	21	35.6	19	32.2	15	78.9	-	0	2	3.4
Lee	50	2	40.0	2	40.0	1	50.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	2,830	69	24.4	58	20.5	51	87.9	1	16.9	10	3.5
McCormick	20	2	100.0	2	100.0	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	130	9	69.2	9	69.2	9	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marlboro	100	6	60.0	6	60.0	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	370	12	32.4	11	29.7	9	81.8	-	0	1	2.7
Oconee	790	21	26.6	19	24.1	15	78.9	1	50.0	1	1.3
Orangeburg	300	10	33.3	8	26.7	7	87.5	1	111.1	1	3.3
Pickens	2,160	53	24.5	43	19.9	36	83.7	-	0	10	4.6
Richland	3,140	36	11.5	28	8.9	25	89.3	-	0	8	2.5
Saluda	150	3	20.0	3	20.0	2	66.7	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	3,320	112	33.7	102	30.7	80	78.4	-	0	10	3.0
Sumter	510	29	56.9	26	51.0	25	96.2	-	0	3	5.9
Union	180	11	61.1	10	55.6	7	70.0	-	0	1	5.6
Williamsburg	90	2	22.2	2	22.2	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	2,850	47	16.5	45	15.8	39	86.7	-	0	2	0.7
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 18-19

Table D-3A. (continued)
 Reported Teen Pregnancy¹ for Females Age 18-19 by Race
 Live Births, Live Births to Unmarried Mothers, Fetal Deaths and Abortions with Rates
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023
 (Residence Data)
 Black & Other

County of Residence	Population	Reported Pregnancies ²		Live Births ²		Unmarried ⁴		Fetal Deaths ³		Abortions ²	
		Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Percent	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	25,450	1,335	52.5	1,170	46.0	1,126	96.2	6	5.1	159	6.2
Abbeville	100	8	80.0	7	70.0	7	100.0	-	0	1	10.0
Aiken	800	45	56.3	37	46.3	35	94.6	-	0	8	10.0
Allendale	70	11	157.1	10	142.9	10	100.0	-	0	1	14.3
Anderson	640	36	56.3	30	46.9	28	93.3	-	0	6	9.4
Bamberg	160	3	18.8	3	18.8	3	100.0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	150	12	80.0	11	73.3	11	100.0	-	0	1	6.7
Beaufort	650	32	49.2	25	38.5	23	92.0	-	0	7	10.8
Berkeley	1,200	55	45.8	46	38.3	45	97.8	-	0	9	7.5
Calhoun	70	5	71.4	5	71.4	5	100.0	-	0	-	0
Charleston	1,580	109	69.0	94	59.5	89	94.7	-	0	15	9.5
Cherokee	230	12	52.2	11	47.8	11	100.0	-	0	1	4.3
Chester	170	2	11.8	2	11.8	2	100.0	-	0	-	0
Chesterfield	230	15	65.2	14	60.9	14	100.0	-	0	1	4.3
Clarendon	170	8	47.1	7	41.2	7	100.0	-	0	1	5.9
Colleton	210	15	71.4	14	66.7	14	100.0	-	0	1	4.8
Darlington	400	23	57.5	22	55.0	22	100.0	-	0	1	2.5
Dillon	220	17	77.3	17	77.3	16	94.1	-	0	-	0
Dorchester	850	49	57.6	40	47.1	37	92.5	-	0	9	10.6
Edgefield	100	5	50.0	2	20.0	2	100.0	-	0	3	30.0
Fairfield	140	5	35.7	5	35.7	5	100.0	-	0	-	0
Florence	1,020	65	63.7	63	61.8	62	98.4	-	0	2	2.0
Georgetown	270	14	51.9	13	48.1	12	92.3	-	0	1	3.7
Greenville	2,030	132	65.0	111	54.7	104	93.7	1	8.9	20	9.9
Greenwood	500	29	58.0	19	38.0	18	94.7	-	0	10	20.0
Hampton	120	14	116.7	12	100.0	12	100.0	-	0	2	16.7
Horry	1,210	45	37.2	42	34.7	39	92.9	1	23.3	2	1.7
Jasper	140	17	121.4	14	100.0	14	100.0	-	0	3	21.4
Kershaw	290	13	44.8	11	37.9	11	100.0	-	0	2	6.9
Lancaster	340	11	32.4	11	32.4	11	100.0	-	0	-	0
Laurens	260	21	80.8	17	65.4	16	94.1	-	0	4	15.4
Lee	130	10	76.9	10	76.9	10	100.0	-	0	-	0
Lexington	1,050	55	52.4	50	47.6	44	88.0	-	0	5	4.8
McCormick	40	1	25.0	1	25.0	1	100.0	-	0	-	0
Marion	230	18	78.3	17	73.9	16	94.1	-	0	1	4.3
Marlboro	170	6	35.3	6	35.3	6	100.0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	180	16	88.9	13	72.2	12	92.3	-	0	3	16.7
Oconee	130	9	69.2	9	69.2	9	100.0	-	0	-	0
Orangeburg	1,000	44	44.0	39	39.0	39	100.0	1	25.0	4	4.0
Pickens	290	12	41.4	8	27.6	8	100.0	-	0	4	13.8
Richland	3,900	141	36.2	123	31.5	121	98.4	1	8.1	17	4.4
Saluda	70	7	100.0	7	100.0	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	1,510	81	53.6	73	48.3	70	95.9	2	26.7	6	4.0
Sumter	820	53	64.6	47	57.3	47	100.0	-	0	6	7.3
Union	110	6	54.5	5	45.5	5	100.0	-	0	1	9.1
Williamsburg	250	7	28.0	7	28.0	7	100.0	-	0	-	0
York	1,230	41	33.3	40	32.5	39	97.5	-	0	1	0.8
Unknown	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Reported pregnancies equal total live births plus abortions plus reported fetal deaths.

² Reported pregnancies, Live Births and Abortions: Rates calculated per 1,000 female population

³ Fetal Deaths: Rates calculated per 1,000 deliveries

⁴ Live Births to Unmarried Mothers: Percentage represents percent of all live births to unmarried females age 18-19

ABORTION

Table E-1.
Abortions and Abortion Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina, 2014-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total*		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
2014	9,033 *	156.7	4,218	111.2	4,662	237.1
2015	11,643 *	200.3	4,987	129.7	6,383	325.5
2016	10,716 *	186.9	4,485	117.2	5,971	313.9
2017	10,649 *	186.7	4,331	115.2	6,000	309.5
2018	10,732 *	189.4	4,108	110.0	5,984	310.4
2019	10,897 *	191.0	4,179	111.6	6,398	327.7
2020	11,298 *	202.8	4,186	114.6	6,774	354.2
2021	12,496 *	218.5	4,552	119.2	7,640	404.1
2022	12,684 *	219.3	4,574	127.6	7,841	358.7
2023	5,797 *	100.4	2,530	70.4	3,248	149.2

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

* Includes unknown race

Figure E-1.
Abortion Rates by Race
South Carolina, 2014-2023
(Residence Data)

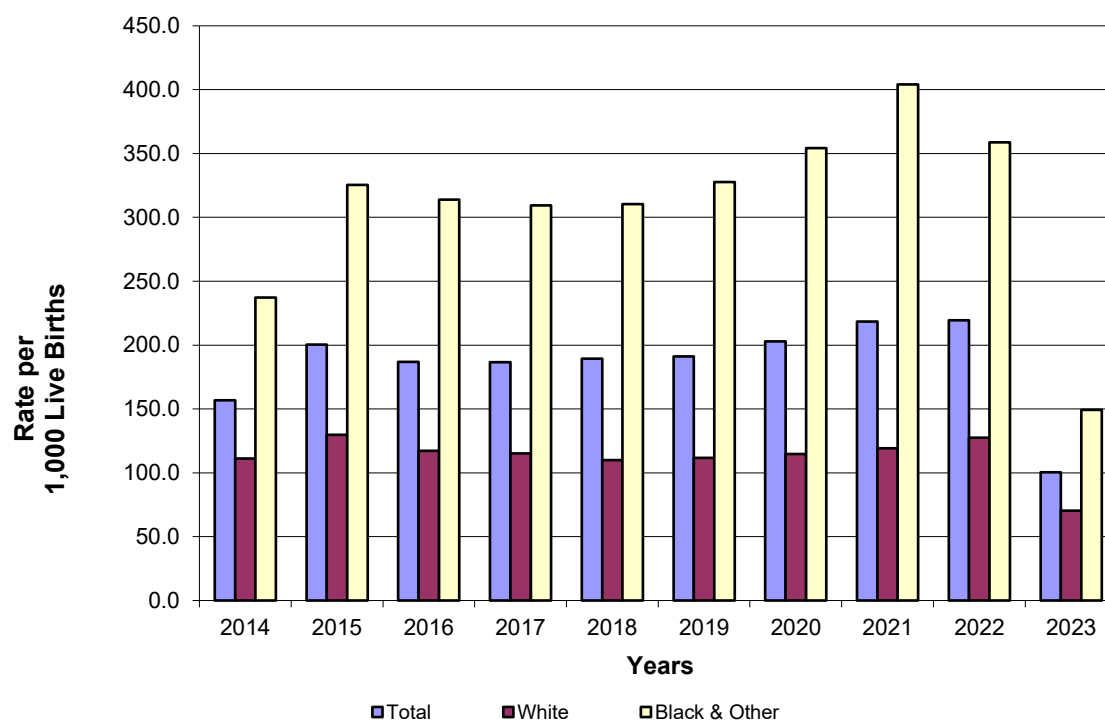


Table E-2.
Abortions by Age Group
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Age in Years								
	Total	<15	15 - 17	18 - 19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 +	Unknown
South Carolina	5,797 *	13	140	328	1,623	1,642	1,237	814	-
Abbeville	24	-	1	3	7	9	3	1	-
Aiken	302 *	-	1	15	87	93	64	42	-
Allendale	13	-	-	1	5	3	3	1	-
Anderson	240	-	7	29	54	61	51	38	-
Bamberg	21	-	1	1	6	6	6	1	-
Barnwell	29 *	-	1	1	5	9	11	2	-
Beaufort	194 *	-	1	14	61	44	41	33	-
Berkeley	355 *	1	4	20	107	90	79	54	-
Calhoun	16	-	1	1	3	4	2	5	-
Charleston	612 *	1	17	28	166	182	130	88	-
Cherokee	26	-	-	2	11	6	4	3	-
Chester	6	-	1	-	3	2	-	-	-
Chesterfield	5	-	-	1	2	1	1	-	-
Clarendon	28	-	-	1	5	7	10	5	-
Colleton	31 *	-	1	1	13	10	3	3	-
Darlington	33	-	-	1	11	11	6	4	-
Dillon	7	-	-	-	4	3	-	-	-
Dorchester	203	-	5	14	51	67	38	28	-
Edgefield	26 *	-	2	5	8	1	6	4	-
Fairfield	17	-	-	1	8	3	4	1	-
Florence	75	-	1	4	26	18	19	7	-
Georgetown	40	-	4	2	9	14	7	4	-
Greenville	936	2	26	49	244	261	202	152	-
Greenwood	145	2	6	15	42	36	23	21	-
Hampton	35	1	1	2	11	9	6	5	-
Horry	115	1	2	5	33	45	15	14	-
Jasper	47	-	2	4	13	16	6	6	-
Kershaw	66 *	1	1	7	13	18	12	14	-
Lancaster	9	-	1	-	2	-	3	3	-
Laurens	73	-	3	6	19	24	15	6	-
Lee	10	-	-	-	2	4	3	1	-
Lexington	329 *	-	10	15	85	88	79	52	-
McCormick	9	-	-	-	5	2	1	1	-
Marion	14	-	-	1	6	4	1	2	-
Marlboro	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-
Newberry	46	-	1	4	17	9	8	7	-
Oconee	51	-	2	1	17	17	9	5	-
Orangeburg	127 *	-	3	5	28	45	30	16	-
Pickens	145	-	1	14	59	38	16	17	-
Richland	730 *	4	13	25	210	200	191	87	-
Saluda	26	-	-	-	6	15	2	3	-
Spartanburg	374	-	12	16	105	109	79	53	-
Sumter	133	-	5	9	36	41	29	13	-
Union	24	-	1	2	7	4	4	6	-
Williamsburg	15	-	-	-	4	2	7	2	-
York	31	-	2	3	5	10	7	4	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table E-2A.
Abortions by Age Group
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

White

County of Residence	Age in Years								
	Total	<15	15 - 17	18 - 19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 +	Unknown
South Carolina	2,530	3	60	168	783	662	483	371	-
Abbeville	12	-	-	2	6	2	2	-	-
Aiken	106	-	-	6	28	37	23	12	-
Allendale	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-
Anderson	150	-	4	23	30	39	31	23	-
Bamberg	3	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
Barnwell	3	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-
Beaufort	106	-	-	7	40	16	21	22	-
Berkeley	151	-	1	11	46	39	31	23	-
Calhoun	5	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-
Charleston	302	-	6	13	95	84	57	47	-
Cherokee	17	-	-	1	9	5	-	2	-
Chester	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Chesterfield	3	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-
Clarendon	7	-	-	-	1	2	1	3	-
Colleton	10	-	-	-	7	2	1	-	-
Darlington	8	-	-	-	3	3	1	1	-
Dillon	5	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-
Dorchester	84	-	4	5	26	23	13	13	-
Edgefield	8	-	2	2	4	-	-	-	-
Fairfield	4	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	-
Florence	21	-	-	2	9	4	5	1	-
Georgetown	18	-	-	1	7	5	3	2	-
Greenville	507	1	12	29	146	123	107	89	-
Greenwood	54	-	2	5	18	13	9	7	-
Hampton	8	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	-
Horry	77	1	1	3	23	29	10	10	-
Jasper	22	-	-	1	8	7	5	1	-
Kershaw	32	1	1	5	5	7	5	8	-
Lancaster	7	-	1	-	2	-	2	2	-
Laurens	32	-	2	2	11	7	7	3	-
Lee	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lexington	162	-	7	10	44	40	36	25	-
McCormick	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Marion	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Marlboro	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
Newberry	18	-	1	1	6	4	3	3	-
Oconee	33	-	2	1	11	10	6	3	-
Orangeburg	9	-	1	1	2	4	1	-	-
Pickens	109	-	1	10	43	27	13	15	-
Richland	160	-	4	8	65	38	29	16	-
Saluda	8	-	-	-	2	3	2	1	-
Spartanburg	193	-	4	10	55	59	37	28	-
Sumter	33	-	1	3	9	14	5	1	-
Union	14	-	1	1	2	2	3	5	-
Williamsburg	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-
York	14	-	2	2	3	4	2	1	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table E-2A. (continued)
 Abortions by Age Group
 South Carolina and Each County, 2022
 (Residence Data)
 Black & Other

County of Residence	Age in Years								
	Total	<15	15 - 17	18 - 19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35 +	Unknown
South Carolina	3,248	10	79	159	834	976	749	441	-
Abbeville	12	-	1	1	1	7	1	1	-
Aiken	192	-	1	8	57	55	41	30	-
Allendale	9	-	-	1	3	2	2	1	-
Anderson	90	-	3	6	24	22	20	15	-
Bamberg	18	-	1	-	5	5	6	1	-
Barnwell	25	-	1	1	4	9	8	2	-
Beaufort	86	-	1	7	20	28	19	11	-
Berkeley	202	1	3	9	60	51	48	30	-
Calhoun	11	-	1	-	2	3	1	4	-
Charleston	309	1	11	15	71	97	73	41	-
Cherokee	9	-	-	1	2	1	4	1	-
Chester	4	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-
Chesterfield	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
Clarendon	21	-	-	1	4	5	9	2	-
Colleton	20	-	1	1	6	7	2	3	-
Darlington	25	-	-	1	8	8	5	3	-
Dillon	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Dorchester	119	-	1	9	25	44	25	15	-
Edgefield	17	-	-	3	4	1	5	4	-
Fairfield	13	-	-	-	8	3	2	-	-
Florence	54	-	1	2	17	14	14	6	-
Georgetown	22	-	4	1	2	9	4	2	-
Greenville	429	1	14	20	98	138	95	63	-
Greenwood	91	2	4	10	24	23	14	14	-
Hampton	27	1	1	2	10	7	3	3	-
Horry	38	-	1	2	10	16	5	4	-
Jasper	25	-	2	3	5	9	1	5	-
Kershaw	33	-	-	2	7	11	7	6	-
Lancaster	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-
Laurens	41	-	1	4	8	17	8	3	-
Lee	9	-	-	-	1	4	3	1	-
Lexington	166	-	3	5	41	47	43	27	-
McCormick	7	-	-	-	3	2	1	1	-
Marion	12	-	-	1	5	3	1	2	-
Marlboro	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Newberry	28	-	-	3	11	5	5	4	-
Oconee	18	-	-	-	6	7	3	2	-
Orangeburg	116	-	1	4	25	41	29	16	-
Pickens	36	-	-	4	16	11	3	2	-
Richland	567	4	9	17	145	162	160	70	-
Saluda	18	-	-	-	4	12	-	2	-
Spartanburg	181	-	8	6	50	50	42	25	-
Sumter	100	-	4	6	27	27	24	12	-
Union	10	-	-	1	5	2	1	1	-
Williamsburg	13	-	-	-	3	2	6	2	-
York	17	-	-	1	2	6	5	3	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Figure F-1
 Three-Year Infant Mortality Rates* by County
 2021-2023
 (Residence Data)

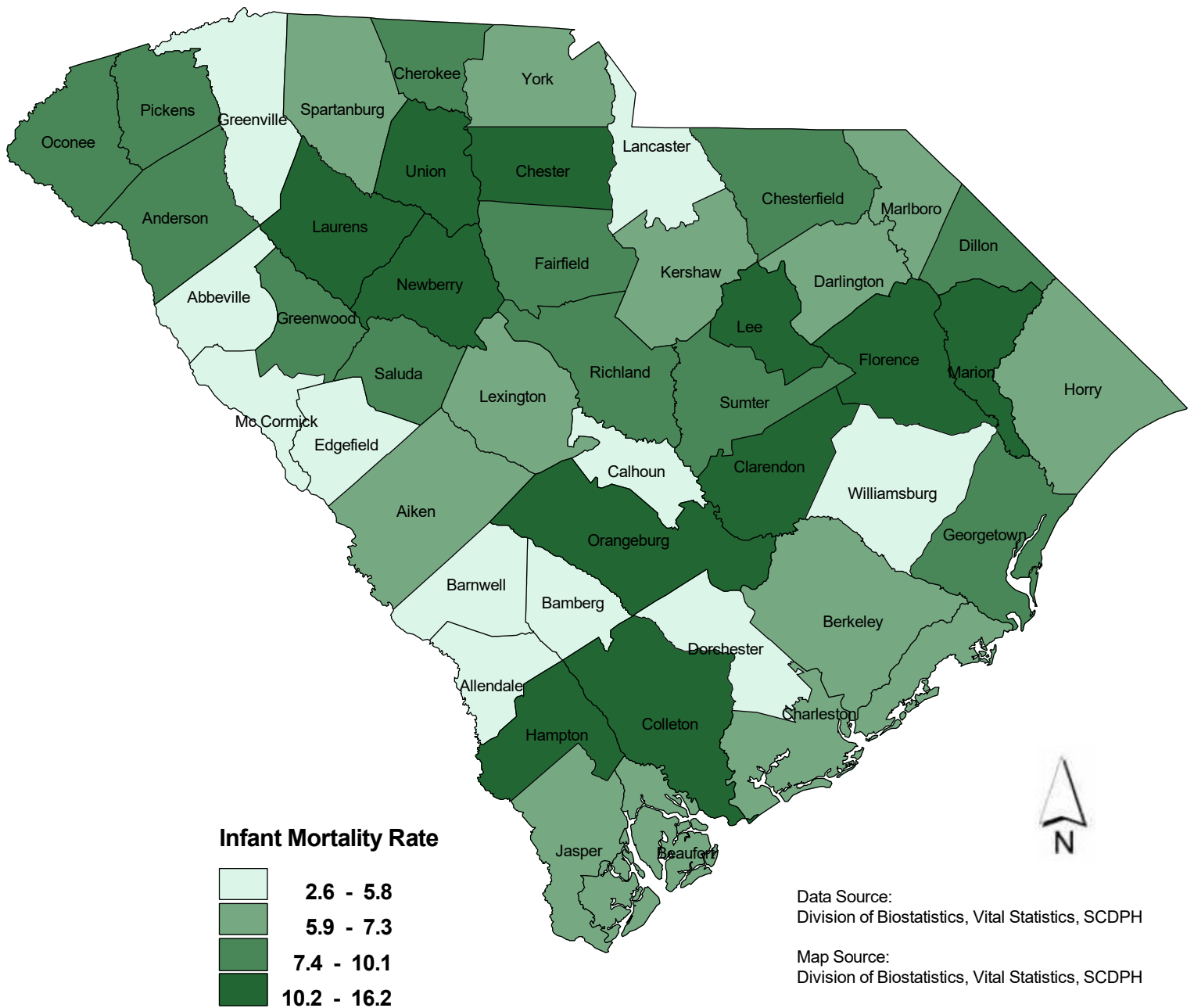


Table F-1.
Infant Mortality and Infant Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1999	564	10.3	236	6.8	328	16.4
2000	488	8.7	192	5.5	296	14.2
2001	496	8.9	206	5.8	290	14.5
2002	507 *	9.3	208	5.9	298	15.4
2003	463	8.3	211	5.9	252	13.0
2004	524	9.3	236	6.4	288	14.7
2005	549 *	9.5	261	7.0	286	14.2
2006	520 *	8.4	231	5.8	288	13.0
2007	538 *	8.5	243	6.0	295	13.3
2008	504 *	8.0	242	5.9	241	10.8
2009	430	7.1	198	5.0	232	10.9
2010	430 *	7.4	188	5.0	220	10.8
2011	423	7.4	182	4.9	241	12.1
2012	435	7.6	199	5.4	236	11.8
2013	389	6.9	192	5.2	197	11.1
2014	372 *	6.5	173	4.6	196	10.0
2015	405 *	7.0	186	5.1	217	10.1
2016	401	7.0	210	5.5	191	10.0
2017	371 *	6.5	196	5.2	174	9.0
2018	406	7.2	186	5.0	220	11.4
2019	391	6.8	161	4.3	230	11.8
2020	364 *	6.5	153	4.2	205	10.7
2021	416 *	7.3	181	4.7	233	12.3
2022	392	6.8	179	5.0	213	9.7
2023	408	7.1	194	5.4	214	9.8

¹ Rate per 1,000 Live Births

* Includes unknown race

Figure F-2
Infant Mortality Rates by Race
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

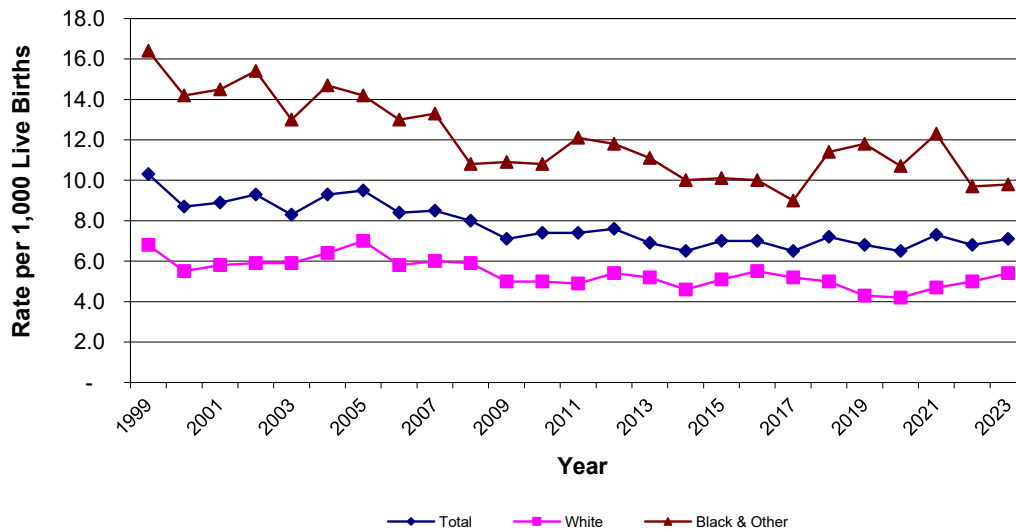


Table F-2.
Leading Causes of Infant Death by Age at Death
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Cause of Death	Total	Under 1 Day	1 - 6 Days	7 - 27 Days	28 - 364 Days
TOTAL INFANT DEATHS	408	123	75	56	154
DISORDERS RELATED TO SHORT GESTATION, ETC. (P07)	66	54	10	2	-
CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS, ETC. (Q00-Q99)	58	12	15	13	18
SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME (R95)	43	-	2	3	38
ACCIDENTS (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	33	-	1	3	29
NEWBORN AFF BY MATERNAL COMP OF PREG (P01)	22	18	3	1	-
BACTERIAL SEPSIS OF NEWBORN (P36)	19	-	8	10	1
DZ OF CIRULATORY SYSTEM (I00-I99)	12	-	-	1	11
NEWBORN AFF BY COMP OF PLACENTA, ETC. (P02)	11	7	3	1	-
ATELECTASIS (P28.0-P28.1)	10	4	3	2	1
ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	10	-	0	1	9
All other causes	124	28	30	19	47

Figure F-3
Percent of Infant Deaths by Age at Death
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

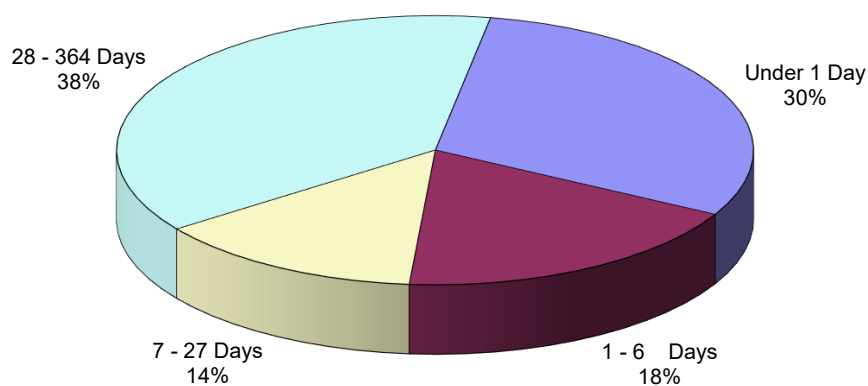


Table F-3.
 Infant Mortality and Infant Mortality Rates¹
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
 (Residence Data)

