

Data Brief 89. Birth Rates for U.S. Teenagers Reach Historic Lows for All Age and Ethnic Groups

Data table for Figures 5 and 6. Number of births and birth rates for teenagers aged 15–19 by state, 2007 and 2010, and percent change in rates, 2007–2010

[By place of residence. Data for 2010 are based on a continuous file of records received from the states. Figures for 2010 are based on weighted data rounded to the nearest individual, so categories may not add to totals]

Area	Number of births		Birth rate per 1,000 aged 15–19 years		Percent change, 2007–2010
	2010	2007	2010	2007	
United States	367,752	444,899	34.3	41.5	-17
Alabama	7,344	8,696	43.6	52.2	-16
Alaska	956	1,117	38.3	43.0	-11
Arizona	9,518	12,868	42.4	59.5	-29
Arkansas	5,229	5,926	52.5	60.1	-13
California	43,116	53,417	31.5	39.6	-20
Colorado	5,474	6,737	33.4	41.5	-20
Connecticut	2,305	2,837	18.9	23.0	-18
Delaware	974	1,244	30.5	39.2	-22
District of Columbia	951	1,053	45.4	50.4	-10
Florida	19,130	25,693	32.0	42.9	-25
Georgia	14,376	18,085	41.4	53.3	-22
Hawaii	1,347	1,610	32.5	38.9	-16
Idaho	1,862	2,257	33.0	40.0	-18
Illinois	14,796	18,089	33.0	40.1	-18
Indiana	8,665	9,948	37.3	42.9	-13
Iowa	3,017	3,529	28.6	32.8	-13
Kansas	3,863	4,271	39.2	42.4	-8
Kentucky	6,689	7,547	46.2	52.4	-12
Louisiana	7,686	8,974	47.7	55.1	-13
Maine	917	1,172	21.4	26.0	-18
Maryland	5,395	6,892	27.2	34.3	-21
Massachusetts	3,906	4,949	17.1	21.4	-20
Michigan	10,833	12,497	30.1	33.5	-10
Minnesota	4,035	5,193	22.5	27.9	-19
Mississippi	6,077	7,811	55.0	69.9	-21
Missouri	7,668	9,244	37.1	44.0	-16
Montana	1,128	1,200	35.0	35.3	†
Nebraska	1,958	2,280	31.1	35.4	-12
Nevada	3,413	4,351	38.6	51.6	-25
New Hampshire	721	924	15.7	19.3	-19
New Jersey	5,848	7,255	20.3	24.9	-18
New Mexico	3,867	4,720	52.9	63.9	-17
New York	15,087	17,621	22.6	26.1	-13
North Carolina	12,301	15,079	38.3	47.9	-20
North Dakota	659	696	28.8	29.3	†
Ohio	13,753	16,362	34.2	39.9	-14
Oklahoma	6,496	7,543	50.4	58.5	-14
Oregon	3,494	4,343	28.1	34.6	-19
Pennsylvania	11,933	13,841	27.0	30.7	-12
Rhode Island	888	1,192	22.3	29.3	-24

See footnotes at end of table.

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Area	Number of births		Birth rate per 1,000 aged 15–19 years		Percent change, 2007–2010
	2010	2007	2010	2007	
South Carolina	6,839	8,329	42.5	52.0	-18
South Dakota	975	1,191	34.9	41.3	-15
Tennessee	9,254	11,260	43.2	53.3	-19
Texas	47,751	54,281	52.2	61.7	-15
Utah	3,046	3,775	27.9	35.5	-21
Vermont	401	492	17.9	21.1	-15
Virginia	7,373	9,200	27.4	34.2	-20
Washington	6,001	7,430	26.7	33.4	-20
West Virginia	2,611	2,714	44.8	46.0	†
Wisconsin	5,102	6,243	26.2	31.2	-16
Wyoming	723	921	39.0	50.1	-22

† Difference not statistically significant.
 NOTE: Data for 2010 are preliminary.
 SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, Division of Vital Statistics.