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	408	7.1	1,216 *	7.0	1,161 *	6.9
Abbeville	-	0	4	5.8	7	9.9
Aiken	14	7.3	38	6.5	38	6.8
Allendale	-	0	1	4.9	1	4.7
Anderson	18	7.6	54	7.6	41 *	6.2
Bamberg	-	0	1	2.6	5	11.9
Barnwell	2	8.1	4	5.5	8	10.2
Beaufort	15	7.9	38	6.8	27	4.8
Berkeley	17	5.4	54	6.0	42	5.0
Calhoun	-	0	1	2.7	3	8.1
Charleston	32	6.6	109 *	7.3	89 *	6.0
Cherokee	6	9.6	14	7.4	18	9.2
Chester	3	8.7	11	11.3	15	13.6
Chesterfield	2	4.1	13	8.8	15 *	10.4
Clarendon	-	0	9	10.5	7	7.5
Colleton	5	11.4	14	10.7	15	11.0
Darlington	3	4.2	14	6.4	16	7.0
Dillon	5	14.6	11	10.1	9	7.4
Dorchester	9	4.5	30	5.0	32	5.7
Edgefield	2	9.2	3	5.1	6	11.0
Fairfield	1	5.9	5	9.2	7	11.9
Florence	16	10.2	51	10.7	68	14.1
Georgetown	6	12.1	11	7.5	7	4.6
Greenville	36	5.5	101	5.1	110 *	5.9
Greenwood	9	12.1	21	9.4	18	7.5
Hampton	4	19.5	9	15.1	9	15.1
Horry	21	6.2	60	6.0	66	7.0
Jasper	3	6.7	8	6.5	7	6.4
Kershaw	5	6.6	15	6.5	14	6.4
Lancaster	7	5.7	14	4.1	26 *	8.5
Laurens	10	13.3	23	10.3	12	5.3
Lee	2	12.0	8	16.2	4	8.0
Lexington	16	5.1	59	6.0	54	5.6
McCormick	-	0	1	5.7	2	13.4
Marion	8	24.5	13	13.8	12	11.9
Marlboro	1	3.9	5	6.5	9	10.9
Newberry	2	4.8	17 *	13.5	12	9.8
Oconee	6	8.9	19	9.4	21	10.3
Orangeburg	11	13.9	37	15.0	29	10.3
Pickens	10	8.3	29	7.9	17	4.7
Richland	38	8.4	101	7.4	107	7.6
Saluda	2	9.7	7	10.0	8	11.9
Spartanburg	27	6.1	74	5.9	61	5.2
Sumter	9	6.9	38	9.6	31	7.5
Union	1	4.2	9	12.4	6	7.0
Williamsburg	1	3.9	4	5.0	9	10.9
York	23	7.6	54	6.0	41	4.7
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes Unknown Race

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

Table F-3A.
 Infant Mortality and Infant Mortality Rates¹ by Race
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
 (Residence Data)
 White

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	194	5.4	554	5.0	499	4.5
Abbeville	-	0	2	4.0	-	0
Aiken	8	6.5	17	4.5	16	4.3
Allendale	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	10	5.6	29	5.3	24	4.6
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	-	0	2	5.0	1	2.5
Beaufort	8	6.2	18	4.6	11	2.6
Berkeley	6	3.1	24	4.1	19	3.2
Calhoun	-	0	-	0	2	9.8
Charleston	14	4.3	53	5.2	33	3.3
Cherokee	2	4.6	6	4.4	11	7.8
Chester	1	5.1	6	10.7	6	10.2
Chesterfield	-	0	5	5.5	7	8.0
Clarendon	-	0	3	7.0	1	2.5
Colleton	1	3.9	6	7.7	6	7.6
Darlington	1	2.8	4	3.6	9	8.0
Dillon	2	13.5	5	10.5	3	5.9
Dorchester	4	3.3	12	3.2	14	3.8
Edgefield	-	0	1	2.8	-	0
Fairfield	-	0	-	0	3	14.6
Florence	4	5.7	14	6.3	20	8.9
Georgetown	5	16.6	8	9.0	7	7.7
Greenville	23	5.4	66	4.8	51	3.6
Greenwood	3	7.7	5	4.0	6	4.2
Hampton	-	0	1	3.8	3	11.6
Horry	12	4.8	28	3.8	35	4.8
Jasper	-	0	3	4.6	4	5.9
Kershaw	2	3.9	9	5.8	9	5.7
Lancaster	3	3.6	9	3.8	13	5.9
Laurens	6	11.9	11	7.2	4	2.5
Lee	-	0	1	6.5	1	7.0
Lexington	11	5.0	33	4.7	33	4.5
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	4	33.6	5	15.3	-	0
Marlboro	-	0	-	0	1	3.0
Newberry	1	4.3	5	6.9	3	4.1
Oconee	6	10.8	16	9.2	20	11.0
Orangeburg	1	3.9	4	5.0	3	3.4
Pickens	10	9.6	25	7.8	16	5.0
Richland	7	4.0	22	4.2	19	3.4
Saluda	2	19.4	5	11.8	7	13.2
Spartanburg	21	6.7	50	5.5	40	4.6
Sumter	1	1.7	12	6.8	12	6.1
Union	1	6.4	2	4.2	5	9.5
Williamsburg	1	11.1	1	3.6	1	3.9
York	13	6.3	26	4.2	20	3.3
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

Table F-3A. (continued)
 Infant Mortality and Infant Mortality Rates¹ by Race
 South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
 (Residence Data)
 Black & Other

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	214	9.8	660	10.6	655	11.3
Abbeville	-	0	2	10.9	7	34.8
Aiken	6	9.0	21	10.6	22	11.9
Allendale	-	0	1	5.8	1	5.7
Anderson	8	14.0	25	15.4	16	11.6
Bamberg	-	0	1	4.5	5	19.5
Barnwell	2	18.3	2	6.3	7	18.4
Beaufort	7	11.6	20	12.1	16	10.9
Berkeley	11	9.0	30	9.3	23	9.4
Calhoun	-	0	1	6.3	1	6.0
Charleston	18	11.1	55	11.8	55	12.1
Cherokee	4	20.6	8	14.9	7	13.1
Chester	2	13.5	5	12.1	9	17.6
Chesterfield	2	10.5	8	13.8	7	12.3
Clarendon	-	0	6	14.0	6	11.4
Colleton	4	21.9	8	15.2	9	15.7
Darlington	2	5.6	10	9.2	7	6.0
Dillon	3	15.4	6	9.8	6	8.5
Dorchester	5	6.4	18	8.2	18	9.7
Edgefield	2	23.3	2	8.8	6	26.5
Fairfield	1	9.5	5	15.1	4	10.5
Florence	12	14.0	37	14.5	48	18.6
Georgetown	1	5.1	3	5.2	-	0
Greenville	13	5.6	35	5.7	56	12.3
Greenwood	6	16.9	16	16.5	12	12.3
Hampton	4	36.7	8	24.3	6	17.8
Horry	9	10.1	32	12.7	31	15.2
Jasper	3	13.6	5	8.7	3	7.3
Kershaw	3	12.0	6	8.2	5	8.4
Lancaster	4	9.9	5	4.5	12	14.1
Laurens	4	16.3	12	17.3	8	12.1
Lee	2	16.7	7	20.6	3	8.5
Lexington	5	5.2	26	9.1	21	9.4
McCormick	-	0	1	10.9	2	25.0
Marion	4	19.3	8	13.1	12	17.4
Marlboro	1	7.1	5	11.6	8	16.0
Newberry	1	5.3	11	20.5	9	18.5
Oconee	-	0	3	10.5	1	4.8
Orangeburg	10	18.7	33	19.8	26	13.6
Pickens	-	0	4	8.8	1	2.8
Richland	31	11.1	79	9.4	88	10.3
Saluda	-	0	2	7.2	1	6.9
Spartanburg	6	4.8	24	7.0	21	7.0
Sumter	8	11.4	26	11.8	19	8.7
Union	-	0	7	29.0	1	3.0
Williamsburg	-	0	3	5.6	8	14.1
York	10	10.7	28	9.7	21	7.6
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

Table F-4.
Neonatal Mortality and Neonatal Mortality Rates¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	254	4.4	779 *	4.5	775 *	4.6
Abbeville	-	0	4	5.8	6	8.5
Aiken	7	3.7	17	2.9	25	4.5
Allendale	-	0	-	0	1	4.7
Anderson	10	4.2	33	4.7	31 *	4.7
Bamberg	-	0	1	2.6	5	11.9
Barnwell	2	8.1	4	5.5	3	3.8
Beaufort	8	4.2	23	4.1	17	3.0
Berkeley	9	2.9	31	3.4	32	3.8
Calhoun	-	0	-	0	2	5.4
Charleston	20	4.1	84 *	5.6	57 *	3.9
Cherokee	2	3.2	6	3.2	16	8.2
Chester	2	5.8	6	6.1	8	7.3
Chesterfield	-	0	7	4.7	9 *	6.2
Clarendon	-	0	7	8.1	4	4.3
Colleton	2	4.6	8	6.1	10	7.3
Darlington	2	2.8	9	4.1	12	5.2
Dillon	3	8.7	4	3.7	5	4.1
Dorchester	5	2.5	20	3.3	23	4.1
Edgefield	2	9.2	3	5.1	2	3.7
Fairfield	1	5.9	4	7.4	5	8.5
Florence	7	4.5	31	6.5	48	9.9
Georgetown	4	8.0	5	3.4	2	1.3
Greenville	29	4.4	72	3.6	75 *	4.0
Greenwood	6	8.0	13	5.8	12	5.0
Hampton	3	14.6	6	10.1	5	8.4
Horry	13	3.9	40	4.0	47	5.0
Jasper	1	2.2	5	4.1	4	3.7
Kershaw	2	2.6	4	1.7	12	5.5
Lancaster	5	4.1	7	2.0	15	4.9
Laurens	5	6.7	11	4.9	6	2.6
Lee	1	6.0	6	12.1	2	4.0
Lexington	12	3.8	43	4.4	32	3.3
McCormick	-	0	1	5.7	2	13.4
Marion	6	18.4	10	10.6	10	9.9
Marlboro	1	3.9	3	3.9	5	6.0
Newberry	-	0	7 *	5.6	8	6.5
Oconee	3	4.5	9	4.5	11	5.4
Orangeburg	6	7.6	23	9.3	24	8.5
Pickens	8	6.6	21	5.8	13	3.6
Richland	22	4.9	62	4.6	74	5.2
Saluda	2	9.7	7	10.0	4	5.9
Spartanburg	19	4.3	52	4.2	36	3.1
Sumter	5	3.9	22	5.5	19	4.6
Union	1	4.2	7	9.7	3	3.5
Williamsburg	1	3.9	1	1.2	6	7.3
York	17	5.7	40	4.4	27	3.1
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes Unknown Race

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

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Table F-4A.
Neonatal Mortality and Neonatal Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)
White

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	131	3.6	371	3.4	334	3.0
Abbeville	-	0	2	4.0	-	0
Aiken	4	3.3	6	1.6	8	2.1
Allendale	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	5	2.8	18	3.3	18	3.5
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	-	0	2	5.0	-	0
Beaufort	4	3.1	11	2.8	6	1.4
Berkeley	5	2.6	17	2.9	12	2.0
Calhoun	-	0	-	0	1	4.9
Charleston	8	2.5	43	4.2	24	2.4
Cherokee	-	0	2	1.5	9	6.4
Chester	-	0	1	1.8	3	5.1
Chesterfield	-	0	3	3.3	2	2.3
Clarendon	-	0	3	7.0	-	0
Colleton	-	0	3	3.9	3	3.8
Darlington	-	0	2	1.8	8	7.1
Dillon	2	13.5	2	4.2	2	3.9
Dorchester	2	1.7	9	2.4	9	2.4
Edgefield	-	0	1	2.8	-	0
Fairfield	-	0	-	0	2	9.7
Florence	2	2.8	9	4.1	16	7.1
Georgetown	3	10.0	4	4.5	2	2.2
Greenville	19	4.4	48	3.5	39	2.8
Greenwood	2	5.1	3	2.4	3	2.1
Hampton	-	0	1	3.8	2	7.8
Horry	8	3.2	19	2.6	24	3.3
Jasper	-	0	2	3.1	3	4.4
Kershaw	2	3.9	4	2.6	7	4.4
Lancaster	3	3.6	5	2.1	9	4.1
Laurens	4	7.9	7	4.6	3	1.9
Lee	-	0	1	6.5	-	0
Lexington	7	3.2	24	3.4	19	2.6
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	2	16.8	3	9.2	-	0
Marlboro	-	0	-	0	1	3.0
Newberry	-	0	1	1.4	2	2.7
Oconee	3	5.4	7	4.0	11	6.0
Orangeburg	1	3.9	3	3.8	2	2.3
Pickens	8	7.7	19	6.0	12	3.7
Richland	6	3.5	14	2.7	16	2.8
Saluda	2	19.4	5	11.8	3	5.6
Spartanburg	16	5.1	36	4.0	27	3.1
Sumter	1	1.7	9	5.1	10	5.1
Union	1	6.4	2	4.2	3	5.7
Williamsburg	1	11.1	1	3.6	1	3.9
York	10	4.8	19	3.1	12	2.0
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

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Table F-4A. (continued)
Neonatal Mortality and Neonatal Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)
Black & Other

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	123	5.7	406	6.5	435	7.5
Abbeville	-	0	2	10.9	6	29.9
Aiken	3	4.5	11	5.5	17	9.2
Allendale	-	0	-	0	1	5.7
Anderson	5	8.8	15	9.3	12	8.7
Bamberg	-	0	1	4.5	5	19.5
Barnwell	2	18.3	2	6.3	3	7.9
Beaufort	4	6.6	12	7.2	11	7.5
Berkeley	4	3.3	14	4.3	20	8.2
Calhoun	-	0	-	0	1	6.0
Charleston	12	7.4	40	8.6	32	7.0
Cherokee	2	10.3	4	7.4	7	13.1
Chester	2	13.5	5	12.1	5	9.8
Chesterfield	-	0	4	6.9	6	10.6
Clarendon	-	0	4	9.3	4	7.6
Colleton	2	10.9	5	9.5	7	12.2
Darlington	2	5.6	7	6.4	4	3.4
Dillon	1	5.1	2	3.3	3	4.2
Dorchester	3	3.9	11	5.0	14	7.6
Edgefield	2	23.3	2	8.8	2	8.8
Fairfield	1	9.5	4	12.1	3	7.9
Florence	5	5.8	22	8.6	32	12.4
Georgetown	1	5.1	1	1.7	-	0
Greenville	10	4.3	24	3.9	33	7.3
Greenwood	4	11.3	10	10.3	9	9.2
Hampton	3	27.5	5	15.2	3	8.9
Horry	5	5.6	21	8.3	23	11.2
Jasper	1	4.5	3	5.2	1	2.4
Kershaw	-	0	-	0	5	8.4
Lancaster	2	5.0	2	1.8	6	7.1
Laurens	1	4.1	4	5.8	3	4.5
Lee	1	8.3	5	14.7	2	5.7
Lexington	5	5.2	19	6.7	13	5.8
McCormick	-	0	1	10.9	2	25.0
Marion	4	19.3	7	11.4	10	14.5
Marlboro	1	7.1	3	7.0	4	8.0
Newberry	-	0	5	9.3	6	12.3
Oconee	-	0	2	7.0	-	0
Orangeburg	5	9.3	20	12.0	22	11.5
Pickens	-	0	2	4.4	1	2.8
Richland	16	5.7	48	5.7	58	6.8
Saluda	-	0	2	7.2	1	6.9
Spartanburg	3	2.4	16	4.7	9	3.0
Sumter	4	5.7	13	5.9	9	4.1
Union	-	0	5	20.7	-	0
Williamsburg	-	0	-	0	5	8.8
York	7	7.5	21	7.3	15	5.4
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

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Table F-5.
Postneonatal Mortality and Postneonatal Mortality Rates¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	154	2.7	437	2.5	386 *	2.3
Abbeville	-	0	-	0	1	1.4
Aiken	7	3.7	21	3.6	13	2.3
Allendale	-	0	1	4.9	-	0
Anderson	8	3.4	21	3.0	10	1.5
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	-	0	-	0	5	6.4
Beaufort	7	3.7	15	2.7	10	1.8
Berkeley	8	2.6	23	2.5	10	1.2
Calhoun	-	0	1	2.7	1	2.7
Charleston	12	2.5	25	1.7	32	2.2
Cherokee	4	6.4	8	4.2	2	1.0
Chester	1	2.9	5	5.1	7	6.4
Chesterfield	2	4.1	6	4.0	6	4.1
Clarendon	-	0	2	2.3	3	3.2
Colleton	3	6.8	6	4.6	5	3.7
Darlington	1	1.4	5	2.3	4	1.7
Dillon	2	5.8	7	6.4	4	3.3
Dorchester	4	2.0	10	1.7	9	1.6
Edgefield	-	0	-	0	4	7.3
Fairfield	-	0	1	1.8	2	3.4
Florence	9	5.8	20	4.2	20	4.1
Georgetown	2	4.0	6	4.1	5	3.3
Greenville	7	1.1	29	1.5	35	1.9
Greenwood	3	4.0	8	3.6	6	2.5
Hampton	1	4.9	3	5.0	4	6.7
Horry	8	2.4	20	2.0	19	2.0
Jasper	2	4.4	3	2.5	3	2.8
Kershaw	3	4.0	11	4.8	2	0.9
Lancaster	2	1.6	7	2.0	11 *	3.6
Laurens	5	6.7	12	5.4	6	2.6
Lee	1	6.0	2	4.0	2	4.0
Lexington	4	1.3	16	1.6	22	2.3
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	2	6.1	3	3.2	2	2.0
Marlboro	-	0	2	2.6	4	4.8
Newberry	2	4.8	10	7.9	4	3.3
Oconee	3	4.5	10	4.9	10	4.9
Orangeburg	5	6.3	14	5.7	5	1.8
Pickens	2	1.7	8	2.2	4	1.1
Richland	16	3.5	39	2.9	33	2.3
Saluda	-	0	-	0	4	5.9
Spartanburg	8	1.8	22	1.8	25	2.1
Sumter	4	3.1	16	4.0	12	2.9
Union	-	0	2	2.8	3	3.5
Williamsburg	-	0	3	3.7	3	3.6
York	6	2.0	14	1.6	14	1.6
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

* Includes Unknown Race

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Table F-5A.
Postneonatal Mortality and Postneonatal Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)
White

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	63	1.8	183	1.7	165	1.5
Abbeville	-	0	-	0	-	0
Aiken	4	3.3	11	2.9	8	2.1
Allendale	-	0	-	0	-	0
Anderson	5	2.8	11	2.0	6	1.2
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	-	0	-	0	1	2.5
Beaufort	4	3.1	7	1.8	5	1.2
Berkeley	1	0.5	7	1.2	7	1.2
Calhoun	-	0	-	0	1	4.9
Charleston	6	1.9	10	1.0	9	0.9
Cherokee	2	4.6	4	2.9	2	1.4
Chester	1	5.1	5	8.9	3	5.1
Chesterfield	-	0	2	2.2	5	5.7
Clarendon	-	0	-	0	1	2.5
Colleton	1	3.9	3	3.9	3	3.8
Darlington	1	2.8	2	1.8	1	0.9
Dillon	-	0	3	6.3	1	2.0
Dorchester	2	1.7	3	0.8	5	1.3
Edgefield	-	0	-	0	-	0
Fairfield	-	0	-	0	1	4.9
Florence	2	2.8	5	2.3	4	1.8
Georgetown	2	6.6	4	4.5	5	5.5
Greenville	4	0.9	18	1.3	12	0.8
Greenwood	1	2.6	2	1.6	3	2.1
Hampton	-	0	-	0	1	3.9
Horry	4	1.6	9	1.2	11	1.5
Jasper	-	0	1	1.5	1	1.5
Kershaw	-	0	5	3.2	2	1.3
Lancaster	-	0	4	1.7	4	1.8
Laurens	2	4.0	4	2.6	1	0.6
Lee	-	0	-	0	1	7.0
Lexington	4	1.8	9	1.3	14	1.9
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	2	16.8	2	6.1	-	0
Marlboro	-	0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	1	4.3	4	5.5	1	1.4
Oconee	3	5.4	9	5.2	9	4.9
Orangeburg	-	0	1	1.3	1	1.1
Pickens	2	1.9	6	1.9	4	1.2
Richland	1	0.6	8	1.5	3	0.5
Saluda	-	0	-	0	4	7.5
Spartanburg	5	1.6	14	1.5	13	1.5
Sumter	-	0	3	1.7	2	1.0
Union	-	0	-	0	2	3.8
Williamsburg	-	0	-	0	-	0
York	3	1.4	7	1.1	8	1.3
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

Table F-5A. (continued)
Postneonatal Mortality and Postneonatal Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023, 2021-2023, 2018-2020
(Residence Data)
Black & Other

County of Residence	2023		2021-2023		2018-2020	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	91	4.2	254	4.1	220	3.8
Abbeville	-	0	-	0	1	5.0
Aiken	3	4.5	10	5.0	5	2.7
Allendale	-	0	1	5.8	-	0
Anderson	3	5.3	10	6.2	4	2.9
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	-	0	-	0	4	10.5
Beaufort	3	5.0	8	4.8	5	3.4
Berkeley	7	5.7	16	5.0	3	1.2
Calhoun	-	0	1	6.3	-	0
Charleston	6	3.7	15	3.2	23	5.0
Cherokee	2	10.3	4	7.4	-	0
Chester	-	0	-	0	4	7.8
Chesterfield	2	10.5	4	6.9	1	1.8
Clarendon	-	0	2	4.7	2	3.8
Colleton	2	10.9	3	5.7	2	3.5
Darlington	-	0	3	2.7	3	2.6
Dillon	2	10.3	4	6.6	3	4.2
Dorchester	2	2.6	7	3.2	4	2.2
Edgefield	-	0	-	0	4	17.7
Fairfield	-	0	1	3.0	1	2.6
Florence	7	8.2	15	5.9	16	6.2
Georgetown	-	0	2	3.5	-	0
Greenville	3	1.3	11	1.8	23	5.1
Greenwood	2	5.6	6	6.2	3	3.1
Hampton	1	9.2	3	9.1	3	8.9
Horry	4	4.5	11	4.4	8	3.9
Jasper	2	9.0	2	3.5	2	4.8
Kershaw	3	12.0	6	8.2	-	0
Lancaster	2	5.0	3	2.7	6	7.1
Laurens	3	12.2	8	11.6	5	7.6
Lee	1	8.3	2	5.9	1	2.8
Lexington	-	0	7	2.5	8	3.6
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	-	0	1	1.6	2	2.9
Marlboro	-	0	2	4.7	4	8.0
Newberry	1	5.3	6	11.2	3	6.2
Oconee	-	0	1	3.5	1	4.8
Orangeburg	5	9.3	13	7.8	4	2.1
Pickens	-	0	2	4.4	-	0
Richland	15	5.4	31	3.7	30	3.5
Saluda	-	0	-	0	-	0
Spartanburg	3	2.4	8	2.3	12	4.0
Sumter	4	5.7	13	5.9	10	4.6
Union	-	0	2	8.3	1	3.0
Williamsburg	-	0	3	5.6	3	5.3
York	3	3.2	7	2.4	6	2.2
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 live births

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

Table F-6.
Fetal Mortality and Fetal Mortality Rates¹ by Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	313 *	5.4	136	3.8	170	7.7
Abbeville	1	4.1	1	5.5	-	0
Aiken	11	5.7	3	2.4	8	11.8
Allendale	2	27.8	-	0	2	31.3
Anderson	13 *	5.5	7	3.9	5	8.7
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	2	8.0	-	0	2	18.0
Beaufort	4	2.1	3	2.3	1	1.6
Berkeley	13	4.1	5	2.6	8	6.5
Calhoun	1	8.2	-	0	1	17.9
Charleston	15	3.1	11	3.4	4	2.5
Cherokee	5	7.9	2	4.6	3	15.2
Chester	2	5.8	1	5.1	1	6.7
Chesterfield	3	6.1	-	0	3	15.5
Clarendon	3	10.6	1	6.9	2	14.6
Colleton	2	4.5	-	0	2	10.8
Darlington	6	8.3	1	2.8	5	13.9
Dillon	1	2.9	-	0	1	5.1
Dorchester	13	6.5	5	4.1	8	10.2
Edgefield	2	9.1	1	7.6	1	11.5
Fairfield	3	17.3	-	0	3	27.8
Florence	9	5.7	4	5.6	5	5.8
Georgetown	5	10.0	1	3.3	4	20.0
Greenville	33 *	5.0	16	3.7	14	6.0
Greenwood	6	8.0	2	5.1	4	11.2
Hampton	-	0	-	0	-	0
Horry	15	4.4	13	5.2	2	2.2
Jasper	1	2.2	-	0	1	4.5
Kershaw	4	5.2	2	3.9	2	8.0
Lancaster	7	5.6	5	6.0	2	4.9
Laurens	7	9.2	5	9.8	2	8.1
Lee	2	11.9	-	0	2	16.4
Lexington	16	5.1	12	5.5	4	4.2
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	2	6.1	-	0	2	9.6
Marlboro	-	0	-	0	-	0
Newberry	1	2.4	1	4.3	-	0
Oconee	6	8.9	4	7.1	2	17.2
Orangeburg	6	7.5	2	7.8	4	7.4
Pickens	5 *	4.1	3	2.9	1	6.1
Richland	27	5.9	4	2.3	23	8.1
Saluda	1	4.8	-	0	1	9.5
Spartanburg	19 *	4.3	10	3.2	8	6.3
Sumter	16	12.2	2	3.4	14	19.5
Union	1	4.2	-	0	1	12.3
Williamsburg	1	3.9	-	0	1	6.0
York	21 *	6.9	9	4.3	11	11.7
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate calculated per 1,000 deliveries

Note: Rates calculated with 20 or fewer deaths are unreliable and should be used cautiously.

*Includes unknown race

Table F-7.
Fetal Deaths by Age of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total Fetal Deaths	Age of Mother (Years)				
		<20	20-34	35-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	313 *	19	233	60	1	
Abbeville	1	1	-	-	-	-
Aiken	11	-	8	3	-	-
Allendale	2	-	2	-	-	-
Anderson	13 *	1	11	1	-	-
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	2	-	-	2	-	-
Beaufort	4	-	3	1	-	-
Berkeley	13	1	10	2	-	-
Calhoun	1	-	1	-	-	-
Charleston	15	2	10	3	-	-
Cherokee	5	-	4	1	-	-
Chester	2	-	2	-	-	-
Chesterfield	3	-	2	1	-	-
Clarendon	3	1	2	-	-	-
Colleton	2	1	1	-	-	-
Darlington	6	-	6	-	-	-
Dillon	1	-	1	-	-	-
Dorchester	13	-	10	3	-	-
Edgefield	2	-	2	-	-	-
Fairfield	3	-	2	1	-	-
Florence	9	-	6	3	-	-
Georgetown	5	-	5	-	-	-
Greenville	33 *	3	22	8	-	-
Greenwood	6	-	4	2	-	-
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	15	1	12	2	-	-
Jasper	1	-	1	-	-	-
Kershaw	4	-	4	-	-	-
Lancaster	7	-	7	-	-	-
Laurens	7	-	6	1	-	-
Lee	2	-	2	-	-	-
Lexington	16	1	11	4	-	-
McCormick	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	2	-	2	-	-	-
Marlboro	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	1	-	1	-	-	-
Oconee	6	1	5	-	-	-
Orangeburg	6	2	4	-	-	-
Pickens	5 *	-	5	-	-	-
Richland	27	1	17	9	-	-
Saluda	1	-	-	1	-	-
Spartanburg	19 *	2	12	4	1	-
Sumter	16	1	11	4	-	-
Union	1	-	1	-	-	-
Williamsburg	1	-	1	-	-	-
York	21 *	-	17	4	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

* Includes unknown race

Table F-7A.
Fetal Deaths by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
White

County of Residence	Total Fetal Deaths	Age of Mother (Years)				
		<20	20-34	35-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	136	11	99	25	1	
Abbeville	1	1	-	-	-	-
Aiken	3	-	2	1	-	-
Allendale	-	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	7	1	5	1	-	-
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	-	-	-	-	-	-
Beaufort	3	-	2	1	-	-
Berkeley	5	1	4	-	-	-
Calhoun	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston	11	2	7	2	-	-
Cherokee	2	-	2	-	-	-
Chester	1	-	1	-	-	-
Chesterfield	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarendon	1	1	-	-	-	-
Colleton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Darlington	1	-	1	-	-	-
Dillon	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dorchester	5	-	3	2	-	-
Edgefield	1	-	1	-	-	-
Fairfield	-	-	-	-	-	-
Florence	4	-	3	1	-	-
Georgetown	1	-	1	-	-	-
Greenville	16	2	11	3	-	-
Greenwood	2	-	1	1	-	-
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	13	-	11	2	-	-
Jasper	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kershaw	2	-	2	-	-	-
Lancaster	5	-	5	-	-	-
Laurens	5	-	4	1	-	-
Lee	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lexington	12	1	8	3	-	-
McCormick	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marlboro	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	1	-	1	-	-	-
Oconee	4	1	3	-	-	-
Orangeburg	2	1	1	-	-	-
Pickens	3	-	3	-	-	-
Richland	4	-	3	1	-	-
Saluda	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spartanburg	10	-	6	3	1	-
Sumter	2	-	1	1	-	-
Union	-	-	-	-	-	-
Williamsburg	-	-	-	-	-	-
York	9	-	7	2	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table F-7A. (continued)
Fetal Deaths by Age and Race of Mother
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)
Black & Other

County of Residence	Total Fetal Deaths	Age of Mother (Years)				
		<20	20-34	35-44	45+	Unknown
South Carolina	170	8	130	32		
Abbeville	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aiken	8	-	6	2	-	-
Allendale	2	-	2	-	-	-
Anderson	5	-	5	-	-	-
Bamberg	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barnwell	2	-	-	2	-	-
Beaufort	1	-	1	-	-	-
Berkeley	8	-	6	2	-	-
Calhoun	1	-	1	-	-	-
Charleston	4	-	3	1	-	-
Cherokee	3	-	2	1	-	-
Chester	1	-	1	-	-	-
Chesterfield	3	-	2	1	-	-
Clarendon	2	-	2	-	-	-
Colleton	2	1	1	-	-	-
Darlington	5	-	5	-	-	-
Dillon	1	-	1	-	-	-
Dorchester	8	-	7	1	-	-
Edgefield	1	-	1	-	-	-
Fairfield	3	-	2	1	-	-
Florence	5	-	3	2	-	-
Georgetown	4	-	4	-	-	-
Greenville	14	1	10	3	-	-
Greenwood	4	-	3	1	-	-
Hampton	-	-	-	-	-	-
Horry	2	1	1	-	-	-
Jasper	1	-	1	-	-	-
Kershaw	2	-	2	-	-	-
Lancaster	2	-	2	-	-	-
Laurens	2	-	2	-	-	-
Lee	2	-	2	-	-	-
Lexington	4	-	3	1	-	-
McCormick	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	2	-	2	-	-	-
Marlboro	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oconee	2	-	2	-	-	-
Orangeburg	4	1	3	-	-	-
Pickens	1	-	1	-	-	-
Richland	23	1	14	8	-	-
Saluda	1	-	-	1	-	-
Spartanburg	8	2	6	-	-	-
Sumter	14	1	10	3	-	-
Union	1	-	1	-	-	-
Williamsburg	1	-	1	-	-	-
York	11	-	9	2	-	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table F-8.
Perinatal Mortality and Perinatal Mortality Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	567 *	9.8	267	7.4	293	13.4
Abbeville	1	4.1	1	5.5	-	0
Aiken	18	9.4	7	5.7	11	16.2
Allendale	2	27.8	-	0	2	31.3
Anderson	23 *	9.7	12	6.7	10	17.4
Bamberg	-	0	-	0	-	0
Barnwell	4	16.1	-	0	4	36.0
Beaufort	12	6.3	7	5.4	5	8.2
Berkeley	22	7.0	10	5.2	12	9.8
Calhoun	1	8.2	-	0	1	17.9
Charleston	35	7.2	19	5.8	16	9.9
Cherokee	7	11.1	2	4.6	5	25.4
Chester	4	11.6	1	5.1	3	20.1
Chesterfield	3	6.1	-	0	3	15.5
Clarendon	3	10.6	1	6.9	2	14.6
Colleton	4	9.1	-	0	4	21.6
Darlington	8	11.1	1	2.8	7	19.4
Dillon	4	11.6	2	13.5	2	10.2
Dorchester	18	9.0	7	5.8	11	14.0
Edgefield	4	18.3	1	7.6	3	34.5
Fairfield	4	23.1	-	0	4	37.0
Florence	16	10.2	6	8.4	10	11.6
Georgetown	9	17.9	4	13.2	5	25.0
Greenville	62 *	9.3	35	8.2	24	10.3
Greenwood	12	16.0	4	10.2	8	22.3
Hampton	3	14.6	-	0	3	27.5
Horry	28	8.3	21	8.4	7	7.9
Jasper	2	4.4	-	0	2	9.0
Kershaw	6	7.9	4	7.8	2	8.0
Lancaster	12	9.7	8	9.6	4	9.9
Laurens	12	15.9	9	17.7	3	12.1
Lee	3	17.9	-	0	3	24.6
Lexington	28	8.9	19	8.7	9	9.4
McCormick	-	0	-	0	-	0
Marion	8	24.4	2	16.8	6	28.7
Marlboro	1	3.9	-	0	1	7.1
Newberry	1	2.4	1	4.3	-	0
Oconee	9	13.3	7	12.5	2	17.2
Orangeburg	12	15.0	3	11.6	9	16.7
Pickens	13 *	10.8	11	10.5	1	6.1
Richland	49	10.7	10	5.8	39	13.8
Saluda	3	14.4	2	19.4	1	9.5
Spartanburg	38 *	8.6	26	8.2	11	8.7
Sumter	21	16.0	3	5.1	18	25.1
Union	2	8.4	1	6.4	1	12.3
Williamsburg	2	7.8	1	11.1	1	6.0
York	38 *	12.5	19	9.1	18	19.1
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 deliveries

* Includes unknown race

Table F-9
Causes of Maternal Death¹ by Age Group of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Cause of Death	Age Group								
	Total	<15 Years	15-19 Years	20-24 Years	25-29 Years	30-34 Years	35-39 Years	40-44 Years	45+ Years
Maternal causes (A34,O00-O95,O98-O99)	12	-	-	1	2	7	2	-	-
I. Pregnancy with Abortive Outcome (O00-O07)	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
1. Ectopic Pregnancy (O00)	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
2. Spontaneous Abortion (O03)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Medical Abortion (O04)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Other Abortion (O05)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Other and Unspecified Pregnancy With Abortive Outcome (O01, O02, O06-O07)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
II. Direct Obstetric Causes (A34,O10-O92)	6	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	-
1. Eclampsia and Pre-Eclampsia (O11, O13-O16)	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
2. Hemorrhage of Pregnancy and Childbirth and Placenta Previa (O20,O44-O46,O67,O72)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Complications Predominantly Related to Puerperium (A34,O85-O92)	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Obstetrical Tetanus (A34)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Obstetric Embolism (O88)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Complications Predominantly Related to Puerperium (O85-O87,O89-O92)	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
4. All Other Direct Obstetric Causes (O10, O12,O21-O43, O47-O66, O68-O71, O73-O75)	3	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
III. Obstetric Death of Unspecified Cause (O95)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IV. Indirect Obstetric Deaths (O98-O99)	4	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-
Maternal causes more than 42 days after delivery or termination of pregnancy (O96-O97)	4	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
I. Death from any obstetric cause occurring more than 42 days but less than one year after delivery (O96)	4	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
II. Death from sequelae of direct obstetric causes (O97)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹Classified and Coded According to ICD-10

Table F-9A
Causes of Maternal Death¹ by Race and Age Group of Mother
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Cause of Death	White									Black and Other								
	Total	<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45+	Total	<15	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45 +
		Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years		Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years	Years
Maternal causes (A34, O00-O95, O98-O99)	5	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	6	-	-	-
I. Pregnancy with Abortive Outcome (O00-O07)	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1. Ectopic Pregnancy (O00)	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
2. Spontaneous Abortion (O03)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Medical Abortion (O04)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4. Other Abortion (O05)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Other and Unspecified Pregnancy With Abortive Outcome (O01, O02, O06-O07)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
II. Direct Obstetric Causes (A34, O10-O92)	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
1. Eclampsia and Pre-Eclampsia (O11, O13-O16)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
2. Hemorrhage of Pregnancy and Childbirth and Placenta Previa (O20, O44-O46, O67,O72)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Complications Predominantly Related to Puerperium (A34, O85-O92)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Obstetrical Tetanus (A34)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Obstetric Embolism (O88)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Complications Predominantly Related to Puerperium (O85-O87, O89-O92)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
4. All Other Direct Obstetric Causes (O10, O12, O21-O43, O47-O66, O68-O71, O73-O75)	2	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
III. Obstetric Death of Unspecified Cause (O95)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
IV. Indirect Obstetric Deaths (O98-O99)	2	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Maternal causes more than 42 days after delivery or termination of pregnancy (O96-O97)	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-
I. Death from any obstetric cause occurring more than 42 days but less than one year after delivery (O96)	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-
II. Death from sequelae of direct obstetric causes (O97)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

¹Classified and Coded According to ICD-10

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Figure G-1
 Death Rates* by County
 2023
 (Residence Data)

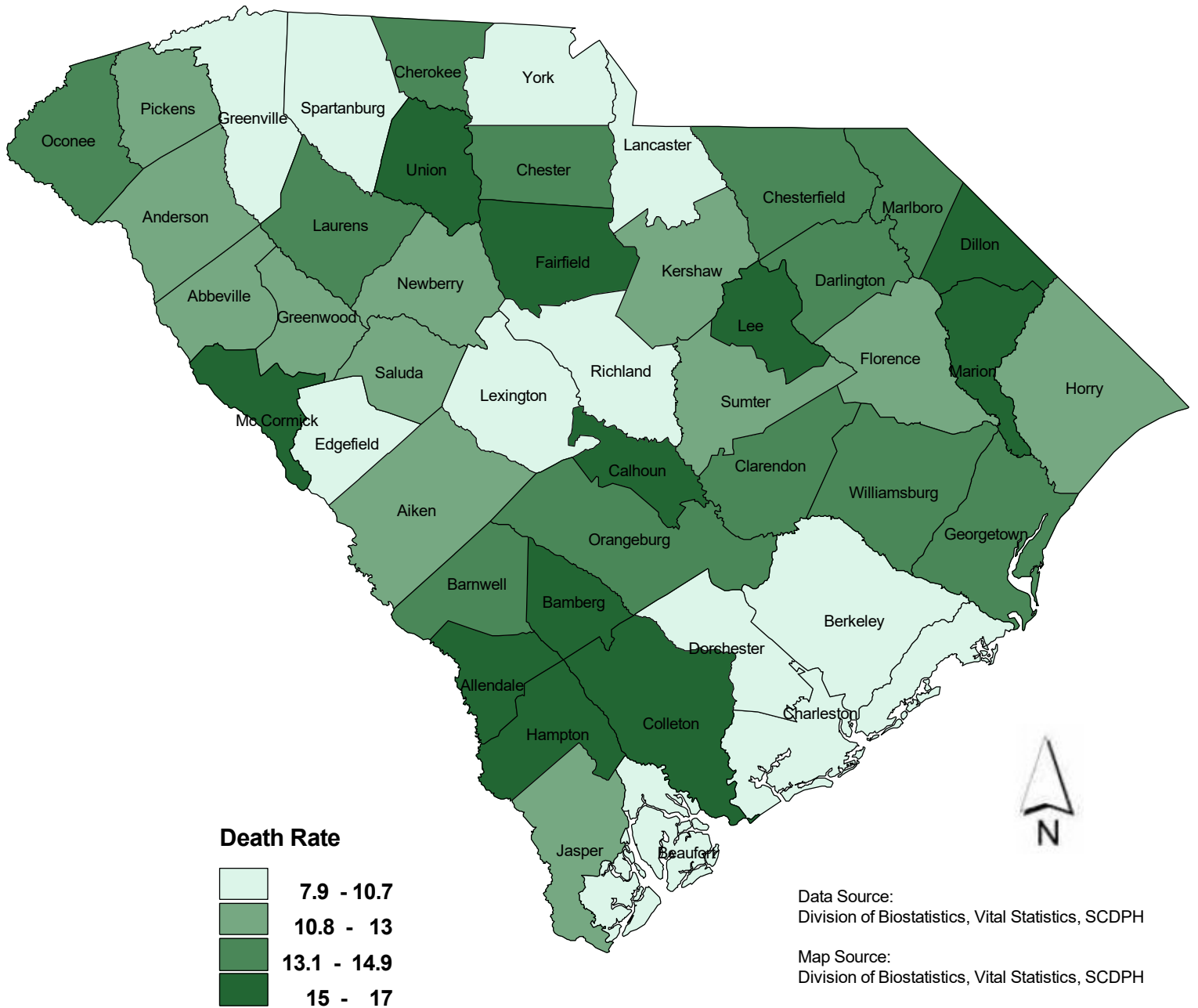


Table G-1.
Deaths and Death Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

Year	Total		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
1999	35,972 *	9.3	25,432	9.5	10,523	8.8
2000	36,816 *	9.2	26,013	9.5	10,785	8.5
2001	36,576 *	9.2	25,781	9.2	10,782	8.5
2002	37,679 *	9.2	26,740	9.5	10,924	8.4
2003	37,920 *	9.1	27,043	9.6	10,865	8.2
2004	37,152 *	8.8	26,353	9.1	10,783	8.2
2005	38,585 *	9.1	27,755	9.5	10,810	8.2
2006	38,723 *	9.0	27,662	9.3	11,030	8.2
2007	39,418 *	8.9	28,233	9.3	11,126	8.2
2008	40,197 *	9.0	29,015	9.3	10,965	8.0
2009	40,242 *	8.8	29,080	9.2	10,880	7.8
2010	41,489 *	9.0	30,187	9.4	10,905	7.6
2011	41,949 *	9.0	30,709	9.5	10,920	7.6
2012	42,879 *	9.1	31,580	9.7	11,221	7.7
2013	44,415 *	9.3	32,793	9.9	11,572	7.9
2014	45,401 *	9.4	33,641	10.1	11,731	7.9
2015	47,182 *	9.6	34,838	10.3	12,311	8.2
2016	48,151 *	9.7	35,503	10.3	12,627	8.3
2017	49,408 *	9.8	36,253	10.4	13,135	8.5
2018	50,633 *	10.0	37,335	10.6	13,289	8.6
2019	50,948 *	9.9	37,562	10.5	13,371	8.5
2020	61,238 *	12.6	44,178	13.3	17,020	10.9
2021	65,339 *	12.6	47,459	13.3	17,812	10.9
2022	60,903 *	11.5	45,033	12.4	15,849	9.6
2023	58,008	10.8	43,157	11.6	14,851	8.9

¹ Rates per 1,000 population

* Includes unknown race

Figure G-2
Death Rates by Race
South Carolina, 1999-2023
(Residence Data)

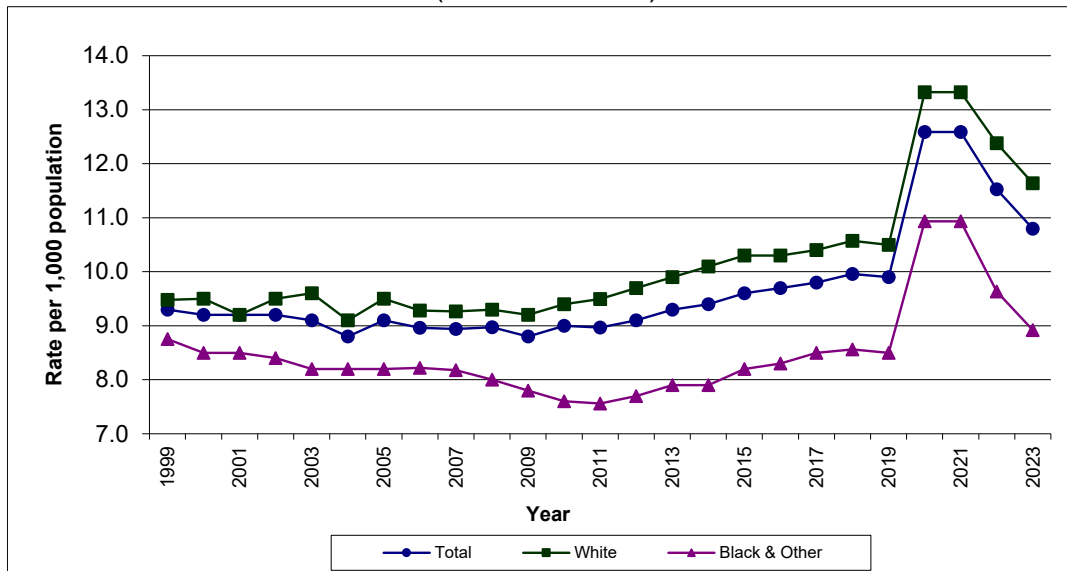


Table G-2.
Mortality from Ten Leading Causes of Death by Race
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Cause of Death (ICD-10 Code)	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Causes	58,008	100.0	43,157	100.0	14,851	100.0
Ten Leading Causes, All Ages	40,719	70.2	30,526	70.7	10,193	68.6
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	12,274	21.2	9,087	21.1	3,187	21.5
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,159	19.2	8,446	19.6	2,713	18.3
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,732	8.2	3,475	8.1	1,257	8.5
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	2,974	5.1	2,105	4.9	869	5.9
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	2,760	4.8	2,387	5.5	373	2.5
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	2,292	4.0	1,874	4.3	418	2.8
Diabetes Mellitus (E10-E14)	1,656	2.9	988	2.3	668	4.5
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,008	1.7	838	1.9	170	1.1
COVID-19 (U071)	948	1.6	741	1.7	207	1.4
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	916	1.6	585	1.4	331	2.2
All Other Causes	17,289	29.8	12,631	29.3	4,658	31.4

Figure G-3.
Percent Distribution for the
Ten Leading Causes of Death by Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

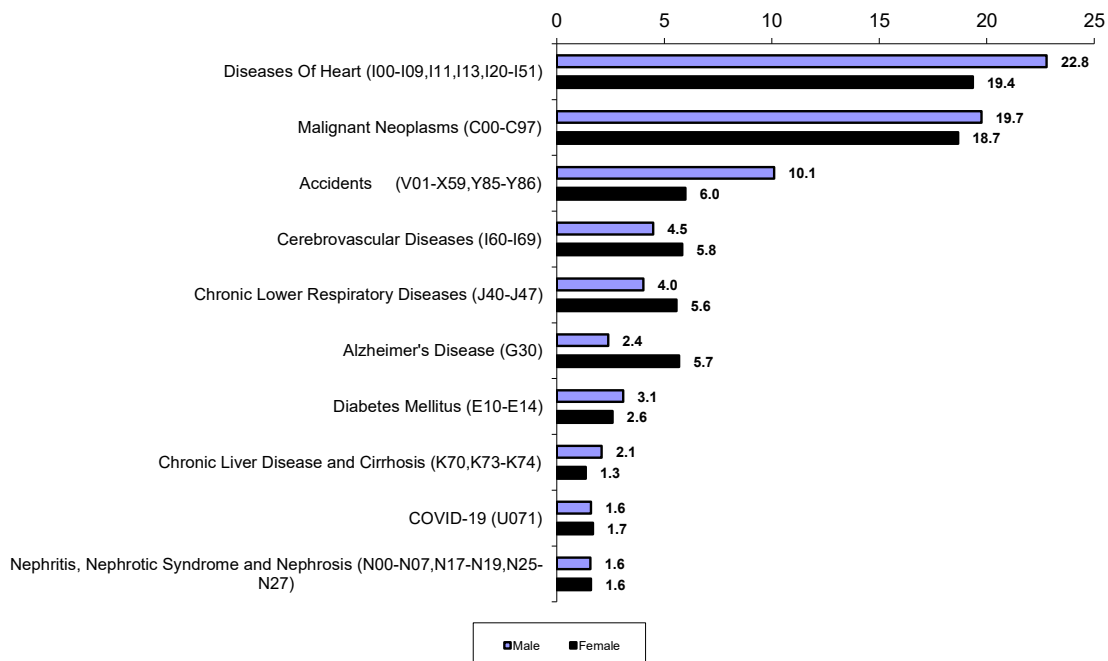


Table G-2A.
Mortality from Ten Leading Causes of Death by Race and Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

MALES						
Cause of Death (ICD-10 Code)	Total		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Causes	30,547	100.0	22,660	100.0	7,887	100.0
Ten Leading Causes, All Ages	22,122	72.4	16,731	73.8	5,391	68.4
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,960	22.8	5,231	23.1	1,729	21.9
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	6,033	19.7	4,651	20.5	1,382	17.5
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,089	10.1	2,198	9.7	891	11.3
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	1,371	4.5	953	4.2	418	5.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	1,230	4.0	1,029	4.5	201	2.5
Diabetes Mellitus (E10-E14)	942	3.1	611	2.7	331	4.2
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	731	2.4	616	2.7	115	1.5
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	641	2.1	530	2.3	111	1.4
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	638	2.1	532	2.3	106	1.3
COVID-19 (U071)	487	1.6	380	1.7	107	1.4
All Other Causes	8,425	27.6	5,929	26.2	2,496	31.6

FEMALES						
Cause of Death (ICD-10 Code)	Total		White		Black & Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All Causes	27,461	100.0	20,497	100.0	6,964	100.0
Ten Leading Causes, All Ages	18,903	68.8	14,147	69.0	4,756	68.3
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,314	19.4	3,856	18.8	1,458	20.9
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,126	18.7	3,795	18.5	1,331	19.1
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,643	6.0	1,277	6.2	366	5.3
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	1,603	5.8	1,152	5.6	451	6.5
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	1,561	5.7	1,258	6.1	303	4.4
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	1,530	5.6	1,358	6.6	172	2.5
Diabetes Mellitus (E10-E14)	714	2.6	377	1.8	337	4.8
Nutrition Deficiency (E40-E64)	509	1.9	411	2.0	98	1.4
COVID-19 (U071)	461	1.7	361	1.8	100	1.4
Septicemia (A40-A41)	442	1.6	302	1.5	140	2.0
All Other Causes	8,558	31.2	6,350	31.0	2,208	31.7

Table G-3.
Mortality from Five Leading Causes of Death in Specified Age Groups by Race
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under 1 Year						
All Causes	408	100.0	194	100.0	214	100.0
Disorders Related to Short Gestation, Etc. (P07)	66	16.2	24	12.4	42	19.6
Congenital Malformations, Etc. (Q00-Q99)	58	14.2	33	17.0	25	11.7
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (R95)	43	10.5	15	7.7	28	13.1
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	33	8.1	19	9.8	14	6.5
Newborn Affected by Maternal Comp Of Preg (P01)	22	5.4	6	3.1	16	7.5
All Other Causes	186	45.6	97	50.0	89	41.6
1 - 4 Years						
All Causes	85	100.0	43	100.0	42	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	43	50.6	22	51.2	21	50.0
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	8	9.4	1	2.3	7	16.7
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	7.1	2	4.7	4	9.5
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	4.7	3	7.0	1	2.4
Conditions from Perinatal Period (P00-P96)	2	2.4	1	2.3	1	2.4
All Other Causes	22	25.9	14	32.6	8	19.0
5 - 14 Years						
All Causes	131	100.0	67	100.0	64	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	35	26.7	15	22.4	20	31.3
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	18	13.7	12	17.9	6	9.4
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	17	13.0	2	3.0	15	23.4
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	10	7.6	9	13.4	1	1.6
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	8	6.1	6	9.0	2	3.1
All Other Causes	43	32.8	23	34.3	20	31.3
15 - 24 Years						
All Causes	676	100.0	357	100.0	319	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	306	45.3	196	54.9	110	34.5
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	162	24.0	36	10.1	126	39.5
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	89	13.2	57	16.0	32	10.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	21	3.1	11	3.1	10	3.1
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11	1.6	6	1.7	5	1.6
All Other Causes	87	12.9	51	14.3	36	11.3
25 - 44 Years						
All Causes	3,438	100.0	2,122	100.0	1,316	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,443	42.0	1,044	49.2	399	30.3
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	343	10.0	172	8.1	171	13.0
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	267	7.8	203	9.6	64	4.9
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	252	7.3	157	7.4	95	7.2
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	240	7.0	47	2.2	193	14.7
All Other Causes	893	26.0	499	23.5	394	29.9
45 - 64 Years						
All Causes	11,050	100.0	7,472	100.0	3,578	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,551	23.1	1,786	23.9	765	21.4
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,368	21.4	1,518	20.3	850	23.8
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,402	12.7	982	13.1	420	11.7
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	456	4.1	363	4.9	93	2.6
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	433	3.9	236	3.2	197	5.5
All Other Causes	3,840	34.8	2,587	34.6	1,253	35.0
65 - 74 Years						
All Causes	12,673	100.0	9,040	100.0	3,633	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,467	27.4	2,551	28.2	916	25.2
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,709	21.4	1,864	20.6	845	23.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	774	6.1	652	7.2	122	3.4
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	586	4.6	387	4.3	199	5.5
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	532	4.2	380	4.2	152	4.2
All Other Causes	4,605	36.3	3,206	35.5	1,399	38.5
75 and Older						
All Causes	29,545	100.0	23,861	100.0	5,684	100.0
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6,831	23.1	5,518	23.1	1,313	23.1
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,846	16.4	3,926	16.5	920	16.2
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	2,029	6.9	1,674	7.0	355	6.2
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	1,890	6.4	1,456	6.1	434	7.6
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	1,579	5.3	1,399	5.9	180	3.2
All Other Causes	12,370	41.9	9,888	41.4	2,482	43.7

Table G-3A.
Mortality from Five Leading Causes of Death in Specified Age Groups by Race and Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)
Males

	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under 1 Year						
All Causes	217	100.0	102	100.0	115	100.0
Disorders Related to Short Gestation, Etc. (P07)	50	23.0	18	17.6	32	27.8
Congenital Malformations, Etc. (Q00-Q99)	27	12.4	16	15.7	11	9.6
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (R95)	21	9.7	7	6.9	14	12.2
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	15	6.9	9	8.8	6	5.2
Bacterial Sepsis Of Newborn (P36)	9	4.1	6	5.9	3	2.6
All Other Causes	95	43.8	46	45.1	49	42.6
1 - 4 Years						
All Causes	40	100.0	18	100.0	22	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	21	52.5	10	55.6	11	50.0
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	3	7.5	1	5.6	2	9.1
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	2	5.0	2	11.1	0	0.0
Conditions from Perinatal Period (P00-P96)	2	5.0	1	5.6	1	4.5
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	5.0	0	0.0	2	9.1
All Other Causes	10	25.0	4	22.2	6	27.3
5 - 14 Years						
All Causes	80	100.0	43	100.0	37	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	27	33.8	14	32.6	13	35.1
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	12	15.0	2	4.7	10	27.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	10	12.5	6	14.0	4	10.8
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	5	6.3	4	9.3	1	2.7
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	4	5.0	4	9.3	0	0.0
All Other Causes	22	27.5	13	30.2	9	24.3
15 - 24 Years						
All Causes	526	100.0	268	100.0	258	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	244	46.4	158	59.0	86	33.3
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	144	27.4	25	9.3	119	46.1
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	74	14.1	45	16.8	29	11.2
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	14	2.7	8	3.0	6	2.3
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8	1.5	5	1.9	3	1.2
All Other Causes	42	8.0	27	10.1	15	5.8
25 - 44 Years						
All Causes	2,269	100.0	1,414	100.0	855	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,025	45.2	731	51.7	294	34.4
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	239	10.5	126	8.9	113	13.2
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	207	9.1	157	11.1	50	5.8
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	200	8.8	36	2.5	164	19.2
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	113	5.0	77	5.4	36	4.2
All Other Causes	485	21.4	287	20.3	198	23.2
45 - 64 Years						
All Causes	6,800	100.0	4,648	100.0	2,152	100.0
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,611	23.7	1,087	23.4	524	24.3
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,334	19.6	968	20.8	366	17.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	959	14.1	650	14.0	309	14.4
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	316	4.6	254	5.5	62	2.9
Diabetes Mellitus (E10-E14)	287	4.2	170	3.7	117	5.4
All Other Causes	2,293	33.7	1,519	32.7	774	36.0
65 - 74 Years						
All Causes	7,201	100.0	5,158	100.0	2,043	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,948	27.1	1,450	28.1	498	24.4
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,728	24.0	1,213	23.5	515	25.2
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	375	5.2	305	5.9	70	3.4
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	334	4.6	227	4.4	107	5.2
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	329	4.6	209	4.1	120	5.9
All Other Causes	2,487	34.5	1,754	34.0	733	35.9
75 and Older						
All Causes	13,413	100.0	11,008	100.0	2,405	100.0
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,368	25.1	2,794	25.4	574	23.9
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,612	19.5	2,140	19.4	472	19.6
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	735	5.5	581	5.3	154	6.4
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	665	5.0	576	5.2	89	3.7
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	621	4.6	527	4.8	94	3.9
All Other Causes	5,412	40.3	4,390	39.9	1,022	42.5

Table G-3A.
Mortality from Five Leading Causes of Death in Specified Age Groups by Race and Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)
Females

	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Under 1 Year						
All Causes	191	100.0	92	100.0	99	100.0
Congenital Malformations, Etc. (Q00-Q99)	31	16.2	17	18.5	14	14.1
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (R95)	22	11.5	8	8.7	14	14.1
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	18	9.4	10	10.9	8	8.1
Newborn Affected by Maternal Comp Of Preg (P01)	16	8.4	5	5.4	11	11.1
Disorders Related to Short Gestation, Etc. (P07)	16	8.4	6	6.5	10	10.1
All Other Causes	88	46.1	46	50.0	42	42.4
1 - 4 Years						
All Causes	45	100.0	25	100.0	20	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22	48.9	12	48.0	10	50.0
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	5	11.1	0	0.0	5	25.0
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	8.9	2	8.0	2	10.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	2	4.4	1	4.0	1	5.0
All Other Causes	12	26.7	10	40.0	2	10.0
5 - 14 Years						
All Causes	51	100.0	24	100.0	27	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	15.7	6	25.0	2	7.4
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8	15.7	1	4.2	7	25.9
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, Chromosomal Abnormalities(Q00-Q99)	6	11.8	5	20.8	1	3.7
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	9.8	0	0.0	5	18.5
All Other Causes	24	47.1	12	50.0	12	44.4
15 - 24 Years						
All Causes	150	100.0	89	100.0	61	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	62	41.3	38	42.7	24	39.3
Homicide (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	18	12.0	11	12.4	7	11.5
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	15	10.0	12	13.5	3	4.9
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	4.7	3	3.4	4	6.6
All Other Causes	48	32.0	25	28.1	23	37.7
25 - 44 Years						
All Causes	1,169	100.0	708	100.0	461	100.0
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	418	35.8	313	44.2	105	22.8
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	139	11.9	80	11.3	59	12.8
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	104	8.9	46	6.5	58	12.6
Suicide (X60-X84,Y87.0)	60	5.1	46	6.5	14	3.0
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	47	4.0	34	4.8	13	2.8
All Other Causes	401	34.3	189	26.7	212	46.0
45 - 64 Years						
All Causes	4,250	100.0	2,824	100.0	1,426	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,217	28.6	818	29.0	399	28.0
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	757	17.8	431	15.3	326	22.9
Accidents (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	443	10.4	332	11.8	111	7.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	203	4.8	180	6.4	23	1.6
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	148	3.5	84	3.0	64	4.5
All Other Causes	1,482	34.9	979	34.7	503	35.3
65 - 74 Years						
All Causes	5,472	100.0	3,882	100.0	1,590	100.0
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,519	27.8	1,101	28.4	418	26.3
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	981	17.9	651	16.8	330	20.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	399	7.3	347	8.9	52	3.3
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	257	4.7	178	4.6	79	5.0
Diabetes Mellitus (E10-E14)	205	3.7	109	2.8	96	6.0
All Other Causes	2,111	38.6	1,496	38.5	615	38.7
75 and Older						
All Causes	16,132	100.0	12,853	100.0	3,279	100.0
Diseases Of Heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,463	21.5	2,724	21.2	739	22.5
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,234	13.8	1,786	13.9	448	13.7
Alzheimer's Disease (G30)	1,408	8.7	1,147	8.9	261	8.0
Cerebrovascular Diseases (I60-I69)	1,155	7.2	875	6.8	280	8.5
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases (J40-J47)	914	5.7	823	6.4	91	2.8
All Other Causes	6,958	43.1	5,498	42.8	1,460	44.5

Table G-4.
Percent Distribution of Deaths by Race and Age
South Carolina, 2003, 2013 and 2023
(Residence Data)

Age at Death	Total			White			Black & Other		
	2003	2013	2023	2003	2013	2023	2003	2013	2023
All Ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under 1	1.2	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.4	2.3	1.7	1.4
01-04	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.3
05-09	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2
10-14	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.3
15-19	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.8
20-24	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.2	1.4
25-34	2.0	1.7	2.4	1.6	1.4	1.9	2.9	2.6	3.7
35-44	4.4	3.1	3.5	3.7	2.7	3.0	6.2	4.2	5.1
45-54	8.6	7.7	5.9	6.9	6.9	5.3	12.8	10.1	7.6
55-64	13.4	14.8	13.1	12.3	13.2	12.0	16.1	19.1	16.5
65-74	18.7	20.0	21.8	19.0	19.8	20.9	17.9	20.7	24.5
75 and Over	49.6	50.3	50.9	54.0	54.2	55.3	38.7	39.2	38.3

Table G-5.
Deaths from Major Cardiovascular Diseases
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	Number	Percent
Major Cardiovascular Disease (I00 - I78)	16,310	28.1
Disease of the Heart (I00 - I09, I11, I13, I20 - I51)	12,274	21.2
Essential Hypertension & Hypertensive Renal Disease (I10, I12)	663	1.1
Cerebrovascular Disease (I60-I69)	2,974	5.1
Atherosclerosis (I70)	14	0.0
Other Diseases of Circulatory System (I71 - I78)	385	0.7

Table G-6.
Distribution of Malignant Neoplasms by Site and Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	Total		Male		Female	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Malignant Neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,159	100.0	6,033	100.0	5,126	100.0
Lip, Oral Cavity and Pharynx (C00-C14)	255	2.3	181	3.0	74	1.4
Digestive Organs (C15-C26)	2,979	26.7	1,765	29.3	1,214	23.7
Respiratory and Intrathoracic Organs (C30-C39)	2,687	24.1	1,481	24.5	1,206	23.5
Breast (C50)	769	6.9	9	0.1	760	14.8
Female Genital Organs (C51-C58)	551	4.9	-	0	551	10.7
Vulva and Vagina (C51-C52)	45	0.4	-	0	45	0.9
Cervix Uteri (C53)	84	0.8	-	0	84	1.6
Corpus Uteri and Uterus, part unspecified (C54-C55)	217	1.9	-	0	217	4.2
Ovary (C56)	186	1.7	-	0	186	3.6
Other Female Genital Organs (C57, C58)	19	0.2	-	0	19	0.4
Male Genital Organs (C60-C63)	639	5.7	639	10.6	-	0
Prostate (C61)	628	5.6	628	10.4	-	0
Testis (C62)	4	0.0	4	0.1	-	0
Penis and Other Male Genital Organs (C60, C63)	7	0.1	7	0.1	-	0
Urinary Tract (C64-C68)	628	5.6	448	7.4	180	3.5
Leukemia (C91-C95)	392	3.5	223	3.7	169	3.3
Lymphatic & Heematopoietic Tissues (C96)	3	0.0	2	0.0	1	0.0

Table G-7.
Types of Accidental Deaths by Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	Total (V01-X59,Y85- Y86)	Transportation (V01-V99,Y85)	Poison (X40-X49)	Falls (W00-W19)	Fire & Flames (X00-X09)	Drowning (W61-W74)	Firearms (W32-W34)	Residual
Total	4,732	1,144	2,135	830	89	74	18	442
Male	3,089	832	1,456	417	59	59	15	251
Female	1,643	312	679	413	30	15	3	191

Table G-8.
Methods of Suicidal Deaths by Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	All Suicides (X60- X84,Y87.0)	Poisoning (X60-X68)	Hanging, Strangulation & Suffocation (X70)	Drowning (X71)	Firearms (X72-X74)	Cutting and Piercing (X78)	Jumping from High Places (X80)	Residual
Total	818	87	148	7	533	16	9	18
Male	641	37	113	6	455	12	5	13
Female	177	50	35	1	78	4	4	5

Table G-9.
Methods of Homicidal Deaths by Gender
South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

	All Homicides (X85- Y09,Y87.1)	Fight, Brawl & Rape (Y04)	Poisoning (Y11-Y17)	Hanging & Strangulation (Y20)	Submersion (Y21)	Firearms (X93-X95)	Cuting & Piercing (X99)	Residual
Total	565	3	19	2	5	453	38	45
Male	453	1	8	2	1	381	31	29
Female	112	2	11	0	4	72	7	16

Table G-10.
Deaths and Death Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	58,008	10.8	43,157	11.6	14,851	8.9
Abbeville	318	13.0	234	13.4	84	12.1
Aiken	2,114	11.9	1,652	13.3	462	8.8
Allendale	120	16.3	44	24.0	76	13.7
Anderson	2,619	12.3	2,263	13.2	356	8.5
Bamberg	221	17.0	96	19.3	125	15.6
Barnwell	274	13.4	166	15.2	108	11.3
Beaufort	2,040	10.3	1,731	10.9	309	7.6
Berkeley	2,014	7.9	1,462	8.3	552	6.9
Calhoun	235	16.6	130	15.7	105	17.8
Charleston	3,609	8.5	2,432	8.0	1,177	9.9
Cherokee	749	13.2	612	14.2	137	10.2
Chester	441	13.7	294	15.0	147	11.7
Chesterfield	589	13.4	428	15.4	161	9.9
Clarendon	428	13.8	247	15.2	181	12.2
Colleton	600	15.4	389	16.4	211	13.9
Darlington	891	14.3	572	16.6	319	11.4
Dillon	445	16.1	269	20.8	176	11.9
Dorchester	1,531	9.0	1,102	9.6	429	7.8
Edgefield	286	10.4	203	11.5	83	8.4
Fairfield	319	15.6	168	19.5	151	12.8
Florence	1,762	12.8	1,057	14.8	705	10.7
Georgetown	961	14.6	701	15.3	260	13.1
Greenville	5,096	9.1	4,109	9.7	987	7.5
Greenwood	843	12.1	613	13.7	230	9.3
Hampton	271	15.0	139	17.1	132	13.2
Horry	5,047	12.7	4,580	13.8	467	7.0
Jasper	409	12.2	262	12.4	147	11.8
Kershaw	814	11.6	611	12.4	203	9.8
Lancaster	1,159	10.7	952	11.9	207	7.3
Laurens	967	14.0	774	15.5	193	10.2
Lee	250	15.7	115	20.3	135	13.1
Lexington	3,134	10.1	2,734	11.4	400	5.8
McCormick	154	15.5	104	17.5	50	12.5
Marion	455	16.0	235	20.4	220	13.0
Marlboro	360	14.0	193	18.3	167	11.0
Newberry	487	12.5	362	13.9	125	9.8
Oconee	1,119	13.8	1,048	14.5	71	8.1
Orangeburg	1,232	14.9	562	19.2	670	12.5
Pickens	1,477	10.9	1,405	11.7	72	4.6
Richland	3,511	8.3	1,767	9.4	1,744	7.4
Saluda	218	11.4	160	11.7	58	10.6
Spartanburg	3,697	10.4	2,922	11.1	775	8.4
Sumter	1,272	12.2	649	13.1	623	11.4
Union	433	16.3	315	17.9	118	13.1
Williamsburg	446	14.9	161	15.6	285	14.6
York	2,591	8.7	2,133	9.7	458	5.8
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 estimated population

Table G-11.
Deaths and Death Rates¹ by Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	Total		White		Black and Other	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
South Carolina	57,089	10.6	42,567	11.5	14,522	8.7
Abbeville	183	7.5	141	8.1	42	6.1
Aiken	1,787	10.1	1,384	11.1	403	7.7
Allendale	82	11.1	29	15.8	53	9.6
Anderson	2,600	12.2	2,232	13.0	368	8.8
Bamberg	162	12.5	69	13.9	93	11.6
Barnwell	168	8.2	115	10.5	53	5.6
Beaufort	1,678	8.4	1,416	8.9	262	6.4
Berkeley	1,833	7.2	1,373	7.8	460	5.8
Calhoun	161	11.3	88	10.6	73	12.4
Charleston	5,302	12.5	3,550	11.6	1,752	14.8
Cherokee	502	8.9	417	9.6	85	6.3
Chester	268	8.3	189	9.6	79	6.3
Chesterfield	447	10.2	320	11.5	127	7.8
Clarendon	312	10.1	186	11.5	126	8.5
Colleton	559	14.4	359	15.2	200	13.2
Darlington	598	9.6	400	11.6	198	7.1
Dillon	328	11.8	198	15.3	130	8.8
Dorchester	999	5.9	727	6.3	272	4.9
Edgefield	207	7.5	153	8.6	54	5.5
Fairfield	205	10.0	108	12.6	97	8.2
Florence	2,826	20.6	1,689	23.7	1,137	17.2
Georgetown	998	15.2	774	16.9	224	11.3
Greenville	5,764	10.3	4,689	11.0	1,075	8.1
Greenwood	996	14.3	736	16.5	260	10.5
Hampton	181	10.0	97	11.9	84	8.4
Horry	4,943	12.4	4,444	13.4	499	7.5
Jasper	523	15.6	403	19.1	120	9.6
Kershaw	634	9.1	483	9.8	151	7.3
Lancaster	886	8.2	702	8.8	184	6.5
Laurens	790	11.5	630	12.6	160	8.5
Lee	127	8.0	64	11.3	63	6.1
Lexington	3,487	11.3	2,861	11.9	626	9.0
McCormick	100	10.1	67	11.3	33	8.2
Marion	269	9.4	152	13.2	117	6.9
Marlboro	166	6.5	93	8.8	73	4.8
Newberry	353	9.1	274	10.5	79	6.2
Oconee	1,046	12.9	984	13.6	62	7.1
Orangeburg	1,127	13.6	532	18.2	595	11.1
Pickens	1,061	7.8	1,005	8.4	56	3.6
Richland	4,045	9.5	2,125	11.3	1,920	8.1
Saluda	149	7.8	113	8.3	36	6.6
Spartanburg	4,178	11.7	3,338	12.6	840	9.1
Sumter	1,086	10.4	573	11.6	513	9.4
Union	311	11.7	224	12.7	87	9.6
Williamsburg	293	9.8	122	11.8	171	8.7
York	2,369	7.9	1,939	8.8	430	5.4
Unknown	-	0	-	0	-	0

¹ Rate per 1,000 estimated population

Table G-12.
Deaths by Race and Gender
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total			White			Black and Other		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
South Carolina	58,008	30,547	27,461	43,157	22,660	20,497	14,851	7,887	6,964
Abbeville	318	165	153	234	116	118	84	49	35
Aiken	2,114	1,108	1,006	1,652	861	791	462	247	215
Allendale	120	60	60	44	21	23	76	39	37
Anderson	2,619	1,364	1,255	2,263	1,169	1,094	356	195	161
Bamberg	221	125	96	96	55	41	125	70	55
Barnwell	274	140	134	166	85	81	108	55	53
Beaufort	2,040	1,108	932	1,731	949	782	309	159	150
Berkeley	2,014	1,096	918	1,462	823	639	552	273	279
Calhoun	235	122	113	130	67	63	105	55	50
Charleston	3,609	1,940	1,669	2,432	1,277	1,155	1,177	663	514
Cherokee	749	401	348	612	338	274	137	63	74
Chester	441	240	201	294	151	143	147	89	58
Chesterfield	589	310	279	428	224	204	161	86	75
Clarendon	428	228	200	247	134	113	181	94	87
Colleton	600	334	266	389	220	169	211	114	97
Darlington	891	438	453	572	265	307	319	173	146
Dillon	445	238	207	269	143	126	176	95	81
Dorchester	1,531	755	776	1,102	559	543	429	196	233
Edgefield	286	154	132	203	111	92	83	43	40
Fairfield	319	170	149	168	89	79	151	81	70
Florence	1,762	927	835	1,057	540	517	705	387	318
Georgetown	961	523	438	701	365	336	260	158	102
Greenville	5,096	2,587	2,509	4,109	2,082	2,027	987	505	482
Greenwood	843	422	421	613	306	307	230	116	114
Hampton	271	144	127	139	75	64	132	69	63
Horry	5,047	2,741	2,306	4,580	2,487	2,093	467	254	213
Jasper	409	234	175	262	150	112	147	84	63
Kershaw	814	417	397	611	326	285	203	91	112
Lancaster	1,159	617	542	952	503	449	207	114	93
Laurens	967	494	473	774	395	379	193	99	94
Lee	250	133	117	115	53	62	135	80	55
Lexington	3,134	1,652	1,482	2,734	1,430	1,304	400	222	178
McCormick	154	81	73	104	55	49	50	26	24
Marion	455	242	213	235	124	111	220	118	102
Marlboro	360	180	180	193	99	94	167	81	86
Newberry	487	268	219	362	196	166	125	72	53
Oconee	1,119	585	534	1,048	546	502	71	39	32
Orangeburg	1,232	680	552	562	309	253	670	371	299
Pickens	1,477	741	736	1,405	711	694	72	30	42
Richland	3,511	1,871	1,640	1,767	959	808	1,744	912	832
Saluda	218	110	108	160	86	74	58	24	34
Spartanburg	3,697	1,948	1,749	2,922	1,529	1,393	775	419	356
Sumter	1,272	666	606	649	344	305	623	322	301
Union	433	223	210	315	157	158	118	66	52
Williamsburg	446	231	215	161	79	82	285	152	133
York	2,591	1,334	1,257	2,133	1,097	1,036	458	237	221
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table G-13.
Deaths by Race and Gender
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	Total			White			Black and Other		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
South Carolina	57,089	30,055	27,034	42,567	22,326	20,241	14,522	7,729	6,793
Abbeville	183	95	88	141	71	70	42	24	18
Aiken	1,787	920	867	1,384	700	684	403	220	183
Allendale	82	48	34	29	16	13	53	32	21
Anderson	2,600	1,392	1,208	2,232	1,188	1,044	368	204	164
Bamberg	162	91	71	69	39	30	93	52	41
Barnwell	168	83	85	115	59	56	53	24	29
Beaufort	1,678	896	782	1,416	764	652	262	132	130
Berkeley	1,833	936	897	1,373	719	654	460	217	243
Calhoun	161	80	81	88	46	42	73	34	39
Charleston	5,302	2,924	2,378	3,550	1,970	1,580	1,752	954	798
Cherokee	502	267	235	417	225	192	85	42	43
Chester	268	156	112	189	103	86	79	53	26
Chesterfield	447	226	221	320	164	156	127	62	65
Clarendon	312	165	147	186	98	88	126	67	59
Colleton	559	341	218	359	223	136	200	118	82
Darlington	598	305	293	400	195	205	198	110	88
Dillon	328	167	161	198	93	105	130	74	56
Dorchester	999	480	519	727	352	375	272	128	144
Edgefield	207	111	96	153	81	72	54	30	24
Fairfield	205	111	94	108	55	53	97	56	41
Florence	2,826	1,502	1,324	1,689	893	796	1,137	609	528
Georgetown	998	547	451	774	409	365	224	138	86
Greenville	5,764	2,910	2,854	4,689	2,355	2,334	1,075	555	520
Greenwood	996	490	506	736	361	375	260	129	131
Hampton	181	92	89	97	51	46	84	41	43
Horry	4,943	2,688	2,255	4,444	2,403	2,041	499	285	214
Jasper	523	299	224	403	220	183	120	79	41
Kershaw	634	313	321	483	245	238	151	68	83
Lancaster	886	460	426	702	353	349	184	107	77
Laurens	790	413	377	630	323	307	160	90	70
Lee	127	66	61	64	29	35	63	37	26
Lexington	3,487	1,789	1,698	2,861	1,478	1,383	626	311	315
McCormick	100	53	47	67	35	32	33	18	15
Marion	269	126	143	152	72	80	117	54	63
Marlboro	166	91	75	93	57	36	73	34	39
Newberry	353	189	164	274	143	131	79	46	33
Oconee	1,046	525	521	984	493	491	62	32	30
Orangeburg	1,127	629	498	532	290	242	595	339	256
Pickens	1,061	509	552	1,005	487	518	56	22	34
Richland	4,045	2,203	1,842	2,125	1,209	916	1,920	994	926
Saluda	149	76	73	113	59	54	36	17	19
Spartanburg	4,178	2,189	1,989	3,338	1,749	1,589	840	440	400
Sumter	1,086	570	516	573	295	278	513	275	238
Union	311	174	137	224	118	106	87	56	31
Williamsburg	293	145	148	122	53	69	171	92	79
York	2,369	1,213	1,156	1,939	985	954	430	228	202
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table G-14.
Deaths by Burial Disposition
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	Total	Burial	Cremation	Removal	Entombment	Other
South Carolina	57,089	23,638	31,229	989	829	392
Abbeville	183	99	81	1	-	2
Aiken	1,787	743	1,007	10	17	10
Allendale	82	67	15	-	-	-
Anderson	2,600	1,063	1,401	36	97	3
Bamberg	162	106	56	-	-	-
Barnwell	168	91	77	-	-	-
Beaufort	1,678	452	1,198	16	4	8
Berkeley	1,833	704	1,085	19	24	1
Calhoun	161	85	75	-	-	1
Charleston	5,302	2,040	3,072	108	65	17
Cherokee	502	236	255	4	7	-
Chester	268	118	144	3	-	3
Chesterfield	447	257	185	3	-	2
Clarendon	312	168	137	6	-	1
Colleton	559	298	251	3	6	1
Darlington	598	354	235	1	8	-
Dillon	328	230	91	-	7	-
Dorchester	999	380	590	8	16	5
Edgefield	207	88	114	2	1	2
Fairfield	205	107	96	2	-	-
Florence	2,826	1,681	1,063	23	49	9
Georgetown	998	321	627	39	7	4
Greenville	5,764	2,158	3,287	80	145	90
Greenwood	996	486	482	2	16	10
Hampton	181	110	70	-	-	1
Horry	4,943	968	3,586	294	66	29
Jasper	523	173	343	4	2	1
Kershaw	634	298	321	9	3	3
Lancaster	886	328	522	16	13	7
Laurens	790	386	382	5	13	4
Lee	127	83	43	-	-	1
Lexington	3,487	1,395	1,932	79	55	26
McCormick	100	42	57	-	-	1
Marion	269	163	102	-	3	1
Marlboro	166	100	66	-	-	-
Newberry	353	177	172	2	-	2
Oconee	1,046	399	593	7	33	14
Orangeburg	1,127	673	441	5	5	3
Pickens	1,061	433	565	11	37	15
Richland	4,045	1,914	1,990	77	38	23
Saluda	149	84	64	-	1	-
Spartanburg	4,178	1,773	2,225	39	64	73
Sumter	1,086	630	440	7	7	2
Union	311	182	125	-	2	2
Williamsburg	293	208	82	1	1	1
York	2,369	787	1,484	67	17	14
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table G-14A.
Deaths by Burial Disposition and Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

White						
County of Residence	Total	Burial	Cremation	Removal	Entombment	Other
South Carolina	42,567	13,829	26,748	862	753	371
Abbeville	141	67	71	1	-	2
Aiken	1,384	480	870	10	14	10
Allendale	29	17	12	-	-	-
Anderson	2,232	851	1,248	36	95	2
Bamberg	69	31	38	-	-	-
Barnwell	115	53	62	-	-	-
Beaufort	1,416	252	1,141	11	4	8
Berkeley	1,373	392	944	13	23	1
Calhoun	88	30	57	-	-	1
Charleston	3,550	854	2,542	95	44	15
Cherokee	417	175	232	3	7	-
Chester	189	64	121	1	-	3
Chesterfield	320	166	153	1	-	-
Clarendon	186	74	105	6	-	1
Colleton	359	135	214	3	6	1
Darlington	400	201	192	-	7	-
Dillon	198	123	68	-	7	-
Dorchester	727	194	510	5	13	5
Edgefield	153	50	98	2	1	2
Fairfield	108	41	65	2	-	-
Florence	1,689	818	802	16	45	8
Georgetown	774	160	565	38	7	4
Greenville	4,689	1,577	2,816	71	140	82
Greenwood	736	297	412	2	15	10
Hampton	97	42	54	-	-	1
Horry	4,444	682	3,392	279	64	27
Jasper	403	81	317	3	1	1
Kershaw	483	198	272	7	3	3
Lancaster	702	218	454	12	11	7
Laurens	630	263	345	5	13	4
Lee	64	31	32	-	-	1
Lexington	2,861	1,028	1,689	70	50	24
McCormick	67	17	49	-	-	1
Marion	152	67	81	-	3	1
Marlboro	93	43	50	-	-	-
Newberry	274	120	150	2	-	2
Oconee	984	357	576	4	33	14
Orangeburg	532	231	290	4	4	3
Pickens	1,005	396	548	9	37	15
Richland	2,125	653	1,371	53	24	23
Saluda	113	55	57	-	1	-
Spartanburg	3,338	1,271	1,899	37	60	71
Sumter	573	254	310	4	4	1
Union	224	121	99	-	2	2
Williamsburg	122	71	49	-	1	1
York	1,939	528	1,326	57	14	14
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table G-14A. (continued)
Deaths by Burial Disposition and Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)
Black & Other

County of Residence	Total	Burial	Cremation	Removal	Entombment	Other
South Carolina	14,522	9,809	4,481	127	76	21
Abbeville	42	32	10	-	-	-
Aiken	403	263	137	-	3	-
Allendale	53	50	3	-	-	-
Anderson	368	212	153	-	2	1
Bamberg	93	75	18	-	-	-
Barnwell	53	38	15	-	-	-
Beaufort	262	200	57	5	-	-
Berkeley	460	312	141	6	1	-
Calhoun	73	55	18	-	-	-
Charleston	1,752	1,186	530	13	21	2
Cherokee	85	61	23	1	-	-
Chester	79	54	23	2	-	-
Chesterfield	127	91	32	2	-	2
Clarendon	126	94	32	-	-	-
Colleton	200	163	37	-	-	-
Darlington	198	153	43	1	1	-
Dillon	130	107	23	-	-	-
Dorchester	272	186	80	3	3	-
Edgefield	54	38	16	-	-	-
Fairfield	97	66	31	-	-	-
Florence	1,137	863	261	7	4	1
Georgetown	224	161	62	1	-	-
Greenville	1,075	581	471	9	5	8
Greenwood	260	189	70	-	1	-
Hampton	84	68	16	-	-	-
Horry	499	286	194	15	2	2
Jasper	120	92	26	1	1	-
Kershaw	151	100	49	2	-	-
Lancaster	184	110	68	4	2	-
Laurens	160	123	37	-	-	-
Lee	63	52	11	-	-	-
Lexington	626	367	243	9	5	2
McCormick	33	25	8	-	-	-
Marion	117	96	21	-	-	-
Marlboro	73	57	16	-	-	-
Newberry	79	57	22	-	-	-
Oconee	62	42	17	3	-	-
Orangeburg	595	442	151	1	1	-
Pickens	56	37	17	2	-	-
Richland	1,920	1,261	619	24	14	-
Saluda	36	29	7	-	-	-
Spartanburg	840	502	326	2	4	2
Sumter	513	376	130	3	3	1
Union	87	61	26	-	-	-
Williamsburg	171	137	33	1	-	-
York	430	259	158	10	3	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table G-15.
Deaths by Certifier ¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	Total	Coroner	Physician	Medical Examiner
South Carolina	57,089	15,935	41,063	90
Abbeville	183	54	129	-
Aiken	1,787	518	1,269	-
Allendale	82	32	50	-
Anderson	2,600	666	1,933	1
Bamberg	162	82	80	-
Barnwell	168	40	128	-
Beaufort	1,678	270	1,408	-
Berkeley	1,833	508	1,325	-
Calhoun	161	56	105	-
Charleston	5,302	1,220	4,082	-
Cherokee	502	182	320	-
Chester	268	127	141	-
Chesterfield	447	436	11	-
Clarendon	312	121	191	-
Colleton	559	352	207	-
Darlington	598	432	166	-
Dillon	328	178	150	-
Dorchester	999	331	668	-
Edgefield	207	67	140	-
Fairfield	205	88	117	-
Florence	2,826	471	2,355	-
Georgetown	998	298	700	-
Greenville	5,764	1,086	4,595	83
Greenwood	996	197	799	-
Hampton	181	44	137	-
Horry	4,943	1,398	3,545	-
Jasper	523	147	376	-
Kershaw	634	202	432	-
Lancaster	886	692	194	-
Laurens	790	237	553	-
Lee	127	53	74	-
Lexington	3,487	547	2,940	-
McCormick	100	33	67	-
Marion	269	88	181	-
Marlboro	166	155	11	-
Newberry	353	94	259	-
Oconee	1,046	248	797	1
Orangeburg	1,127	431	696	-
Pickens	1,061	338	721	2
Richland	4,045	1,109	2,932	3
Saluda	149	37	112	-
Spartanburg	4,178	942	3,236	-
Sumter	1,086	377	709	-
Union	311	123	188	-
Williamsburg	293	120	173	-
York	2,369	708	1,661	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-

¹ Person certifying the original death certificate

Table G-15A.
Deaths by Certifier ¹ and Race
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	White				Black & Other			
	Total	Coroner	Physician	Medical Examiner	Total	Coroner	Physician	Medical Examiner
South Carolina	42,567	10,967	31,547	52	14,522	4,968	9,516	38
Abbeville	141	33	108	-	42	21	21	-
Aiken	1,384	372	1,012	-	403	146	257	-
Allendale	29	9	20	-	53	23	30	-
Anderson	2,232	536	1,695	1	368	130	238	-
Bamberg	69	29	40	-	93	53	40	-
Barnwell	115	24	91	-	53	16	37	-
Beaufort	1,416	203	1,213	-	262	67	195	-
Berkeley	1,373	353	1,020	-	460	155	305	-
Calhoun	88	30	58	-	73	26	47	-
Charleston	3,550	766	2,784	-	1,752	454	1,298	-
Cherokee	417	145	272	-	85	37	48	-
Chester	189	81	108	-	79	46	33	-
Chesterfield	320	310	10	-	127	126	1	-
Clarendon	186	61	125	-	126	60	66	-
Colleton	359	231	128	-	200	121	79	-
Darlington	400	280	120	-	198	152	46	-
Dillon	198	95	103	-	130	83	47	-
Dorchester	727	206	521	-	272	125	147	-
Edgefield	153	48	105	-	54	19	35	-
Fairfield	108	31	77	-	97	57	40	-
Florence	1,689	259	1,430	-	1,137	212	925	-
Georgetown	774	219	555	-	224	79	145	-
Greenville	4,689	810	3,831	48	1,075	276	764	35
Greenwood	736	132	604	-	260	65	195	-
Hampton	97	24	73	-	84	20	64	-
Horry	4,444	1,193	3,251	-	499	205	294	-
Jasper	403	96	307	-	120	51	69	-
Kershaw	483	139	344	-	151	63	88	-
Lancaster	702	558	144	-	184	134	50	-
Laurens	630	181	449	-	160	56	104	-
Lee	64	21	43	-	63	32	31	-
Lexington	2,861	444	2,417	-	626	103	523	-
McCormick	67	23	44	-	33	10	23	-
Marion	152	47	105	-	117	41	76	-
Marlboro	93	88	5	-	73	67	6	-
Newberry	274	59	215	-	79	35	44	-
Oconee	984	228	755	1	62	20	42	-
Orangeburg	532	187	345	-	595	244	351	-
Pickens	1,005	311	694	-	56	27	27	2
Richland	2,125	522	1,600	2	1,920	587	1,332	1
Saluda	113	29	84	-	36	8	28	-
Spartanburg	3,338	687	2,651	-	840	255	585	-
Sumter	573	180	393	-	513	197	316	-
Union	224	81	143	-	87	42	45	-
Williamsburg	122	39	83	-	171	81	90	-
York	1,939	567	1,372	-	430	141	289	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table G-16.
Major Causes ¹ of Accidental Deaths
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	Transportation (V01-V99,Y85)	Poison (X40-X49)	Falls (W00-W19)	Fire & Flames (X00-X09)	Drowning (W61-W74)	Firearms (W32-W34)	Residual
South Carolina	4,732	1,144	2,135	830	89	74	18	442
Abbeville	24	11	7	2	-	-	-	4
Aiken	188	41	94	27	2	2	-	22
Allendale	6	1	2	2	-	-	-	1
Anderson	169	36	65	32	5	5	-	26
Bamberg	15	5	7	1	1	-	-	1
Barnwell	15	2	7	3	-	-	-	3
Beaufort	117	23	43	27	3	2	-	19
Berkeley	180	64	77	21	1	3	2	12
Calhoun	17	7	4	2	1	-	-	3
Charleston	350	76	176	55	2	6	3	32
Cherokee	55	11	23	12	1	-	1	7
Chester	38	9	18	5	-	3	-	3
Chesterfield	43	12	26	3	-	-	-	2
Clarendon	18	12	3	-	-	1	-	2
Colleton	56	18	26	3	-	2	-	7
Darlington	64	28	23	6	3	1	-	3
Dillon	33	10	18	1	-	1	1	2
Dorchester	118	19	55	29	1	4	1	9
Edgefield	19	5	12	2	-	-	-	-
Fairfield	28	11	10	2	1	1	-	3
Florence	137	38	61	18	4	-	-	16
Georgetown	85	23	39	8	1	-	-	14
Greenville	498	91	245	110	7	10	-	35
Greenwood	59	16	25	7	-	-	-	11
Hampton	16	9	5	1	-	-	-	1
Horry	390	67	225	49	6	6	1	36
Jasper	47	20	23	3	-	-	-	1
Kershaw	59	12	20	16	-	2	1	8
Lancaster	115	18	65	21	5	2	-	4
Laurens	81	24	29	14	3	-	1	10
Lee	18	7	4	2	1	1	1	2
Lexington	259	57	99	68	8	6	1	20
McCormick	7	3	-	1	-	-	-	3
Marion	27	14	9	2	-	1	-	1
Marlboro	25	8	13	3	1	-	-	-
Newberry	38	13	17	6	-	-	-	2
Oconee	67	17	28	13	3	-	-	6
Orangeburg	96	33	36	11	2	3	1	10
Pickens	136	24	48	50	2	-	-	12
Richland	272	86	106	34	4	2	2	38
Saluda	20	5	8	1	3	1	-	2
Spartanburg	318	78	156	48	8	7	2	19
Sumter	87	29	35	5	6	1	-	11
Union	26	9	10	6	-	-	-	1
Williamsburg	31	5	19	3	1	-	-	3
York	265	37	114	95	3	1	-	15
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table G-17.
Major Causes ¹ of Accidental Deaths
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Occurrence Data)

County of Residence	Total (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	Transportation (V01-V99,Y85)	Poison (X40-X49)	Falls (W00-W19)	Fire & Flames (X00-X09)	Drowning (W61-W74)	Firearms (W32-W34)	Residual
South Carolina	4,692	1,176	2,121	785	71	83	19	437
Abbeville	9	3	5	1	-	-	-	-
Aiken	157	28	98	9	2	2	-	18
Allendale	5	2	2	-	-	-	-	1
Anderson	150	29	65	23	4	6	-	23
Bamberg	14	6	6	1	-	-	-	1
Barnwell	10	3	4	2	-	-	-	1
Beaufort	78	15	32	8	2	4	-	17
Berkeley	147	50	63	20	2	2	1	9
Calhoun	12	6	3	-	1	-	-	2
Charleston	515	125	240	96	4	5	3	42
Cherokee	40	11	20	-	1	1	1	6
Chester	29	10	16	1	-	-	-	2
Chesterfield	29	7	22	-	-	-	-	-
Clarendon	20	15	2	-	-	1	-	2
Colleton	50	14	25	1	-	4	-	6
Darlington	44	19	20	-	2	1	-	2
Dillon	31	12	18	-	-	-	-	1
Dorchester	77	13	42	7	1	4	1	9
Edgefield	14	3	10	1	-	-	-	-
Fairfield	26	14	8	-	1	3	-	-
Florence	179	53	70	30	3	2	1	20
Georgetown	79	18	39	4	-	5	-	13
Greenville	537	108	213	156	5	7	-	48
Greenwood	61	17	23	7	-	1	-	13
Hampton	13	5	7	-	-	-	-	1
Horry	432	87	243	48	5	10	3	36
Jasper	59	23	31	3	-	-	-	2
Kershaw	44	13	19	2	-	2	1	7
Lancaster	77	11	56	4	3	1	-	2
Laurens	66	23	27	5	3	-	1	7
Lee	10	4	3	-	1	1	1	-
Lexington	246	43	103	66	4	5	1	24
McCormick	7	1	1	1	-	1	-	3
Marion	18	12	4	-	-	-	-	2
Marlboro	19	8	11	-	-	-	-	-
Newberry	26	4	12	7	-	1	-	2
Oconee	62	14	24	15	3	1	-	5
Orangeburg	91	34	38	6	2	2	-	9
Pickens	80	20	36	19	1	-	-	4
Richland	353	122	102	72	6	3	3	45
Saluda	12	4	7	-	-	1	-	-
Spartanburg	378	105	173	64	6	5	2	23
Sumter	74	20	38	1	4	-	-	11
Union	22	7	10	2	-	-	-	3
Williamsburg	33	9	20	2	1	-	-	1
York	257	26	110	101	4	2	-	14
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Table G-18.
Deaths Due to Suicide by Method ¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total (X60-X84,Y87.0)	Firearms (X72-X74)	Hanging, Strangulation & Suffocation (X70)	Poisoning (X60-X68)	Residual
South Carolina	818	533	148	87	50
Abbeville	1	1	-	-	-
Aiken	25	18	4	3	-
Allendale	-	-	-	-	-
Anderson	35	23	8	2	2
Bamberg	2	1	-	-	1
Barnwell	3	3	-	-	-
Beaufort	30	17	8	2	3
Berkeley	33	24	4	4	1
Calhoun	1	-	1	-	-
Charleston	72	40	13	14	5
Cherokee	9	8	1	-	-
Chester	2	2	-	-	-
Chesterfield	11	8	3	-	-
Clarendon	3	2	1	-	-
Colleton	4	3	1	-	-
Darlington	7	6	1	-	-
Dillon	2	1	-	1	-
Dorchester	27	19	4	3	1
Edgefield	2	2	-	-	-
Fairfield	3	2	-	-	1
Florence	17	9	5	2	1
Georgetown	10	7	2	1	-
Greenville	94	58	21	7	8
Greenwood	16	10	2	1	3
Hampton	5	3	1	1	-
Horry	64	45	12	2	5
Jasper	2	-	1	1	-
Kershaw	8	6	1	1	-
Lancaster	13	9	3	1	-
Laurens	10	4	3	1	2
Lee	1	-	1	-	-
Lexington	61	45	7	5	4
McCormick	2	2	-	-	-
Marion	2	2	-	-	-
Marlboro	3	2	1	-	-
Newberry	6	3	2	1	-
Oconee	16	12	3	1	-
Orangeburg	8	4	1	2	1
Pickens	29	19	5	4	1
Richland	57	31	8	14	4
Saluda	4	4	-	-	-
Spartanburg	53	34	10	7	2
Sumter	13	10	1	1	1
Union	4	4	-	-	-
Williamsburg	4	3	1	-	-
York	44	27	8	5	4
Unknown	-	-	-	-	-

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Table G-19.
Deaths Due to Homicide by Method ¹
South Carolina and Each County, 2023
(Residence Data)

County of Residence	Total (X85-Y09, Y87.1)	Firearms (X93-X95)	Assault by Cutting & Piercing (X99)	Residual
South Carolina	565	453	38	74
Abbeville	3	3	-	-
Aiken	23	18	1	4
Allendale	5	5	-	-
Anderson	18	14	1	3
Bamberg	6	5	-	1
Barnwell	3	2	-	1
Beaufort	25	21	1	3
Berkeley	20	18	1	1
Calhoun	-	-	-	-
Charleston	46	40	4	2
Cherokee	2	1	-	1
Chester	10	7	2	1
Chesterfield	8	6	-	2
Clarendon	7	5	2	-
Colleton	13	6	4	3
Darlington	13	13	-	-
Dillon	11	10	-	1
Dorchester	19	15	-	4
Edgefield	1	1	-	-
Fairfield	7	7	-	-
Florence	12	10	1	1
Georgetown	10	9	1	-
Greenville	40	30	3	7
Greenwood	9	9	-	-
Hampton	4	4	-	-
Horry	21	16	4	1
Jasper	6	6	-	-
Kershaw	8	6	2	-
Lancaster	3	3	-	-
Laurens	9	8	-	1
Lee	4	4	-	-
Lexington	21	17	2	2
McCormick	1	1	-	-
Marion	8	8	-	-
Marlboro	4	3	-	1
Newberry	2	1	1	-
Oconee	6	4	-	2
Orangeburg	17	14	1	2
Pickens	6	3	-	3
Richland	64	49	2	13
Saluda	-	-	-	-
Spartanburg	26	18	2	6
Sumter	22	17	2	3
Union	2	-	-	-
Williamsburg	5	4	-	1
York	15	12	1	2
Unknown	-	-	-	-

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Table G-20.
Deaths and Death Rates from Selected Causes by Race and Gender: South Carolina, 2023
(Residence Data)

Cause of Death	Deaths				
	Total	White		Black & Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
ALL CAUSES	58,004	22,660	20,495	7,886	6,963
COVID19 (U07.1)	948	380	361	107	100
SALMONELLA INFECTIONS (A01-A02)	2	1	1	-	-
SHIGELLOSIS & AMEBIASIS (A03,A06)	-	-	-	-	-
CERTAIN OTHER INTESTINAL INFECTIONS (A04,A07-A09)	115	34	53	13	15
TUBERCULOSIS (A16-A19)	5	1	1	-	3
RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS (A16)	3	1	1	-	1
OTHER TUBERCULOSIS (A17-A19)	2	-	-	-	2
WHOOPING COUGH (A37)	-	-	-	-	-
SCARLET FEVER AND ERYSIPELAS (A38, A46)	-	-	-	-	-
MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTION (A39)	-	-	-	-	-
SEPTICEMIA (A40-A41)	892	322	302	128	140
SYPHILIS (A50-A53)	4	1	1	1	1
ACUTE POLIOMYELITIS (A80)	-	-	-	-	-
ARTHROPOD-BORNE VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS (A83-A84, A85.2)	-	-	-	-	-
MEASLES (B05)	-	-	-	-	-
VIRAL HEPATITIS (B15-B19)	34	17	5	7	5
HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE (B20-B24)	98	20	10	43	25
MALARIA (B50-B54)	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED INFECTIOUS & PARASITIC DISEASE & THEIR SEQUELAE **	251	98	90	27	36
MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS (C00-C97)	11,159	4,651	3,795	1,382	1,331
OF LIP, ORAL CAVITY & PHARYNX (C00-C14)	255	140	61	41	13
OF ESOPHAGUS (C15)	269	168	49	37	15
OF STOMACH (C16)	201	79	36	45	41
OF COLON, RECTUM & ANUS (C18-C21)	918	366	293	149	110
OF LIVER & INTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS (C22)	558	285	144	89	40
OF PANCREAS (C25)	901	366	298	119	118
OF LARYNX (C32)	101	55	12	27	7
OF TRACHEA, BRONCHUS & LUNG (C33-C34)	2,554	1,083	950	291	230
OF SKIN (C43)	149	92	53	1	3
OF BREAST (C50)	769	7	506	2	254
OF CERVIX UTERI (C53)	84	-	67	-	17
OF CORPUS UTERI & UTERUS, PART UNSPECIFIED (C54-C55)	217	-	120	-	97
OF OVARY (C56)	186	-	145	-	41
OF PROSTATE (C61)	628	412	-	216	-
OF KIDNEY & RENAL PELVIS (C64-C65)	259	151	58	30	20
OF BLADDER (C67)	342	212	68	37	25
OF MENINGES, BRAIN & OTHER PARTS OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYS (C70-C72)	335	162	137	17	19
OF LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC & RELATED TISSUE (C81-C96)	994	465	305	125	99
HODGKIN'S DISEASE (C81)	22	14	4	2	2
NON-HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA (C82-C85)	322	160	100	39	23
LEUKEMIA (C91-C95)	392	183	136	40	33
MULTIPLE MYELOMA & IMMUNOPROLIFERATIVE NEOPLASMS (C88,C90)	255	106	64	44	41
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC (C96)	3	2	1	-	-
ALL OTHER UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS (RESIDUAL) **	1,439	608	493	156	182
IN SITU, BENIGN NEOPLASMS & NEOPLASMS OF UNKNOWN BEHAVIOR (D00-D48)	302	133	108	26	35
ANEMIAS (D50-D64)	120	33	34	27	26
DIABETES MELLITUS (E10-E14)	1,656	611	377	331	337
NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES (E40-E64)	835	242	411	84	98
MALNUTRITION (E40-E46)	811	230	406	82	93
OTHER NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES (E50-E64)	24	12	5	2	5
MENINGITIS (G00-G03)	15	8	3	1	3
PARKINSON'S DISEASE (G20-G21)	739	411	246	48	34
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (G30)	2,292	616	1,258	115	303
MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (I00-I78)	16,310	6,514	5,354	2,347	2,095
DISEASE OF HEART (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	12,274	5,231	3,856	1,729	1,458
ACUTE RHEUMATIC FEVER & CHRONIC RHEUMATIC HEART DISEASE (I00-I09)	81	28	38	5	10
HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE (I11)	1,353	454	491	213	195
HYPERTENSIVE HEART AND RENAL DISEASE (I13)	428	137	134	62	95
ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20-I25)	5,764	2,851	1,552	793	568
ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION (I21-I22)	1,964	908	541	283	232
OTHER ACUTE HEART DISEASE (I24)	210	100	47	37	26
OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20,I25)	3,590	1,843	964	473	310
ATHEROSCLEROSIS CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (I25.0)	1,225	605	319	192	109
ALL OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20,I25.1-I25.9)	2,365	1,238	645	281	201
OTHER HEART DISEASE (I26-I51)	4,648	1,761	1,641	656	590
ACUTE & SUBACUTE ENDOCARDITIS (I33)	19	6	8	5	-
DISEASE OF PERICARDIUM & ACUTE MYOCARDITIS (I30-I31,I40)	32	17	11	3	1
HEART FAILURE (I50)	1,860	704	677	246	233

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Cause of Death	Total	Death			
		White		Black & Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
ALL OTHER FORMS OF HEART DISEASE (I26-I28,I34-I38,I42-I49,I51)	2,737	1,034	945	402	356
ESSENTIAL HYPERTENSION & HYPERTENSIVE RENAL DISEASE (I10,I12)	663	188	202	142	131
CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (I60-I69)	2,974	953	1,152	418	451
ATHEROSCLEROSIS (I70)	14	6	7	1	-
OTHER DISEASE OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM (I71-I78)	385	136	137	57	55
AORTIC ANEURYSM & DISSECTION (I71)	196	77	65	26	28
OTHER DISEASE OF ARTERIES, ARTERIOLES & CAPILLARIES (I72-I78)	189	59	72	31	27
OTHER DISORDER OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM (I80-I99)	91	30	22	22	17
INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA (J10-J18)	672	226	266	99	81
INFLUENZA (J10-J11)	96	30	42	13	11
PNEUMONIA (J12-J18)	576	196	224	86	70
OTHER ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTIONS (J20-J22)	5	1	-	4	-
ACUTE BRONCHITIS & BRONCHIOLITIS (J20-J21)	3	1	-	2	-
UNSPECIFIED ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTION (J22)	2	-	-	2	-
CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE (J40-J47)	2,760	1,029	1,358	201	172
BRONCHITIS, CHRONIC & UNSPECIFIED (J40-J42)	4	3	1	-	-
EMPHYSEMA (J43)	138	55	66	11	6
ASTHMA (J45-J46)	69	10	34	14	11
OTHER CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE (J44,J47)	2,549	961	1,257	176	155
PNEUMOCONIOSIS & CHEMICAL EFFECTS (J60-J66,J68)	8	6	2	-	-
PNEUMONITIS DUE TO SOLID & LIQUIDS (J69)	403	166	131	70	36
OTHER DISEASE OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM (J00-J06,J30-J39,J67,J70-J98)	1,022	413	417	94	98
PEPTIC ULCER (K25-K28)	76	31	20	19	6
DISEASE OF APPENDIX (K35-K38)	11	4	4	2	1
HERNIA (K40-K46)	47	13	24	2	8
CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS (K70,K73-K74)	1,008	532	306	106	64
ALCOHOLIC LIVER DISEASE (K70)	505	296	107	65	37
OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS (K73-K74)	503	236	199	41	27
CHOLELITHIASIS & OTHER DISORDERS OF GALLBLADDER (K80-K82)	73	31	25	10	7
NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYN & NEPHROSIS (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	916	317	268	162	169
ACUTE & RAPIDLY PROGRESSIVE NEPHRITIC & NEPHROTIC SYNDROME (N00-N01,N04)	23	8	4	5	6
CHRONIC GLOMERULONEPHRITIS, NEPHRITIS & RENAL SCLEROSIS UNSPECIFIED **	5	1	4	-	-
RENAL FAILURE (N17-N19)	888	308	260	157	163
OTHER DISORDERS OF KIDNEY (N25,N27)	-	-	-	-	-
INFECTIONS OF KIDNEYS (N10-N12,N136,N151)	17	3	11	-	3
HYPERPLASIA OF PROSTATE (N40)	7	6	-	1	-
INFLAMMATORY DISEASE OF FEMALE PELVIC ORGANS (N70-N76)	-	-	-	-	-
PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH & THE PUERPERIUM (O00-O99)	16	-	6	-	10
PREGNANCY WITH ABORTIVE OUTCOME (O00-O07)	2	-	1	-	1
OTHER COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH & PUERPERIUM(O10-O99)	14	-	5	-	9
CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD (P00-P96)	214	55	46	69	44
CONGENITAL MALFORM ,DEFORMATIONS & CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMAL (Q00-Q09)	152	45	55	22	30
SYMPTOMS, SIGNS & ABNORMAL CLINICAL & LAB FINDINGS, NOT CLASSIFIED (R00-R99)	359	116	111	74	58
ALL OTHER DISEASE (RESIDUAL) **	8,142	2,673	3,499	866	1,104
ACCIDENT (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,732	2,198	1,277	891	366
TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (V01-V99,Y85)	1,144	533	186	299	126
MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT**	1,094	503	181	286	124
OTHER & TRANSPORT ACCIDENT**	38	26	3	8	1
WATER, AIR & SPACE, UNSPECIFIED TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (V90-V99,Y85)	12	4	2	5	1
NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (W00-X59,Y86)	3,588	1,665	1,091	592	240
ACCIDENTAL FALLS (W00-W19)	830	371	375	46	38
ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS (W32-W34)	18	10	-	5	3
ACCIDENTAL DROWNING & SUBMERSION (W65-W74)	74	38	12	21	3
ACCIDENTAL EXPOSURE OT SMOKE, FIRE & FLAMES (X00-X09)	89	36	17	23	13
ACCIDENTAL POISONING & EXPOSURE TO NOXIOUS SUBSTANCES (X40-X49)	2,135	1,032	548	424	131
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS & THEIR SEQUELAE **	442	178	139	73	52
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	818	530	150	111	27
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARM (X72-X74)	533	377	63	78	15
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM BY OTHER UNSPECIFIED MEANS (X60-X71,X75-X84,Y87.0)	285	153	87	33	12
ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	565	99	53	354	59
ASSAULT BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARM (X93-X95)	453	74	32	307	40
ASSAULT BY OTHER UNSPECIFIED MEANS (X85-X92,X96-Y09,Y87.1)	112	25	21	47	19
LEGAL INTERVENTION (Y35,Y89.0)	9	4	-	5	-
EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT (Y10-Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9)	47	19	16	6	6
DISCHARGE OF FIREARM, UNDETERMINED INTENT (Y22-Y24)	7	4	2	-	1
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT **	40	15	14	6	5
OPERATION OF WAR & THEIR SEQUELAE (Y36,Y89.1)	1	1	-	-	-
COMPLICATION OF MEDICAL & SURGICAL CARE (Y40-Y84,Y88)	56	19	18	9	10

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Cause of Death	Rate ¹				
	Total	White		Black & Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
ALL CAUSES	10.8	12.4	10.9	10.0	7.9
COVID19 (U07.1)	17.6	20.8	19.2	13.6	11.4
SALMONELLA INFECTIONS (A01-A02)	0.0	0.1	0.1	-	-
SHIGELLOSIS & AMEBIASIS (A03,A06)	-	-	-	-	-
CERTAIN OTHER INTESTINAL INFECTIONS (A04,A07-A09)	2.1	1.9	2.8	1.7	1.7
TUBERCULOSIS (A16-A19)	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.3
RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS (A16)	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1
OTHER TUBERCULOSIS (A17-A19)	0.0	-	-	-	0.2
WHOOPING COUGH (A37)	-	-	-	-	-
SCARLET FEVER AND ERYSIPELAS (A38, A46)	-	-	-	-	-
MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTION (A39)	-	-	-	-	-
SEPTICEMIA (A40-A41)	16.6	17.6	16.0	16.3	15.9
SYPHILIS (A50-A53)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
ACUTE POLIOMYELITIS (A80)	-	-	-	-	-
ARTHROPOD-BORNE VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS (A83-A84, A85.2)	-	-	-	-	-
MEASLES (B05)	-	-	-	-	-
VIRAL HEPATITIS (B15-B19)	0.6	0.9	0.3	0.9	0.6
HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE (B20-B24)	1.8	1.1	0.5	5.5	2.8
MALARIA (B50-B54)	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED INFECTIOUS & PARASITIC DISEASE & THEIR SEQUELAE **	4.7	5.4	4.8	3.4	4.1
MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS (C00-C97)	207.7	254.7	201.6	176.1	151.2
OF LIP, ORAL CAVITY & PHARYNX (C00-C14)	4.7	7.7	3.2	5.2	1.5
OF ESOPHAGUS (C15)	5.0	9.2	2.6	4.7	1.7
OF STOMACH (C16)	3.7	4.3	1.9	5.7	4.7
OF COLON, RECTUM & ANUS (C18-C21)	17.1	20.0	15.6	19.0	12.5
OF LIVER & INTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS (C22)	10.4	15.6	7.6	11.3	4.5
OF PANCREAS (C25)	16.8	20.0	15.8	15.2	13.4
OF LARYNX (C32)	1.9	3.0	0.6	3.4	0.8
OF TRACHEA, BRONCHUS & LUNG (C33-C34)	47.5	59.3	50.5	37.1	26.1
OF SKIN (C43)	2.8	5.0	2.8	0.1	0.3
OF BREAST (C50)	14.3	0.4	26.9	0.3	28.9
OF CERVIX UTERI (C53)	1.6	-	3.6	-	1.9
OF CORPUS UTERI & UTERUS, PART UNSPECIFIED (C54-C55)	4.0	-	6.4	-	11.0
OF OVARY (C56)	3.5	-	7.7	-	4.7
OF PROSTATE (C61)	11.7	22.6	-	27.5	-
OF KIDNEY & RENAL PELVIS (C64-C65)	4.8	8.3	3.1	3.8	2.3
OF BLADDER (C67)	6.4	11.6	3.6	4.7	2.8
OF MENINGES, BRAIN & OTHER PARTS OF CENTRAL NERVOUS SYS (C70-C72)	6.2	8.9	7.3	2.2	2.2
OF LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC & RELATED TISSUE (C81-C96)	18.5	25.5	16.2	15.9	11.2
HODGKIN'S DISEASE (C81)	0.4	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.2
NON-HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA (C82-C85)	6.0	8.8	5.3	5.0	2.6
LEUKEMIA (C91-C95)	7.3	10.0	7.2	5.1	3.7
MULTIPLE MYELOMA & IMMUNOPROLIFERATIVE NEOPLASMS (C88,C90)	4.7	5.8	3.4	5.6	4.7
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC (C96)	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	-
ALL OTHER UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS (RESIDUAL) **	26.8	33.3	26.2	19.9	20.7
IN SITU, BENIGN NEOPLASMS & NEOPLASMS OF UNKNOWN BEHAVIOR (D00-D48)	5.6	7.3	5.7	3.3	4.0
ANEMIAS (D50-D64)	2.2	1.8	1.8	3.4	3.0
DIABETES MELLITUS (E10-E14)	30.8	33.5	20.0	42.2	38.3
NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES (E40-E64)	15.5	13.3	21.8	10.7	11.1
MALNUTRITION (E40-E46)	15.1	12.6	21.6	10.4	10.6
OTHER NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES (E50-E64)	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.6
MENINGITIS (G00-G03)	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.1	0.3
PARKINSON'S DISEASE (G20-G21)	13.8	22.5	13.1	6.1	3.9
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE (G30)	42.7	33.7	66.8	14.7	34.4
MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (I00-I78)	303.5	356.7	284.4	299.0	238.0
DISEASE OF HEART (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	228.4	286.4	204.8	220.3	165.7
ACUTE RHEUMATIC FEVER & CHRONIC RHEUMATIC HEART DISEASE (I00-I09)	1.5	1.5	2.0	0.6	1.1
HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE (I11)	25.2	24.9	26.1	27.1	22.2
HYPERTENSIVE HEART AND RENAL DISEASE (I13)	8.0	7.5	7.1	7.9	10.8
ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20-I25)	107.3	156.1	82.4	101.0	64.5
ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION (I21-I22)	36.5	49.7	28.7	36.1	26.4
OTHER ACUTE HEART DISEASE (I24)	3.9	5.5	2.5	4.7	3.0
OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20,I25)	66.8	100.9	51.2	60.3	35.2
ATHEROSCLEROSIS CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (I25.0)	22.8	33.1	16.9	24.5	12.4
ALL OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE (I20,I25.1-I25.9)	44.0	67.8	34.3	35.8	22.8
OTHER HEART DISEASE (I26-I51)	86.5	96.4	87.2	83.6	67.0
ACUTE & SUBACUTE ENDOCARDITIS (I33)	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.6	-
DISEASE OF PERICARDIUM & ACUTE MYOCARDITIS (I30-I31,I40)	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.1
HEART FAILURE (I50)	34.6	38.6	36.0	31.3	26.5

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Cause of Death	Rate ¹				
	Total	White		Black & Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female
ALL OTHER FORMS OF HEART DISEASE (I26-I28,I34-I38,I42-I49,I51)	50.9	56.6	50.2	51.2	40.5
ESSENTIAL HYPERTENSION & HYPERTENSIVE RENAL DISEASE (I10,I12)	12.3	10.3	10.7	18.1	14.9
CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (I60-I69)	55.3	52.2	61.2	53.3	51.2
ATHEROSCLEROSIS (I70)	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.1	-
OTHER DISEASE OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM (I71-I78)	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.3	6.2
AORTIC ANEURYSM & DISSECTION (I71)	3.6	4.2	3.5	3.3	3.2
OTHER DISEASE OF ARTERIES, ARTERIOLES & CAPILLARIES (I72-I78)	3.5	3.2	3.8	3.9	3.1
OTHER DISORDER OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM (I80-I99)	1.7	1.6	1.2	2.8	1.9
INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA (J10-J18)	12.5	12.4	14.1	12.6	9.2
INFLUENZA (J10-J11)	1.8	1.6	2.2	1.7	1.2
PNEUMONIA (J12-J18)	10.7	10.7	11.9	11.0	8.0
OTHER ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTIONS (J20-J22)	0.1	0.1	-	0.5	-
ACUTE BRONCHITIS & BRONCHIOLITIS (J20-J21)	0.1	0.1	-	0.3	-
UNSPECIFIED ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTION (J22)	0.0	-	-	0.3	-
CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE (J40-J47)	51.4	56.3	72.1	25.6	19.5
BRONCHITIS, CHRONIC & UNSPECIFIED (J40-J42)	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	-
EMPHYSEMA (J43)	2.6	3.0	3.5	1.4	0.7
ASTHMA (J45-J46)	1.3	0.5	1.8	1.8	1.2
OTHER CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE (J44,J47)	47.4	52.6	66.8	22.4	17.6
PNEUMOCONIOSIS & CHEMICAL EFFECTS (J60-J66,J68)	0.1	0.3	0.1	-	-
PNEUMONITIS DUE TO SOLID & LIQUIDS (J69)	7.5	9.1	7.0	8.9	4.1
OTHER DISEASE OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM (J00-J06,J30-J39,J67,J70-J98)	19.0	22.6	22.2	12.0	11.1
PEPTIC ULCER (K25-K28)	1.4	1.7	1.1	2.4	0.7
DISEASE OF APPENDIX (K35-K38)	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1
HERNIA (K40-K46)	0.9	0.7	1.3	0.3	0.9
CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS (K70,K73-K74)	18.8	29.1	16.3	13.5	7.3
ALCOHOLIC LIVER DISEASE (K70)	9.4	16.2	5.7	8.3	4.2
OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS (K73-K74)	9.4	12.9	10.6	5.2	3.1
CHOLELITHIASIS & OTHER DISORDERS OF GALLBLADDER (K80-K82)	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.3	0.8
NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYN & NEPHROSIS (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17.0	17.4	14.2	20.6	19.2
ACUTE & RAPIDLY PROGRESSIVE NEPHRITIC & NEPHROTIC SYNDROME (N00-N01,N04)	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.7
CHRONIC GLOMERULONEPHRITIS, NEPHRITIS & RENAL SCLEROSIS UNSPECIFIED **	0.1	0.1	0.2	-	-
RENAL FAILURE (N17-N19)	16.5	16.9	13.8	20.0	18.5
OTHER DISORDERS OF KIDNEY (N25,N27)	-	-	-	-	-
INFECTIONS OF KIDNEYS (N10-N12,N136,N151)	0.3	0.2	0.6	-	0.3
HYPERPLASIA OF PROSTATE (N40)	0.1	0.3	-	0.1	-
INFLAMMATORY DISEASE OF FEMALE PELVIC ORGANS (N70-N76)	-	-	-	-	-
PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH & THE PUERPERIUM (O00-O99)	0.3	-	0.3	-	1.1
PREGNANCY WITH ABORTIVE OUTCOME (O00-O07)	0.0	-	0.1	-	0.1
OTHER COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH & PUERPERIUM(O10-O99)	0.3	-	0.3	-	1.0
CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD (P00-P96)	4.0	3.0	2.4	8.8	5.0
CONGENITAL MALFORM, DEFORMATIONS & CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMAL (Q00-Q09)	2.8	2.5	2.9	2.8	3.4
SYMPTOMS, SIGNS & ABNORMAL CLINICAL & LAB FINDINGS, NOT CLASSIFIED (R00-R99)	6.7	6.4	5.9	9.4	6.6
ALL OTHER DISEASE (RESIDUAL) **	151.5	146.4	185.9	110.3	125.4
ACCIDENT (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	88.1	120.4	67.8	113.5	41.6
TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (V01-V99,Y85)	21.3	29.2	9.9	38.1	14.3
MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT**	20.4	27.5	9.6	36.4	14.1
OTHER & TRANSPORT ACCIDENT**	0.7	1.4	0.2	1.0	0.1
WATER, AIR & SPACE, UNSPECIFIED TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (V90-V99,Y85)	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.6	0.1
NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS (W00-X59,Y86)	66.8	91.2	58.0	75.4	27.3
ACCIDENTAL FALLS (W00-W19)	15.4	20.3	19.9	5.9	4.3
ACCIDENTAL DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS (W32-W34)	0.3	0.5	-	0.6	0.3
ACCIDENTAL DROWNING & SUBMERSION (W65-W74)	1.4	2.1	0.6	2.7	0.3
ACCIDENTAL EXPOSURE OT SMOKE, FIRE & FLAMES (X00-X09)	1.7	2.0	0.9	2.9	1.5
ACCIDENTAL POISONING & EXPOSURE TO NOXIOUS SUBSTANCES (X40-X49)	39.7	56.5	29.1	54.0	14.9
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS & THEIR SEQUELAE **	8.2	9.7	7.4	9.3	5.9
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	15.2	29.0	8.0	14.1	3.1
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARM (X72-X74)	9.9	20.6	3.3	9.9	1.7
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM BY OTHER UNSPECIFIED MEANS (X60-X71,X75-X84,Y87.0)	5.3	8.4	4.6	4.2	1.4
ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	10.5	5.4	2.8	45.1	6.7
ASSAULT BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARM (X93-X95)	8.4	4.1	1.7	39.1	4.5
ASSAULT BY OTHER UNSPECIFIED MEANS (X85-X92,X96-Y09,Y87.1)	2.1	1.4	1.1	6.0	2.2
LEGAL INTERVENTION (Y35,Y89.0)	0.2	0.2	-	0.6	-
EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT (Y10-Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9)	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7
DISCHARGE OF FIREARM, UNDETERMINED INTENT (Y22-Y24)	0.1	0.2	0.1	-	0.1
OTHER & UNSPECIFIED EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT **	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.6
OPERATION OF WAR & THEIR SEQUELAE (Y36,Y89.1)	0.0	0.1	-	-	-
COMPLICATION OF MEDICAL & SURGICAL CARE (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1

** See APPENDIX for ICD-10 codes

¹ Rate per 1,000 population for All Causes; rates per 100,000 population for specific cause of death

TECHNICAL NOTES

REGISTRATION OF VITAL EVENTS

The vital statistics system in South Carolina is a local-state-national reporting system where the vital event certificates and reports can be submitted to Vital Records offices across the state or submitted electronically depending on the event. There are now electronic systems in place for registration of both births and deaths. The systems allow source document providers (delivering facilities, funeral directors, physicians, coroners, etc.) to enter information regarding the vital event into a web-based electronic system called the Vital Records and Statistics Integrated Information System (VRSIIS). Paper reports are sent by regional vital records staff to the State Office of Vital Statistics. The State Office performs quality assurance testing on the records and also provides certifications of records for the general public. This office also provides data to the National Center for Health Statistics in cooperation with other states in order to produce national information on vital statistics.

Statewide legislation requiring the registration of births and deaths became effective January 1, 1915. South Carolina was admitted into the National Death Registration Area in 1916 and in the National Birth Registration Area in 1919. After failing to meet the completeness of registration tests, the state was excluded from both in 1925. On the basis of later tests, South Carolina was readmitted into the National Birth and Death Registration Areas in 1928.

Marriage records have been filed with the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control since July 1950. The reporting form prevented the state from being admitted as a Marriage Registration Area (MRA) in the national system until legislation was enacted in 1970 to standardize the reporting form, which enabled the state to be admitted as a MRA in 1971.

Reports of divorces and annulments have been filed with the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control since July 1962. The reporting of these events reached 90 percent completeness in 1971, which enabled the state to qualify as a Divorce Registration Area.

No thorough study of the completeness of fetal death registration in South Carolina has yet been made. While the law requires that the death of any fetus that weighs 350 grams or more or, if weight is unknown, has advanced beyond the 20th week of gestation to be registered, it is believed that registration is notably incomplete. The registration of fetal deaths will continue to improve as the need for these data are shown through health research.

REVISION OF CERTIFICATES

The Office of Public Health Statistics and Information Services revised its certificates of birth certificate, death certificate, report of fetal death and report of induced termination of pregnancy based on standards set forth by the National Center for Health Statistics.

The 1989 revised vital records forms were major departures from the previous revisions (see appendix). While many of the items needed for legal purposes (e.g., name) remained unchanged or slightly modified, there were major and significant changes in the Confidential Information for Medical and Health Use section of the Certificate of Live Birth. Most of the changes represented efforts to clarify items for more complete and accurate data reporting. Other than the increased length of the revised forms, the most obvious change on the Certificate of Live Birth and Report of Fetal Death is the replacement of the open-ended medical items with items having a checkbox format. The concept of checkboxes as a mechanism for capturing information on medical factors is not new. In fact, this format was successfully implemented in several states with the previous revision of the forms. Additionally, the lists of risk factors, complications of labor and/or delivery and abnormal conditions of the newborn are taken from the Hollister Maternal/Newborn Record System, which is widely used in many obstetric offices.

The certificate of birth was revised again in January 2004 (referenced by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) as the 2003 revision). This revision accompanied the implementation of a web-based electronic birth registration system (WebBirth). Substantial changes were made to the medical portion of the certificate, including removal of 'other' check/box items and the addition of section names. Several items were added to address data collection needs and to facilitate the linkage of data sets. Another change was the implementation of standardized worksheets to improve the completeness and quality of birth data.

The certificate of death was revised in January 2005 (referenced by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) as the 2003 revision). The form increased in size from letter size to legal size to accommodate additional items and an expanded check box format for decedent's education, race and Hispanic origin. This revision accompanied the implementation of a web-based electronic death registration system (WebDeath). This was the first electronic death registration system in SC. In previous years, all death certificates were filed using only paper forms.

These revisions to the vital records forms and systems were intended to make the vital statistics system more responsive to public health concerns for high quality data.

ALLOCATIONS OF EVENTS BY RESIDENCE OR OCCURRENCE

With respect to geographic allocation of vital events, the data may be compiled either by place of residence or by place of occurrence.

RESIDENCE DATA are allocated in the place in South Carolina where the person normally resided regardless of where the event occurred. A cooperative system of interstate exchange of transcripts of birth and death records permits events occurring to South Carolina residents in other states to be included in the South Carolina resident tabulations. In these tabulations, births are allocated to the county of the mother's residence and deaths are allocated of the county of residence of the decedent. Since there is no interstate exchange of transcripts of marriage and divorce records, these statistics are limited to those events which occurred in South Carolina.

OCCURRENCE DATA are allocated in the place of South Carolina where the event occurred, regardless of the usual residence of the person involved.

Both residence and occurrence data are useful for different purposes. Occurrence data represent the requirements for hospitals and other facilities. These types of data may help to determine such needs as maternity services, intensive care facilities for newborn babies, or emergency room facilities. Residence data are more properly utilized in measuring the fertility and the incidence of death in the population living in an area.

2022 BIRTH AND DEATH ALLOCATIONS FOR S.C. RESIDENTS AND OCCURRENCES

	BIRTHS			DEATHS		
	Total	White	Black & Other	Total	White	Black & Other
Occurring in S.C.	53,914 *	33,148	20,676	59,991 *	44,515	15,449
Residents	53,308 *	33,727	20,492	57,808 *	42,801	14,986
Non-Residents	606 *	421	184	2,183 *	1,714	463
Residents of S.C.	57,828 *	35,856	21,861	60,903 *	45,033	15,849
In State	53,308 *	32,727	20,492	57,808 *	42,801	14,986
Out-of-State	4,520 *	3,129	1,369	3,095 *	2,232	863

* Includes Unknown Races

NOTE: Events to South Carolina residents on military status outside of the United States are not reflected in these tabulations.

DEFINITIONS OF TERMS

ABORTION: Purposeful termination of pregnancy with intention other than to produce a live born infant or to remove a dead fetus.

FETAL DEATH: Death prior to the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy; the death is indicated by the fact that after such expulsion or extraction, the fetus does not breathe or show any other evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles. (Definition recommended by World Health Organization in 1950). A fetal death is required to be reported if the fetus weighs 350 grams or, if the weight is unknown, if the fetus has completed or passed the twentieth week of gestation. (Criteria effective since 2016). Vital Statistics Laws and Regulations 61-19: Vital Statistics, Section 21(a). **Heartbeats are to be distinguished from transient cardiac contractions; respirations are to be distinguished from fleeting respiratory efforts or gasps.**

INFANT DEATH: Death of a live born infant under one year of age.

LIVE BIRTH: The complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy, which, after such expulsion or extraction, breathes or shows any other evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord, or definite movement of voluntary muscles, whether or not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached. (Definition recommended by World Health Organization in 1950). **Heartbeats are to be distinguished from transient cardiac contractions; respirations are to be distinguished from fleeting respiratory efforts or gasps.**

VERY LOW BIRTH WEIGHT: Very low birth weight is a weight at birth, which is less than 1,500 grams (3 pounds, 4 ounces), regardless of the period of gestation.

LOW BIRTH WEIGHT: Low birth weight is a weight at birth, which is less than 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces), regardless of the period of gestation.

BODY MASS INDEX (BMI): Body mass index (BMI) is a measure of body fat based on height and weight that applies to adult men and women. Commonly accepted BMI ranges are

Underweight: less than 18.5;

Normal weight: greater or equal than 18.5 but less than 25;

Overweight: greater or equal than 25 but less than 30;

Obese: equal or above 30.

MARITAL STATUS ON BIRTH CERTIFICATE:

Unmarried - a birth which occurs to a woman who has never been married or who has been widowed or legally divorced from her husband in excess of 280 days.

Married - a birth which occurs to a woman who has been married or was married within 280 days from conception.

Paternity acknowledgment - gives authorization to list the name of the father on the birth certificate of a child born to an unmarried mother with written consent of the father and mother by means of an affidavit as required by South Carolina Law, Section 44-63-165. For statistical purposes, paternity acknowledgments are included in the "unmarried" category.

MATERNAL DEATH: Death of a woman whose cause of death is assigned to Complications of Pregnancy, Childbirth, and Puerperium (Tenth Revision ICD A34, O00-O95, O98-O99). If death occurred more than 42 days after termination of pregnancy, the death is not considered to be pregnancy-related and is assigned to codes O96-O97.

MULTIPLE CAUSES OF DEATH: A system of coding all of the medical entities reported on the death certificate.

NATURAL INCREASE: The increase in the population due to an excess of births over deaths for a particular period.

NEONATAL DEATH: Death of a live born infant under 28 days of age.

OCCURRENCE DATA: Data allocated to the place in South Carolina where the event occurred, regardless of the usual residence of the person involved.

PERINATAL DEATH: Death occurring during the perinatal period (i.e. to a live born infant less than 28 days of age or a fetus that has passed the twentieth week of gestation or weighs 350 grams or more).

POSTNEONATAL DEATH: Death of a live born infant 28-364 days of age.

RESIDENCE DATA: Data allocated to the place in South Carolina where the person normally resided, regardless of where the event occurred.

UNDERLYING CAUSE OF DEATH: The disease or injury that initiated the train of morbid events leading directly to death classified and coded according to the International Classification of Diseases (ICD).

INTERPRETATION OF DATA

RACE: Information on race of the mother and father is reported on birth and fetal death certificates, and the race of the decedent is reported on death certificates. Fetal deaths are reported by race of mother. As of 1990, Live Births are reported by race of mother instead of race of child. This change allows South Carolina's birth data to be consistent with the National Center for Health Statistics and other states throughout the United States. The race on reported marriages where the license was issued in South Carolina is by the race of groom and on divorces and annulments granted in South Carolina is by the race of husband. For statistical purposes, the tables in this report are based on the broad classifications of "white" and "black and other".

MULTIPLE RACES: Beginning with the 2000 Census, population information released by the U.S. Census Bureau contained a 'multiple' race category. In order to provide rates by single race category for vital events, the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) developed a 'bridging' methodology that would regroup the populations of the 'multiple' race category into standard single race categories. Beginning with 2002, these 'bridged' estimated population data were available for South Carolina. For 2000 and 2001, 'bridged' population data were not available at the time of publication. For these years, the staff of Budget and Control Board and the staff of the Division of Biostatistics and Health GIS, Public Health Statistics and Information Services, SCDHEC jointly developed methodologies that would regroup the population of the 'multiple' race category into standard single race categories.

Beginning with the new 2004 birth certificate multiple races can be checked for the race of both mother and father. Similarly, on the new 2005 death certificate multiple races can be checked for the race of the decedent. A methodology was developed that would regroup the 'multiple race' into standard single race categories. This methodology was developed by NCHS and the bridged race data are returned to the Division of Biostatistics, Public Health Statistics and Information Services for use in statistical analysis.

HISPANIC ORIGIN: Hispanic origin is reported separately from race. Thus a person with Hispanic origin can be of any race. The US Census Bureau began providing population estimates for Hispanics in 2002 which allowed birthrates to be calculated for this group.

PATERNITY ACKNOWLEDGMENT: For statistical purposes, paternity acknowledgments are included in the unmarried category.

COMPARABILITY: In order that disease classifications may be consistent with advances in medical science and changes in diagnostic practice, any system for categorizing causes of death must periodically be revised. Major revisions in the International Classification of Diseases (ICD), by which causes of death are classified, occur approximately every ten years, and each decennial revision of the ICD has produced some break in comparability of cause of death statistics. In South Carolina, the Sixth Revision of the ICD was used from 1949-1957; the Seventh Revision for 1958-1968; the Eighth 1969-1978; and the Ninth Revision went 1979-1998; and the Tenth Revision went into effect in 1999.

Prior to 1949, under the first five revisions, cause of death was selected on the basis of priority tables for multiple causes, as set forth in The Manual For Joint Causes of Death. Under the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, and Ninth Revisions of the International Lists, the cause selected for tabulation has been the "underlying" cause, defined as the "disease or injury which initiated the train of morbid events, leading directly to death." (ICDA, Eighth Revision, 1968, Vol. 1, page xxix).

The introduction of the concept of "underlying" cause in 1949, with the Sixth Revision, resulted in a basic change in classification of death, which seriously affects the interpretation of mortality trends before and after 1949. The Seventh Revision was essentially a clarification of the Sixth Revision, but the Eighth Revision introduced some major modifications in classification lists and

coding procedures. The Ninth Revision also brought some major changes in classification and coding. However, the Tenth Revision introduced some of the most dramatic changes thus far. In order to make valid comparisons of mortality by cause for events classified by different revisions of the ICD, comparability ratios were developed. Comparability ratios are computed by the National Center for Health Statistics from the results of dual coding of certificates according to the old and the new procedures. Taking the number of deaths classified to a given cause by the Tenth Revision and dividing the result by the number of deaths classified to that cause by the Ninth Revision derived the comparability ratios used with the Tenth Revision. Provisional comparability ratios for the United States as a whole, based on the Ninth and Tenth Revisions, have been developed for a limited number of causes published by the National Center for Health Statistics. Tables are included in the Appendix portion of this report.

RATE CALCULATIONS WITH SMALL NUMBERS: There are variations in all statistics that are the result of chance. This characteristic is of particular importance in classifications with small numbers of events where small variations are proportionately large in relation to the base figure. As an example, small changes in the number of deaths or births in small population areas or in the number of deaths from uncommon causes could result in large changes in these crude rates. For this reason, rates for counties with small populations or other small bases should be used cautiously. In the Perinatal Section, 3-year rates are calculated to provide a more stable base for comparison of trends over time.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATION OF DEATH: Only a person authorized by law, usually a physician or a coroner, can make the medical certification of death. Thus, the reliability and accuracy of cause-of-death statistics are, to a large extent, governed by the acumen and ability of the doctor or coroner to make the proper diagnosis and by the care with which the death certificate is completed. It is recognized that death may not result from a single morbid condition. Since 1980, South Carolina medical certifiers have been asked to provide contributing conditions adding to the underlying cause of death information. Nineteen hundred eighty-eight is the first year that multiple cause information was included in this report.

MULTIPLE CAUSE OF DEATH: Cause of death statistics have, for many years, been based only on the underlying cause of death, the single disease or injury that initiated the train of events leading to death or the circumstances of the accident that produced the fatal injury. The underlying cause is selected by a computerized algorithm called the Automated Classification of Medical Entities (ACME) from the ordering of conditions reported by physicians or coroners on the death certificate. Analysis of the underlying cause of death information allows for simplified, consistent reporting of data and provides a means of evaluating the impact of public health initiatives. When more than one cause is reported on the certificate, however, the tabulation of only one cause for mortality statistics may lead to a loss of information on any condition that is an element in the death but that is not selected as the underlying cause of death. Cause-of-death statistics are usually based on the underlying cause of death, a single disease or injury circumstance that initiated the sequence of events leading to death. In this system, each death is assigned one underlying cause of death. However, death certificates provide for the inclusion of more information than the underlying cause of death alone. The immediate cause of death, the antecedent causes giving rise to the immediate cause and other significant conditions contributing to the death may also be entered by the medical certifier. These data provide a way of estimating the impact of significant co-factors contributing to a death and offer a means of utilizing information on causes, such as hypertension, asthma, bronchitis, and diabetes, that are frequently present at death but that are usually not lethal by themselves. Each death is assigned one underlying cause and up to nineteen contributing causes of death.

CLASSIFICATION AND METHODOLOGY IN DETERMINING LEADING CAUSES OF INFANT DEATH: The leading causes of infant mortality in this report are based on the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) list of 130 selected causes of infant mortality. The same methodology used by NCHS to rank the causes of infant death has also been adopted for this report. This change represents an attempt to standardize reporting of South Carolina data to the national model. The broad categories of cause of death used in determining the leading causes of infant

death have been subdivided into more specific categories. This change in methodology makes the leading causes of infant death tables in this report not comparable to similar tables in the reports of years prior to 1998.

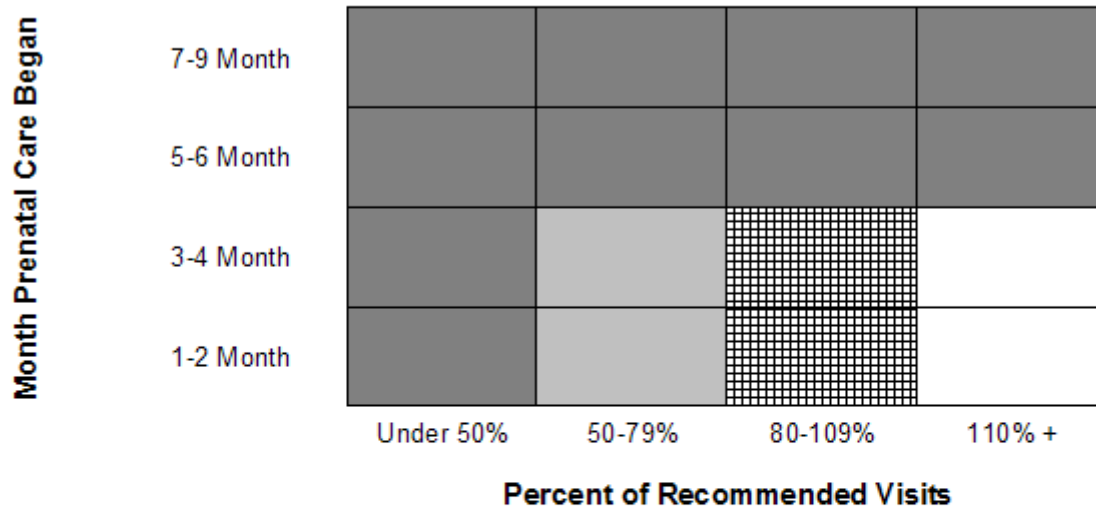
POPULATION DATA: South Carolina population estimates were available from the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) for the state as a whole and for each county by age, race, and gender. In order to provide rates for vital records data by single race category, NCHS developed a 'bridging' methodology, which regrouped the population of the Census, designated 'multiple race' categories into single race categories. The 2000 Census was the first nationwide implementation of revised standards requiring federal agencies to offer individuals the opportunity to select one or more races. NCHS population estimates by age and gender category are consistent with corresponding population data provided to the Office of Research and Statistics, South Carolina Budget and Control Board by the US Census Bureau for the state as a whole and for each county. For age groups of 15-17 and 18-19 years, it is assumed that the population within the five-year age groups of 15-19 is distributed uniformly throughout these age intervals.

KOTELCHUCK INDEX: The Kotelchuck Index, also called the Adequacy of Prenatal Care Utilization (APNCU) Index, uses two crucial elements obtained from birth certificate data - when prenatal care began (initiation) and the number of prenatal visits from when prenatal care began until delivery (received services). The Kotelchuck Index classifies the adequacy of initiation as follows: pregnancy months 1 and 2, months 3 and 4, months 5 and 6, and months 7 to 9, with the underlying assumption that the earlier prenatal care begins the better. To classify the adequacy of received services, the number of prenatal visits is compared to the expected number of visits for the period between when care began and the delivery date. The expected number of visits is based on the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists prenatal care standards for uncomplicated pregnancies and is adjusted for the gestational age when care began and for the gestational age at delivery.

A ratio of observed to expected visits is calculated and grouped into four categories-Inadequate (received less than 50% of expected visits), Intermediate (50%-79%), Adequate (80%-109%), and Adequate Plus (110% or more). The final Kotelchuck Index measure combines these two dimensions into a single summary score. The profiles define adequate prenatal care as a score of 80% or greater on the Kotelchuck Index, or the sum of the Adequate and Adequate Plus categories. (See the graph on the next page.)

The Kotelchuck Index does not measure the quality of prenatal care. It also depends on the accuracy of the patient or health care provider's recall of the timing of the first visit and the number of subsequent visits. The Kotelchuck Index uses recommendations for low-risk pregnancies, and may not measure the adequacy of care for high-risk women. The Kotelchuck Index is preferable to other indices because it includes a category for women who receive more than the recommended amount of care (adequate plus, or intensive utilization).

The Summary of Adequacy of Kotelchuck Index¹



 **Inadequate** - Prenatal care begun after 4th month, or less than 50% of recommended visits. Includes no prenatal care received.

 **Intermediate** - Prenatal care begun by 4th month, and 50% - 79% of recommended visits.

 **Adequate** - Prenatal care begun by 4th month, and 80% - 109% of recommended visits.

 **Adequate Plus** - Prenatal care begun by 4th month, and 110% or more of recommended visits.

¹ Adapted from Kotelchuck M., "An Evaluation of the Kessner Adequacy of Prenatal Care Index and a Proposed Adequacy of Prenatal Care Utilization Index", American Journal of Public Health, 1994, 84(9): 1414-20.

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL CLASSIFICATION OF DISEASES (ICD) 10TH REVISION

The ICD is a classification system developed collaboratively between the World Health Organization (WHO) and 10 international centers so that the medical terms reported by physicians, medical examiners, and coroners on death certificates can be grouped together for statistical purposes. In 1999 ICD-10 replaced the ICD-9, used with 1979-1998 data.

The purpose of the ICD and of WHO sponsorship is to promote international comparability in the collection, classification, processing and presentation of mortality statistics. New revisions of the ICD are implemented periodically so that the classification reflects advances in medical science.

ICD-10 affects the classification, processing, and presentation of mortality data. Some titles have changed. The total number of categories has doubled as a result of the addition or deletion of terms used to describe diseases or conditions. The transfer of certain diseases from one section to another reflects new discoveries and advances in knowledge on the nature or causes of particular diseases. The addition of separate categories identifies specific diseases or particular complications of diseases that are of growing interest. Additionally, the codes associated with each title have been converted from numeric to alphanumeric entities. The ICD rules for processing mortality data are generally similar but account for some changes observed in mortality statistics.

HOW ICD-10 COMPARES TO ICD-9

The intent of developing new revisions is to incorporate changes in medical knowledge. Compared with ICD-9, the ICD-10 has:

- expanded detail for many conditions (e.g., viral hepatitis has been expanded from ICD-9 code 070, a single 3-digit category, to ICD-10 codes B15-B19, five 3-digit categories)
- transferred conditions around the classification (e.g., hemorrhage has been moved from the circulatory chapter to the symptoms and signs chapter)
- used alphanumeric codes instead of numeric codes (e.g., code for diabetes mellitus was 250 in ICD-9 and is E10-E14 in ICD-10)
- modified coding rules (e.g., the "Old pneumonia, influenza, and maternal conditions" and "Error and accidents in medical care" coding rules have been eliminated)
- modified the tabulations lists (e.g., the US' ICD-10 113-cause list replaces the US' ICD-9 72-cause list)

For more information about the ICD-10:

ICD-10 Web page at: www.cdc.gov/nchs/icd/icd10.htm

National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) Web site at: www.cdc.gov/nchs/

FORMULAE

Vital statistics data provide better measures of health status when they are related to the size of the population and particularly to the age and sex components of the population. These relationships are usually expressed in terms of rates or percentages. During intercensal years, the validity of vital statistics rates depends upon the accuracy of population estimates.

For the most part, rates presented in this report are crude rates, i.e., the number of events per 1,000 total population. Crude rates are limited for purposes of making comparisons among geographic areas and for changes over time because they ignore characteristics of the population, such as age and sex. Age-adjusted rates or further analyses may be necessary in order to make valid comparisons.

Rates used in this report are calculated as follows:

Cause of Death Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of deaths from a stated cause}}{\text{Population of area}}$	X 100,000
Death Rate (crude)	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of deaths}}{\text{Population of area}}$	X 1,000
Divorce Rate (crude)	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of divorces}}{\text{Population of area}}$	X 1,000
Fetal Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of fetal deaths}}{\text{Annual number of live births} + \text{Annual number of fetal deaths}}$	X 1,000
General Fertility Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of live births}}{\text{Population of women 15-44 years of age}}$	X 1,000
Birth Rate of Unmarried Mothers	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of unmarried mothers}}{\text{Annual number of live births}}$	X 1,000
Infant Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of infant deaths}}{\text{Annual number of live births}}$	X 1,000
Live Birth Rate (Crude)	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of live births}}{\text{Population of area}}$	X 1,000
Marriage Rate (Crude)	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of marriages}}{\text{Population of area}}$	X 1,000
Maternal Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of maternal deaths}}{\text{Annual number of live births}}$	X 10,000
Neonatal Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of neonatal deaths}}{\text{Annual number live births}}$	X 1,000
Postneonatal Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of postneonatal deaths}}{\text{Annual number of live births}}$	X 1,000
Perinatal Mortality Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of fetal deaths} + \text{Annual number of neonatal deaths}}{\text{Annual number of live births} + \text{Annual number of fetal deaths}}$	X 1,000
Low Weight Birth Rate	= $\frac{\text{Annual number of live births weighing less than 2500 grams}}{\text{Annual number of live births}}$	X 1,000

Grams Weight Conversion Chart

500 grams or less	=	1 lb. 1 oz. or less
501 - 1,000 grams	=	1 lb. 2 oz. - 2 lb. 3 oz.
1,001 - 1,500 grams	=	2 lb. 4 oz. - 3 lb. 4 oz.
1,501 - 2,000 grams	=	3 lb. 5 oz. - 4 lb. 6 oz.
2,001 - 2,500 grams	=	4 lb. 7 oz. - 5 lb. 8 oz.
2,501 - 3,000 grams	=	5 lb. 9 oz. - 6 lb. 9 oz.
3,000 - 3,500 grams	=	6 lb. 10 oz. - 7 lb. 11 oz.
3,501 - 4,000 grams	=	7 lb. 12 oz. - 8 lb. 13 oz.
4,001 - 4,500 grams	=	8 lb. 14 oz. - 9 lb. 14 oz.
4,501 - 5,000 grams	=	9 lb. 15 oz. - 11 lb. 0 oz.
5,001 grams or more	=	11 lb. 1 oz. - or more

Symbols Used in Tables

Class or Item not applicable	...
Data not available	---
Quantity Zero in frequency tables	-
Quantity Zero in rate or percent tables	0
Rate or percent more than 0 but less than 0.5	0.0
Both frequency and population base zero in rate or percent table	-
Figures in parentheses are not included in tables	()

APPENDIX

LIST OF 113 SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH

Number	Cause of death
	All causes.....
1#	Salmonella infections.....A01-A02
2#	Shigellosis and amebiasis.....A03,A06
3	Certain other intestinal infections.....A04,A07-A09
#	Tuberculosis.....A16-A19
4	Respiratory tuberculosis.....A16
5	Other tuberculosis.....A17-A19
6#	Whooping cough.....A37
7#	Scarlet fever and erysipelas.....A38,A46
8#	Meningococcal infection.....A39
9#	Septicemia.....A40-A41
10#	Syphilis.....A50-A53
11#	Acute poliomyelitis.....A80
12#	Arthropod-borne viral encephalitis.....A83-A84,A85.2
13#	Measles.....B05
14#	Viral hepatitis.....B15-B19
15#	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease.....B20-B24
16#	Malaria.....B50-B54
17	Other and unspecified infectious and parasitic diseases and their sequelaeA00,A05,A20-A36,A42-A44,A48-A49,A54-A79, A81-A82,A85.0-A85.1,A85.8,A86-B04,B06-B09,B25-B49,B55-B99
#	Malignant neoplasms.....C00-C97
18	Malignant neoplasms of lip, oral cavity and pharynx.....C00-C14
19	Malignant neoplasm of esophagus.....C15
20	Malignant neoplasm of stomach.....C16
21	Malignant neoplasms of colon, rectum and anus.....C18-C21
22	Malignant neoplasms of liver and intrahepatic bile ducts.....C22
23	Malignant neoplasm of pancreas.....C25
24	Malignant neoplasm of larynx.....C32
25	Malignant neoplasms of trachea, bronchus and lung.....C33-C34
26	Malignant melanoma of skin.....C43
27	Malignant neoplasm of breast.....C50
28	Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri.....C53
29	Malignant neoplasms of corpus uteri and uterus, part unspecified.....C54-C55
30	Malignant neoplasm of ovary.....C56
31	Malignant neoplasm of prostate.....C61
32	Malignant neoplasms of kidney and renal pelvis.....C64-C65
33	Malignant neoplasm of bladder.....C67
34	Malignant neoplasms of meninges, brain and other parts of central nervous system.....C70-C72
	Malignant neoplasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue.....C81-C96
35	Hodgkin's disease.....C81
36	Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.....C82-C85
37	Leukemia.....C91-C95
38	Multiple myeloma and immunoproliferative neoplasms.....C88,C90
39	Other and unspecified malignant neoplasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue..C96
40	All other and unspecified malignant neoplasms.....C17,C23-C24,C26-C31, C37-C41,C44-C49,C51-C52,C57-C60,C62-C63,C66,C68-C69,C73-C80,C97
41#	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior.....D00-D48
42#	Anemias.....D50-D64
43#	Diabetes mellitus.....E10-E14
#	Nutritional deficiencies.....E40-E64
44	Malnutrition.....E40-E46
45	Other nutritional deficiencies.....E50-E64
46#	Meningitis.....G00,G03
47#	Parkinson's disease.....G20-G21
48#	Alzheimer's disease.....G30
#	Major cardiovascular diseases.....I00-I78
	Diseases of heart.....I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51
49	Acute rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart diseases.....I00-I09
50	Hypertensive heart disease.....I11

LIST OF 113 SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH-Con.

Number	Cause of death
51	Hypertensive heart and renal disease.....I13
	Ischemic heart diseases.....I20-I25
52	Acute myocardial infarction.....I21-I22
53	Other acute ischemic heart diseases.....I24
	Other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease.....I20,I25
54	Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, so described.....I25.0
55	All other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease.....I20,I25.1-I25.9
	Other heart diseases.....I26-I51
56	Acute and subacute endocarditis.....I33
57	Diseases of pericardium and acute myocarditis.....I30-I31,I40
58	Heart failure.....I50
59	All other forms of heart disease.....I26-I28,I34-I38,I42-I49,I51
60#	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease.....I10,I12
61#	Cerebrovascular diseases.....I60-I69
62#	Atherosclerosis.....I70
	Other diseases of circulatory system.....I71-I78
63#	Aortic aneurysm and dissection.....I71
64	Other diseases of arteries, arterioles and capillaries.....I72-I78
65	Other disorders of circulatory system.....I80-I99
#	Influenza and pneumonia.....J10-J18
66	Influenza.....J10-J11
67	Pneumonia.....J12-J18
	Other acute lower respiratory infections.....J20-J22
68#	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis.....J20-J21
69	Unspecified acute lower respiratory infection.....J22
#	Chronic lower respiratory diseases.....J40-J47
70	Bronchitis, chronic and unspecified.....J40-J42
71	Emphysema.....J43
72	Asthma.....J45-J46
73	Other chronic lower respiratory diseases.....J44,J47
74#	Pneumoconioses and chemical effects.....J60-J66,J68
75#	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids.....J69
76	Other diseases of respiratory system.....J00-J06,J30-J39,J67,J70-J98
77#	Peptic ulcer.....K25-K28
78#	Diseases of appendix.....K35-K38
79#	Hernia.....K40-K46
#	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis.....K70,K73-K74
80	Alcoholic liver disease.....K70
81	Other chronic liver disease and cirrhosis.....K73-K74
82#	Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder.....K80-K82
#	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis.....N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27
83	Acute and rapidly progressive nephritic and nephrotic syndrome.....N00-N01,N04
84	Chronic glomerulonephritis, nephritis and nephritis not specified as acute or chronic, and renal sclerosis unspecified.....N02-N03,N05-N07,N26
85	Renal failure.....N17-N19
86	Other disorders of kidney.....N25,N27
87#	Infections of kidney.....N10-N12,N13.6,N15.1
88#	Hyperplasia of prostate.....N40
89#	Inflammatory diseases of female pelvic organs.....N70-N76
#	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium.....O00-O99
90	Pregnancy with abortive outcome.....O00-O07
91	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium.....O10-O99
92#	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period.....P00-P96
93#	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities.....Q00-Q99
94	Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified..R00-R99
95	All other diseases (Residual).....D65-E07,E15-E34,E65-F99,G04-G12,G23-G25,G31-H93,K00-K22, K29-K31,K50-K66,K71-K72,K75-K76,K83-M99,N13.0-N13.5, N13.7-N13.9,N14,N15.0,N15.8-N15.9,N20-N23,N28-N39,N41-N64,N80-N98
#	Accidents.....V01-X59,Y85-Y86
	Transport accidents.....V01-V99,Y85
96	Motor vehicle accidents.....V02-V04,V09.0,V09.2,V12-V14,V19.0-V19.2,V19.4-V19.6,V20-V79, V80.3-V80.5,V81.0-V81.1,V82.0-V82.1,V83-V86,V87.0-V87.8,V88.0-V88.8,V89.0,V89.2

LIST OF 113 SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH-Con.

Number	Cause of death
97	Other land transport accidents.....V01,V05-V06,V09.1,V09.3-V09.9,V10-V11,V15-V18,V19.3, V19.8-V19.9,V80.0-V80.2,V80.6-V80.9,V81.2-V81.9,V82.2-V82.9,V87.9,V88.9,V89.1,V89.3,V89.9
98	Water, air and space, and other and unspecified transport accidents and their sequelaeV90-V99,Y85
	Nontransport accidents.....W00-X59,Y86
99	Falls.....W00-W19
100	Accidental discharge of firearms.....W32-W34
101	Accidental drowning and submersion.....W65-W74
102	Accidental exposure to smoke, fire and flames.....X00-X09
103	Accidental poisoning and exposure to noxious substances.....X40-X49
104	Other and unspecified nontransport accidents and their sequelaeW20-W31,W35-W64,W75-W99,X10-X39,X50-X59,Y86
#	Intentional self-harm (suicide).....X60-X84,Y87.0
105	Intentional self-harm (suicide) by discharge of firearms.....X72-X74
106	Intentional self-harm (suicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelaeX60-X71,X75-X84,Y87.0
#	Assault (homicide).....X85-Y09,Y87.1
107	Assault (homicide) by discharge of firearms.....X93-X95
108	Assault (homicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelae.....X85-X92,X96-Y09,Y87.1
109#	Legal intervention.....Y35,Y89.0
	Events of undetermined intent.....Y10-Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9
110	Discharge of firearms, undetermined intent.....Y22-Y24
111	Other and unspecified events of undetermined intent and their sequelaeY10-Y21,Y25-Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9
112#	Operations of war and their sequelae.....Y36,Y89.1
113#	Complications of medical and surgical care.....Y40-Y84,Y88

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL
CERTIFICATE OF LIVE BIRTH**

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BIRTH NUMBER

1. CHILD'S NAME (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)		2. TIME OF BIRTH (24HR)	3. SEX	4. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo/Day/Yr)
5. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number)		6. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF BIRTH		7. COUNTY OF BIRTH
8a. MOTHER/PARENT CURRENT LEGAL NAME (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)			8b. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo/Day/Yr)	
8c. MOTHER/PARENT NAME PRIOR TO FIRST MARRIAGE (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)			8d. BIRTHPLACE (State, Territory, or Foreign Country)	
9a. RESIDENCE OF MOTHER/PARENT - STATE	9b. COUNTY	9c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION		
9d. STREET AND NUMBER	9e. APT. NO.	9f. ZIP CODE	9g. INSIDE CITY LIMITS? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
10a. FATHER/PARENT CURRENT LEGAL NAME (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)		10b. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo/Day/Yr)	10c. BIRTHPLACE (State, Territory, or Foreign Country)	
11. CERTIFIER'S NAME TITLE: ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ HOSPITAL ADMIN. ☐ CNM/CM ☐ OTHER MIDWIFE ☐ OTHER (Specify) _____		12. DATE CERTIFIED ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY	13. DATE FILED BY REGISTRAR ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY	
INFORMATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE USE				
14. MOTHER/PARENT MAILING ADDRESS ☐ Same as residence, or: State: _____ City, Town, or Location: _____ Street & Number: _____ Apartment No.: _____ Zip Code: _____				
15. MOTHER/PARENT MARRIED? (At birth, conception, or any time between) ☐ Yes ☐ No IF NO, HAS PATERNITY ACKNOWLEDGMENT BEEN SIGNED IN THE HOSPITAL? ☐ Yes ☐ No		16. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER REQUESTED FOR CHILD? ☐ Yes ☐ No	17. FACILITY ID. (NPI)	
18. MOTHERS/PARENT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:		19. FATHERS/PARENT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:		
INFORMATION FOR MEDICAL AND HEALTH PURPOSES ONLY				
20. MOTHER'S/PARENT EDUCATION (Check the box that best describes the highest degree or level of school completed at the time of delivery) ☐ 8th grade or less ☐ 9th - 12th grade, no diploma ☐ High school graduate or GED completed ☐ Some college credit, but no degree ☐ Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS) ☐ Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS) ☐ Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA) ☐ Doctorate (e.g., PhD, EdD) or Professional degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)	21. MOTHER'S/PARENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (Check the box that best describes whether the mother is Spanish/Hispanic/Latina. Check the "No" box if mother is not Spanish/Hispanic/Latina) ☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latina ☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicana ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican ☐ Yes, Cuban ☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latina (Specify) _____	22. MOTHER'S/PARENT RACE (Check one or more races to indicate what the mother/parent considers her race to be) ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (Name of the enrolled or principal tribe) _____ ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian (Specify) _____ ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander (Specify) _____ ☐ Other (Specify) _____		
23. FATHER/PARENT EDUCATION (Check the box that best describes the highest degree or level of school completed at the time of delivery) ☐ 8th grade or less ☐ 9th - 12th grade, no diploma ☐ High school graduate or GED completed ☐ Some college credit, but no degree ☐ Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS) ☐ Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS) ☐ Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA) ☐ Doctorate (e.g., PhD, EdD) or Professional degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)	24. FATHER/PARENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (Check the box that best describes whether the father/parent is Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina. Check the "No" box if father/parent is not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina) ☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino ☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/Chicana ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican ☐ Yes, Cuban ☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina (Specify) _____	25. FATHER/PARENT RACE (Check one or more races to indicate what the father/parent considers their race to be) ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (Name of the enrolled or principal tribe) _____ ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian (Specify) _____ ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander (Specify) _____ ☐ Other (Specify) _____		
26. PLACE WHERE BIRTH OCCURRED (Check one) ☐ Hospital ☐ Freestanding birthing center ☐ Home birth: Planned to deliver at home? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Clinic/Doctor's office ☐ Other (Specify) _____		27. ATTENDANT'S NAME, TITLE, AND NPI NAME _____ NPI _____ TITLE: ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ CNM/CM ☐ OTHER MIDWIFE ☐ Other (Specify) _____		28. MOTHER TRANSFERRED FOR MATERNAL MEDICAL OR FETAL INDICATIONS FOR DELIVERY? ☐ Yes ☐ No IF YES, ENTER NAME OF FACILITY MOTHER TRANSFERRED FROM: _____

MOTHER'S MEDICAL
RECORD NO.

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29. DATE OF FIRST PRENATAL CARE VISIT ____/____/____ ☐ No Prenatal Care MM DD YYYY		30. TOTAL NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS FOR THIS PREGNANCY _____ (If none, enter "0".)									
31. MOTHER'S HEIGHT _____ (feet/inches)	32. MOTHER'S PREPREGNANCY WEIGHT _____ (pounds)	33. MOTHER'S WEIGHT AT DELIVERY _____ (pounds)	34. DID MOTHER GET WIC FOOD FOR HERSELF DURING THIS PREGNANCY? ☐ Yes ☐ No								
35. NUMBER OF PREVIOUS LIVE BIRTHS (Do not include this child) _____		36. NUMBER OF OTHER PREGNANCY OUTCOMES (Spontaneous or induced losses or ectopic pregnancies) Number _____ ☐ None									
35a. Now Living Number _____ ☐ None	35b. Now Dead Number _____ ☐ None	37. CIGARETTE SMOKING BEFORE AND DURING PREGNANCY For each time period, enter either the number of cigarettes or the number of packs of cigarettes smoked. IF NONE, ENTER "0". Average number of cigarettes or packs of cigarettes smoked per day. <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Number of cigarettes</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Number of packs</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Three months before pregnancy _____</td> <td>OR _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>First three months of pregnancy _____</td> <td>OR _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Second three months of pregnancy _____</td> <td>OR _____</td> </tr> </table>		Number of cigarettes	Number of packs	Three months before pregnancy _____	OR _____	First three months of pregnancy _____	OR _____	Second three months of pregnancy _____	OR _____
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Three months before pregnancy _____	OR _____										
First three months of pregnancy _____	OR _____										
Second three months of pregnancy _____	OR _____										
38. PRINCIPAL SOURCE OF PAYMENT FOR THIS DELIVERY: ☐ Private Insurance ☐ Medicaid ☐ Self-pay ☐ Other (Specify) _____											
35c. DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH ____/____/____ MM YYYY		36a. DATE OF LAST OTHER PREGNANCY OUTCOME ____/____/____ MM YYYY									
39. DATE LAST NORMAL MENSES BEGAN ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY		40. MOTHER'S MEDICAL RECORD NUMBER _____									
41. RISK FACTORS IN THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply) Diabetes ☐ Prepregnancy (Diagnosis prior to this pregnancy) ☐ Gestational (Diagnosis in this pregnancy) Hypertension ☐ Prepregnancy (Chronic) ☐ Gestational (PIH, preeclampsia) ☐ Eclampsia ☐ Previous preterm birth ☐ Pregnancy resulted from infertility treatment - if yes, check all that apply ☐ Fertility-enhancing drugs, Artificial insemination or Intrauterine insemination ☐ Assisted reproductive technology (e.g. in vitro fertilization (IVF), gamete intrafallopian transfer (GIFT)) ☐ Mother had a previous cesarean delivery If yes, how many _____ ☐ None of the above		42. INFECTIONS PRESENT AND/OR TREATED DURING THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply) ☐ Gonorrhea ☐ Syphilis ☐ Herpes Simplex Virus (HSV) ☐ Chlamydia ☐ Hepatitis B ☐ Hepatitis C ☐ None of the above									
43. OBSTETRIC PROCEDURES (Check all that apply) External cephalic version: ☐ Successful ☐ Failed ☐ None of the above		44. CHARACTERISTICS OF LABOR AND DELIVERY (Check all that apply) ☐ Induction of labor ☐ Augmentation of labor ☐ Steroids (glucocorticoids) for fetal lung maturation received by the mother prior to delivery ☐ Antibiotics received by the mother during labor ☐ Clinical chorioamnionitis diagnosed during labor or maternal temperature $\geq 38^{\circ}\text{C}$ (100.4°F) ☐ Epidural or spinal anesthesia during labor ☐ None of the above									
45. METHOD OF DELIVERY A. Fetal presentation at birth ☐ Cephalic ☐ Breech ☐ Other B. Final route and method of delivery (Check one) ☐ Vaginal/Spontaneous ☐ Vaginal/Forceps ☐ Vaginal/Vacuum ☐ Cesarean If Cesarean, was a trial of labor attempted? ☐ Yes ☐ No		46. MATERNAL MORBIDITY (Check all that apply) (Complications associated with labor and delivery) ☐ Maternal transfusion ☐ Third or fourth degree perineal laceration ☐ Ruptured uterus ☐ Unplanned hysterectomy ☐ Admission to intensive care unit ☐ None of the above									
NEWBORN INFORMATION											
47. NEWBORN MEDICAL RECORD NUMBER: _____		48. BIRTHWEIGHT (grams preferred, specify unit) _____ ☐ grams ☐ lb/oz									
49. OBSTETRIC ESTIMATE OF GESTATION: _____ (completed weeks)		50. APGAR SCORE: Score at 5 minutes: _____ If 5 minute score is less than 6, Score at 10 minutes: _____									
51. PLURALITY - Single, Twin, Triplet, etc. (Specify) _____		52. IF NOT SINGLE BIRTH - Born First, Second, Third, etc. (Specify) _____									
53. ABNORMAL CONDITIONS OF THE NEWBORN (Check all that apply) ☐ Assisted ventilation required immediately following delivery ☐ Assisted ventilation required for more than six hours ☐ NICU admission ☐ Newborn given surfactant replacement therapy ☐ Antibiotics received by the newborn for suspected neonatal sepsis ☐ Seizure or serious neurologic dysfunction ☐ None of the above		54. CONGENITAL ANOMALIES OF THE NEWBORN (Check all that apply) ☐ Anencephaly ☐ Meningocele/Spina bifida ☐ Cyanotic congenital heart disease ☐ Congenital diaphragmatic hernia ☐ Omphalocele ☐ Gastroschisis ☐ Limb reduction defect (excluding congenital amputation and dwarfing syndromes) ☐ Cleft Lip with or without Cleft Palate ☐ Cleft Palate alone ☐ Down Syndrome ☐ Karyotype confirmed ☐ Karyotype pending ☐ Suspected chromosomal disorder ☐ Karyotype confirmed ☐ Karyotype pending ☐ Hypospadias ☐ None of the anomalies listed above									
55. WAS INFANT TRANSFERRED WITHIN 24 HOURS OF DELIVERY? ☐ Yes ☐ No IF YES, NAME OF FACILITY INFANT TRANSFERRED TO: _____		56. IS INFANT LIVING AT TIME OF REPORT? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Infant transferred, status unknown									
57. IS INFANT BEING BREASTFED? ☐ Yes ☐ No		58. WHAT PROPHYLACTIC USED IN EYES? (Specify) _____									
59. TIME USED (24-hour clock) _____		60. TIME USED (24-hour clock) _____									

NAME OF DECEDENT
For use by physician or institution

1. DECEDENT'S LEGAL NAME (Include AKAs, if any) (First, Middle, Last)				2. SEX		3. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER			
4a. AGE-Last Birthday (Years)		4b. UNDER 1 YEAR Months Days		4c. UNDER 1 DAY Hours Minutes		5. DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY)		6. BIRTHPLACE (City and State or Foreign Country)	
7a. RESIDENCE-STATE			7b. COUNTY			7c. CITY OR TOWN			
7d. STREET AND NUMBER				7e. APT. NO.		7f. ZIP CODE		7g. INSIDE CITY LIMITS? ☐ Yes ☐ No	
8. EVER IN US ARMED FORCES? ☐ Yes ☐ No		9. MARITAL STATUS AT TIME OF DEATH ☐ Married ☐ Married, but separated ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ Never Married ☐ Unknown		10. SURVIVING SPOUSE'S NAME (If wife, give name prior to first marriage)					
11. FATHER'S NAME (First, Middle, Last)				12. MOTHER'S NAME PRIOR TO FIRST MARRIAGE (First, Middle, Last)					
13a. INFORMANT'S NAME			13b. RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT		13c. MAILING ADDRESS (Street and Number, City, State, Zip Code)				
14. PLACE OF DEATH (Check only one: see instructions)									
IF DEATH OCCURRED IN A HOSPITAL: ☐ Inpatient ☐ Emergency Room/Outpatient ☐ Dead on Arrival				IF DEATH OCCURRED SOMEWHERE OTHER THAN A HOSPITAL: ☐ Hospice facility ☐ Nursing home/Long term care facility ☐ Decedent's home ☐ Other (Specify) _____					
15. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number)				16. CITY OR TOWN, STATE AND ZIP CODE				17. COUNTY OF DEATH	
18. METHOD OF DISPOSITION ☐ Burial ☐ Cremation ☐ Donation ☐ Entombment ☐ Removal from state ☐ Other (Specify) _____				19. PLACE OF DISPOSITION (Name of cemetery, crematory, other place)					
20. LOCATION-CITY, TOWN, AND STATE				21. NAME AND ADDRESS OF FUNERAL FACILITY					
22. SIGNATURE OF FUNERAL SERVICE LICENSEE OR OTHER AGENT				23. LICENSE NUMBER (Of Licensee)					
23a. EMBALMER (Signature)				23b. EMBALMER LICENSE NUMBER		23c. LICENSE NUMBER (Of Facility)			
ITEMS 24-28 MUST BE COMPLETED BY PERSON WHO PRONOUNCES OR CERTIFIES DEATH				24. DATE PRONOUNCED DEAD (MM/DD/YYYY)		25. TIME PRONOUNCED DEAD			
26. SIGNATURE OF PERSON PRONOUNCING DEATH (Only when applicable)				27. LICENSE NUMBER		28. DATE SIGNED (MM/DD/YYYY)			
29. ACTUAL OR PRESUMED DATE OF DEATH (Spell Month)				30. ACTUAL OR PRESUMED TIME OF DEATH		31. WAS CORONER OR MEDICAL EXAMINER CONTACTED? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
CAUSE OF DEATH (See instructions and examples)									
32. PART I. Enter the chain of events—diseases, injuries, or complications—that directly caused the death. DO NOT enter terminal events such as cardiac arrest, respiratory arrest, or ventricular fibrillation without showing the etiology. DO NOT ABBREVIATE. Enter only one cause on a line. Add additional lines if necessary. IMMEDIATE CAUSE (Final disease or condition resulting in death) → a. _____ Due to (or as a consequence of): _____ Sequentially list conditions, if any, leading to the cause listed on line a. Enter the UNDERLYING CAUSE (disease or injury that initiated the events resulting in death) LAST c. _____ Due to (or as a consequence of): _____ d. _____ Due to (or as a consequence of): _____ Approximate interval: Onset to death _____									
PART II. Enter other significant conditions contributing to death but not resulting in the underlying cause given in PART I.						33. WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED? ☐ Yes ☐ No			
35. DID TOBACCO USE CONTRIBUTE TO DEATH? ☐ Yes ☐ Probably ☐ No ☐ Unknown						36. IF FEMALE: ☐ Not pregnant within past year ☐ Pregnant at time of death ☐ Not pregnant, but pregnant within 42 days of death ☐ Not pregnant, but pregnant 43 days to one year before death ☐ Unknown if pregnant within the past year			
37. MANNER OF DEATH ☐ Natural ☐ Homicide ☐ Accident ☐ Pending investigation ☐ Suicide ☐ Could not be determined			34. WERE AUTOPSY FINDINGS AVAILABLE TO COMPLETE THE CAUSE OF DEATH? ☐ Yes ☐ No						
38. DATE OF INJURY (Spell Month)		39. TIME OF INJURY		40. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., Decedent's home, construction site, restaurant, wooded area)			41. INJURY AT WORK? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
42. LOCATION OF INJURY: State: _____ City or Town: _____ County: _____				Street & Number: _____ Apartment Number: _____ Zip Code: _____					
43. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED:				44. IF TRANSPORTATION INJURY, SPECIFY: ☐ Driver/Operator ☐ Pedestrian ☐ Passenger ☐ Other (Specify) _____					
45. CERTIFIER (Check only one) ☐ Certifying physician-To the best of my knowledge, death occurred due to the cause(s) and manner stated. ☐ Pronouncing and Certifying physician-To the best of my knowledge, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) and manner stated. ☐ Coroner/Medical Examiner-On the basis of examination and /or investigation, in my opinion, death occurred at the time, date, and place, and due to the cause(s) and manner stated. Signature of certifier: _____									
46. NAME, ADDRESS, AND ZIP CODE OF PERSON COMPLETING CAUSE OF DEATH (Item 32)						46a. NAME OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN IF OTHER THAN CERTIFIER			
47. TITLE OF CERTIFIER		48. LICENSE NUMBER		49. DATE CERTIFIED (MM/DD/YYYY)		50. FOR REGISTRAR ONLY-DATE FILED (MM/DD/YYYY)			
51. DECEDENT'S EDUCATION-Check the box that best describes the highest degree or level of school completed at the time of death. ☐ 8th grade or less ☐ 9th-12th grade; no diploma ☐ High school graduate or GED completed ☐ Some college credit, but no degree ☐ Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS) ☐ Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS) ☐ Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEd, MEd, MSW, MBA) ☐ Doctorate (e.g., PhD, EdD) or Professional degree (e.g., MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)			52. DECEDENT OF HISPANIC ORIGIN?-Check the box that best describes whether the decedent is Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina. Check the "No" box if decedent is not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina. ☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina ☐ Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano/Chicana ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican ☐ Yes, Cuban ☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino/Latina (Specify) _____			53. DECEDENT'S RACE-(Check one or more races to indicate what the decedent considered himself or herself to be) ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (Name of the enrolled or principal tribe) _____ ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian (Specify) _____ ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander (Specify) _____ ☐ Other (Specify) _____			
54. DECEDENT'S USUAL OCCUPATION (Indicate type of work done during most of working life. DO NOT USE THE TERM "RETIRED.")									
55. KIND OF BUSINESS/INDUSTRY									

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1. Patient's ID Number (Do Not Enter Patient's Name)		2. Age (Last Birthday)		3. Date of Pregnancy Termination (Month, Day, Year)	
4. Facility Name		5. City/Town or Location of Pregnancy Termination		6. County of Pregnancy Termination	
7. Residence - State or Foreign Country			8. Residence - County		
9. Of Hispanic Origin? ☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latina ☐ Yes, Mexican/Mexican American/Chicana ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican ☐ Yes, Cuban ☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latina Specify _____		10. Race ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (Name of the enrolled or principal tribe) _____ ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian (Specify) _____ ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander (Specify) _____ ☐ Other (Specify) _____		11. Education (Specify the highest degree or level completed) ☐ 8th grade or less ☐ 9th -12th grade no diploma ☐ High school graduate or GED completed ☐ Some college credit, but no degree ☐ Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS) ☐ Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS) ☐ Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA) ☐ Doctorate or professional degree (e.g., PhD, MD)	
12. Patient Married? ☐ Yes ☐ No		13. Date Last Normal Menses Began (Month, Day, Year)			
14. Previous Pregnancies					
LIVE BIRTHS			OTHER TERMINATIONS		
14a. Now Living NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE		14b. Now Dead NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE		14c. Spontaneous NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE	
				14d. Induced (DO NOT INCLUDE THIS TERMINATION) NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE	
(Pursuant to Chapter 41, Title 44, of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended)					
15. Was a Determination of Probable Postfertilization Age Made? ☐ YES - Go to question 17 ☐ NO - Go to question 16			18. If Probable Postfertilization Age is 20 or more weeks: a. Was the reason for the abortion? ☐ Medical Emergency, go to Question 18b. ☐ Fetal Anomaly, go to Question 18c. b. If Medical Emergency, provide the basis of the determination that the pregnant woman had a condition which so complicated her medical condition as to necessitate the abortion of her pregnancy to avert her death or to avert the serious risk of substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function, not including psychological or emotional conditions: Specify: _____ Go to Question 18c. c. Was the method of abortion used one that, in reasonable medical judgment, provided the best opportunity for the unborn child to survive? ☐ Yes. Go to question 20 ☐ No. Go to question 19		
16. Enter the basis of the determination that a medical emergency existed: Specify: _____ Go to question 20			19. Provide the basis of the determination that termination of the pregnancy in that manner (best opportunity) would pose a greater risk either of the death of the pregnant woman or of the substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function, not including psychological or emotional conditions, of the woman than would other available methods: Specify: _____		
17. Probable Postfertilization Age 17a. Enter weeks of Probable Postfertilization Age: _____ 17b. Was Ultrasound used to determine Probable Postfertilization Age? ☐ YES ☐ NO If less than 20 weeks Probable Postfertilization Age, go to question 20 If 20 weeks or MORE Probable Postfertilization Age, go to question 18					
20. TERMINATION PROCEDURES					
20a. PRIMARY PROCEDURE USED TO TERMINATE THE PREGNANCY (CHECK ONLY ONE)			20b. ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES USED IF ANY (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)		
Check Only One Primary Procedure			Check all Additional Procedures Used		
☐ _____ Dilation and Curettage (D&C) _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Manual Vacuum Aspiration _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Electrical Vacuum Aspiration _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Dilation and Evacuation (D&E) _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Combined Induction Abortion and Dilation and Evacuation _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Medication Abortion (such as, but not limited to, mifepristone/misoprostol or methotrexate/misoprostol) _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Induction Abortion with Prostaglandins _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Induction Abortion with Intra-Amniotic Instillation (such as, but not limited to, saline or urea) _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Induction Abortion - Other _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Hysterotomy/Hysterectomy _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Intact Dilation and Extraction (partial birth) _____			☐ _____		
☐ _____ Other - Specify _____			☐ _____		
21. Was an intra-fetal injection used in an attempt to induce fetal demise (such as, but not limited to, intra-fetal potassium chloride or digoxin)? ☐ YES ☐ NO					
ITEM 22 MUST BE COMPLETED FOR EACH PATIENT, REGARDLESS OF AGE.		22a. WAS INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT OBTAINED FROM THE PATIENT? ☐ Yes ☐ No		22c. IF PATIENT HAS BEEN COURT ADJUDGED MENTALLY INCOMPETENT, INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT OBTAINED FROM: (check one) 1 ☐ Spouse 2 ☐ Parent 3 ☐ Legal Guardian 4 ☐ None of the above	
		22b. IF NO, INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT WAS NOT OBTAINED DUE TO: (check one) 1 ☐ Medical Emergency 2 ☐ Incest 3 ☐ Not Capable/Mentally Incompetent 4 ☐ None of the above			
ITEM 23 MUST BE COMPLETED FOR EACH PATIENT, UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE.		23a. IF PATIENT IS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE, ADDITIONAL INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT OBTAINED FROM: (check one) 1 ☐ Parent 2 ☐ Legal Guardian 3 ☐ Grandparent 4 ☐ Person in Loco Parentis 5 ☐ None of the above		23b. IF PATIENT IS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE AND ADDITIONAL INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT WAS NOT OBTAINED, CHECK REASON BELOW: (check one) 1 ☐ Emancipated Minor 2 ☐ Court Order 3 ☐ Medical Emergency 4 ☐ Incest 5 ☐ None of the above	
24. Date Report Completed					

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL
REPORT OF FETAL DEATH**

STATE FILE NUMBER

1. NAME (optional at the discretion of the parents)		2. TIME OF DELIVERY (24hr)		3. SEX (M/F/Unk)		4. DATE OF DELIVERY (Mo/Day/Yr)			
5a. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION OF DELIVERY		7. PLACE WHERE DELIVERY OCCURRED (Check one) ☐ Hospital ☐ Freestanding birthing center ☐ Home Delivery: Planned to deliver at home? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Clinic/Doctor's office ☐ Other (Specify) _____		8. FACILITY NAME (If not institution, give street and number)					
5b. ZIP CODE OF DELIVERY				9. FACILITY ID. (NPI)					
6. COUNTY OF DELIVERY									
MOTHER	10a. MOTHER'S CURRENT LEGAL NAME (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)			10b. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo/Day/Yr)					
	10c. MOTHER'S NAME PRIOR TO FIRST MARRIAGE (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)			10d. BIRTHPLACE (State, Territory, or Foreign Country)					
	11a. RESIDENCE OF MOTHER - STATE		11b. COUNTY		11c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION				
	11d. STREET AND NUMBER		11e. APT/LOT NO.		11f. ZIP CODE		11g. INSIDE CITY LIMITS? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
FATHER		12a. FATHER'S CURRENT LEGAL NAME (First, Middle, Last, Suffix)		12b. DATE OF BIRTH (Mo/Day/Yr)		12c. BIRTHPLACE (State, Territory, or Foreign Country)			
DISPOSITION									
13. METHOD OF DISPOSITION: ☐ Burial ☐ Cremation ☐ Hospital Disposition ☐ Donation ☐ Removal from State ☐ Other (Specify) _____									
ATTENDANT AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION		14. ATTENDANT'S NAME, TITLE, AND NPI Name: _____ NPI: _____ Title: ☐ MD ☐ DO ☐ CNM/CM ☐ OTHER MIDWIFE OTHER (Specify) _____		15. NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON COMPLETING REPORT Name: _____ Title: _____		16. DATE REPORT COMPLETED ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY			
						17. DATE FILED ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY			
		18. CAUSE/CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO FETAL DEATH							
CAUSE OF FETAL DEATH		18a. INITIATING CAUSE/CONDITION (AMONG THE CHOICES BELOW, PLEASE SELECT THE <u>ONE</u> WHICH MOST LIKELY BEGAN THE SEQUENCE OF EVENTS RESULTING IN THE DEATH OF THE FETUS) ☐ Pending Maternal Conditions/Diseases (Specify) _____ Complications of Placenta, Cord, or Membranes ☐ Rupture of membranes prior to onset of labor ☐ Placental insufficiency ☐ Prolapsed cord ☐ Chorioamnionitis ☐ Other (Specify) _____ Other Obstetrical or Pregnancy Complications (Specify) _____ Fetal Anomaly (Specify) _____ Fetal Injury (Specify) _____ Fetal Infection (Specify) _____ Other Fetal Conditions/Disorders (Specify) _____ ☐ Unknown			18b. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CAUSES OR CONDITIONS (SELECT OR SPECIFY ALL OTHER CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH IN ITEM 18b) ☐ Pending Maternal Conditions/Diseases (Specify) _____ Complications of Placenta, Cord, or Membranes ☐ Rupture of membranes prior to onset of labor ☐ Placental insufficiency ☐ Prolapsed cord ☐ Chorioamnionitis ☐ Other (Specify) _____ Other Obstetrical or Pregnancy Complications (Specify) _____ Fetal Anomaly (Specify) _____ Fetal Injury (Specify) _____ Fetal Infection (Specify) _____ Other Fetal Conditions/Disorders (Specify) _____ ☐ Unknown				
		18c. WEIGHT OF FETUS (grams preferred, specify unit) _____ ☐ grams ☐ lb/oz			18e. ESTIMATED TIME OF FETAL DEATH ☐ Dead at time of first assessment, no labor ongoing ☐ Dead at time of first assessment, labor ongoing ☐ Died during labor, after first assessment ☐ Unknown time of fetal death			18f. WAS AN AUTOPSY PERFORMED? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Planned	
		18d. OBSTETRIC ESTIMATE OF GESTATION AT DELIVERY _____ (completed weeks)			18g. WAS A HISTOLOGICAL PLACENTAL EXAMINATION PERFORMED? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Planned				
						18h. WERE AUTOPSY OR HISTOLOGICAL PLACENTAL EXAMINATION RESULTS USED IN DETERMINING THE CAUSE OF FETAL DEATH? ☐ Yes ☐ No			

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COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE

MOTHER	19. MOTHER'S EDUCATION (Check the box that best describes the highest degree or level of school completed at the time of delivery)			20. MOTHER OF HISPANIC ORIGIN? (Check the box that best describes whether the mother is Spanish/Hispanic/Latina. Check the "No" box if mother is not Spanish/Hispanic/Latina)			21. MOTHER'S RACE (Check one or more races to indicate what the mother considers herself to be)																					
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	22. MOTHER MARRIED? (At birth, conception, or any time between) ☐ Yes ☐ No		23. DATE OF FIRST PRENATAL CARE VISIT ____/____/____ ☐ No Prenatal Care MM DD YYYY		23a. DATE OF LAST PRENATAL CARE VISIT ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY		24. TOTAL NUMBER OF PRENATAL VISITS FOR THIS PREGNANCY _____ (If none, enter "0".)																					
	25. MOTHER'S HEIGHT _____ (feet/inches)		26. MOTHER'S PREPREGNANCY WEIGHT _____ (pounds)		27. MOTHER'S WEIGHT AT DELIVERY _____ (pounds)		28. DID MOTHER GET WIC FOOD FOR HERSELF DURING THIS PREGNANCY? ☐ Yes ☐ No																					
	29. NUMBER OF PREVIOUS LIVE BIRTHS			30. NUMBER OF OTHER PREGNANCY OUTCOMES (Spontaneous or induced losses or ectopic pregnancies)			31. CIGARETTE SMOKING BEFORE AND DURING PREGNANCY For each time period, enter either the number of cigarettes or the number of packs of cigarettes smoked. IF NONE, ENTER "0". Average number of cigarettes or packs of cigarettes smoked per day. <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <th></th> <th style="text-align: center;"># cigarettes</th> <th style="text-align: center;">OR</th> <th style="text-align: center;"># of packs</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Three months before pregnancy</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">OR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>First three months of pregnancy</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">OR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Second three months of pregnancy</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">OR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Third trimester of pregnancy</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> <td style="text-align: center;">OR</td> <td style="text-align: center;">_____</td> </tr> </table>				# cigarettes	OR	# of packs	Three months before pregnancy	_____	OR	_____	First three months of pregnancy	_____	OR	_____	Second three months of pregnancy	_____	OR	_____	Third trimester of pregnancy	_____	OR
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Third trimester of pregnancy	_____	OR	_____																									
29a. Now Living Number _____ ☐ None		29b. Now Dead Number _____ ☐ None		30a. Other Outcomes Number (Do not include this fetus) _____ ☐ None																								
29c. DATE OF LAST LIVE BIRTH ____/____/____ MM YYYY			30b. DATE OF LAST OTHER PREGNANCY OUTCOME ____/____/____ MM YYYY		32. DATE LAST NORMAL MENSES BEGAN ____/____/____ MM DD YYYY		33. PLURALITY - Single, Twin, Triplet, etc. (Specify) _____																					
34. IF NOT SINGLE BIRTH - Born First, Second, Third, etc. (Specify) _____																												
35. MOTHER TRANSFERRED FOR MATERNAL MEDICAL OR FETAL INDICATIONS FOR DELIVERY? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, enter name or facility mother transferred from: _____																												
MEDICAL AND HEALTH INFORMATION	36. RISK FACTORS IN THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply) Diabetes ☐ Prepregnancy (Diagnosis prior to this pregnancy) ☐ Gestational (Diagnosis in this pregnancy) Hypertension ☐ Prepregnancy (Chronic) ☐ Gestational (PIH, preeclampsia) ☐ Eclampsia ☐ Previous preterm birth ☐ Other previous poor pregnancy outcome (Includes perinatal death, small-for-gestational age/intrauterine growth restricted birth) ☐ Pregnancy resulted from infertility treatment - If yes, check all that apply. ☐ Fertility-enhancing drugs; Artificial insemination or Intrauterine insemination ☐ Assisted reproductive technology (e.g., in vitro fertilization (IVF), gamete intrafallopian transfer (GIFT)) ☐ Mother had a previous cesarean delivery If yes, how many _____ ☐ None of the above						37. INFECTIONS PRESENT AND/OR TREATED DURING THIS PREGNANCY (Check all that apply) ☐ Gonorrhea ☐ Syphilis ☐ Chlamydia ☐ Listeria ☐ Group B Streptococcus ☐ Cytomegalovirus ☐ Parvovirus ☐ Toxoplasmosis ☐ None of the above																					
	38. METHOD OF DELIVERY A. Was delivery with forceps attempted but unsuccessful? ☐ Yes ☐ No B. Was delivery with vacuum extraction attempted but unsuccessful? ☐ Yes ☐ No C. Fetal presentation at delivery ☐ Cephalic ☐ Breech ☐ Other D. Final route and method of delivery (Check one) ☐ Vaginal/Spontaneous ☐ Vaginal/Forceps ☐ Vaginal/Vacuum ☐ Cesarean If Cesarean, was a trial of labor attempted? ☐ Yes ☐ No E. Hysterotomy/Hysterectomy ☐ Yes ☐ No			39. MATERNAL MORBIDITY (Check all that apply) (Complications associated with labor and delivery) ☐ Maternal transfusion ☐ Third or fourth degree perineal laceration ☐ Ruptured uterus ☐ Unplanned hysterectomy ☐ Admission to intensive care unit ☐ Unplanned operating room procedure following delivery ☐ None of the above			40. CONGENITAL ANOMALIES OF THE FETUS (Check all that apply) ☐ Anencephaly ☐ Meningomyelocele/Spina bifida ☐ Cyanotic congenital heart disease ☐ Congenital diaphragmatic hernia ☐ Omphalocele ☐ Gastroschisis ☐ Limb reduction defect (excluding congenital amputation and dwarfing syndromes) ☐ Cleft Lip with or without Cleft Palate ☐ Cleft Palate alone ☐ Down Syndrome ☐ Karyotype confirmed ☐ Karyotype pending ☐ Suspected chromosomal disorder ☐ Karyotype confirmed ☐ Karyotype pending ☐ Hypospadias ☐ None of the anomalies listed above																					

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		REPORT OF INDUCED TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY		STATE FILE NUMBER	
1. Patient's ID Number (Do Not Enter Patient's Name)		2. Age (Last Birthday)		3. Date of Pregnancy Termination (Month, Day, Year)	
4. Facility Name		5. City/Town or Location of Pregnancy Termination		6. County of Pregnancy Termination	
7. Residence - State or Foreign Country			8. Residence - County		
9. Of Hispanic Origin? ☐ No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latina ☐ Yes, Mexican/Mexican American/Chicana ☐ Yes, Puerto Rican ☐ Yes, Cuban ☐ Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latina Specify _____		10. Race ☐ White ☐ Black or African American ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native (Name of the enrolled or principal tribe) _____ ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Chinese ☐ Filipino ☐ Japanese ☐ Korean ☐ Vietnamese ☐ Other Asian (Specify) _____ ☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Guamanian or Chamorro ☐ Samoan ☐ Other Pacific Islander (Specify) _____ ☐ Other (Specify) _____		11. Education (Specify the highest degree or level completed) ☐ 8th grade or less ☐ 9th -12th grade no diploma ☐ High school graduate or GED completed ☐ Some college credit, but no degree ☐ Associate degree (e.g., AA, AS) ☐ Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, AB, BS) ☐ Master's degree (e.g., MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA) ☐ Doctorate or professional degree (e.g., PhD, MD)	
12. Patient Married? ☐ Yes ☐ No			13. Date Last Normal Menses Began (Month, Day, Year)		
14. Previous Pregnancies					
LIVE BIRTHS			OTHER TERMINATIONS		
14a. Now Living NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE		14b. Now Dead NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE		14c. Spontaneous NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE	
				14d. Induced (DO NOT INCLUDE THIS TERMINATION) NUMBER _____ ☐ NONE	
(Pursuant to Chapter 41, Title 44, of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, as amended)					
15. Fetal Heartbeat and Probable Gestational Age a. Was a fetal heartbeat detected? ☐ Yes ☐ No – See instructions. b. Enter weeks of probable gestational age: _____ If 12 weeks or less, go to question 15c. If more than 12 weeks, go to question 16. c. Was the reason for the abortion due to rape or incest? ☐ Yes – Go to question 20. ☐ No – Go to question 16. (Terminations performed due to rape or incest must be reported within 24 hours to the county sheriff where the termination is performed.)			18. Medical Emergency a. Did a medical emergency exist that required the termination of the pregnancy? ☐ Yes – Go to Question 18b. ☐ No – Go to question 19. b. Specify the type of medical emergency that existed: _____ c. Specify the rationale that made the termination necessary to avert the death or serious risk of substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function, not including psychological or emotional conditions: _____ Go to question 19.		
16. Did a fatal fetal anomaly exist that required the termination of the pregnancy? ☐ Yes – Go to Question 17. ☐ No – Go to question 18.			19. Best Opportunity for Survival a. Was the method of abortion used one that, in reasonable medical judgment, provided the best opportunity for the unborn child to survive? ☐ Yes – Go to question 20. ☐ No – Go to question 19b. b. Provide the basis of the determination that termination of the pregnancy in that manner (best opportunity) would pose a greater risk either of the death of the pregnant woman or of the substantial and irreversible physical impairment of a major bodily function, not including psychological or emotional conditions, of the woman than would other available methods: Specify: _____ Go to question 20.		
17. Specify the medical rationale for the determination of a fatal fetal anomaly: _____ _____ _____					
20. TERMINATION PROCEDURES					
20a. PRIMARY PROCEDURE USED TO TERMINATE THE PREGNANCY (CHECK ONLY ONE) Check Only One Primary Procedure			20b. ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES USED IF ANY (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) Check all Additional Procedures Used		
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21. Was an intra-fetal injection used in an attempt to induce fetal demise (such as, but not limited to, intra-fetal potassium chloride or digoxin)? ☐ YES ☐ NO					
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	22b. IF NO, INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT WAS NOT OBTAINED DUE TO: (check one) 1 ☐ Medical Emergency 3 ☐ Not Capable/Mentally Incompetent 2 ☐ Incest 4 ☐ None of the above		1 ☐ Spouse 3 ☐ Legal Guardian 2 ☐ Parent 4 ☐ None of the above		
ITEM 23 MUST BE COMPLETED FOR EACH PATIENT, UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE.	23a. IF PATIENT IS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE, ADDITIONAL INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT OBTAINED FROM: (check one)		23b. IF PATIENT IS UNDER 17 YEARS OF AGE AND ADDITIONAL INFORMED WRITTEN CONSENT WAS NOT OBTAINED, CHECK REASON BELOW: (check one)		
	1 ☐ Parent 4 ☐ Person in Loco Parentis 2 ☐ Legal Guardian 5 ☐ None of the above 3 ☐ Grandparent		1 ☐ Emancipated Minor 4 ☐ Incest 2 ☐ Court Order 5 ☐ None of the above 3 ☐ Medical Emergency		
24. Date Report Completed					