# FACTS AT A GLANCE

A fact sheet reporting national, state-level, and city-level trends in teen childbearing

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**TEEN BIRTH RATE.** The U.S. teen birth rate increased in 2006 for the first time in 15 years, according to preliminary data from the National Center for Health Statistics. The 2006 rate of 41.9 births per 1,000 females aged 15-19 was 3% higher than in 2005 (40.5). Among teens aged 15-17, the birth rate increased 3% between 2005 (21.4) and 2006 (22.0). Moreover, among teens aged 18-19, the birth rate increased by 4% between those years. Despite the recent increase, the overall 2006 teen birth rate was 32% lower than the recent peak rate of 61.8 in 1991 and 12% lower than the 2000 rate of 47.7. Still, the U.S. teen birth rate remains higher than that of any other developed nation.

	Tee	en Birth R	ate (Births	s per 1,00	)0 Female	s Aged 15	5-19, 15-1	17, and 18	B-19)	
Ages:	1960	1970	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005	2006
15-19	89.1	68.3	53.0	51.0	59.9	56.0	47.7	41.1	40.5	41.9
15-17	43.9	38.8	32.5	31.0	37.5	35.5	26.9	22.1	21.4	22.0
18-19	166.7	114.7	82.1	79.6	88.6	87.7	78.1	70.0	69.9	73.0

**NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO TEENS.** In 2006, there were 441,832 births to women under age 20, representing an increase of more than 20,000 births compared with 2005, a 5% increase. The increase between 2005 and 2006 is the largest single-year increase in the number of teen births since 1991. Still, between 2000 and 2006, the annual number of births to teen females has declined by 7%.

			Numbe	r of Births	to Femal	es Under	Age 20			
Ages:	1960	1970	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005	2006
Under 15	6,780	11,752	10,169	10,220	11,657	12,242	8,519	6,781	6,722	6,405
15-17	182,408	223,590	198,222	167,789	183,327	192,508	157,209	133,980	133,191	138,920
18-19	404,558	421,118	353,939	299,696	338,499	307,365	311,781	281,282	281,402	296,507
Under 20	593,746	656,460	562,330	477,705	533,591	512,115	477,509	422,043	421,315	441,832

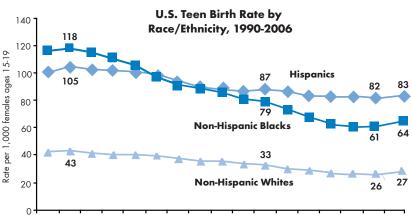
**BIRTH RATES BY MARITAL STATUS.** In 2006, 84% of teen births occurred outside of marriage, according to preliminary data from the National Center for Health Statistics. In comparison, 58% of births to women aged 20-24 were nonmarital. Overall, 39% of births to women of all ages that year were nonmarital. Among teens, the nonmarital birth rate remained stable between 2004 and 2005 (34.7 vs. 34.5 births per 1,000 females aged 15-19), though it has declined by 12% since 2000 (39.0) and by 25% since its peak in 1994 (45.8). The nonmarital birth rate for women aged 15-44 increased by 8% between 2000 and 2005. Preliminary data from the National Center for Health Statistics indicate a 7% increase in the nonmarital birth rate for women aged 15-44 between 2005 (47.5) and 2006 (50.6).

	Marital	and Noni	marital Bi	irth Rates	(Births pe	1,000	Females)		
Marital Status and Age	: 1960	1970	1980	1985	1990	1995	2000	2004	2005
Marital, ages 15-19	530.6	443.7	349.5	357.4	420.2	357.4	287.8	297.9	285.0
Nonmarital, ages 15-19	15.3	22.4	27.6	31.4	42.5	43.8	39.0	34.7	34.5
Nonmarital, ages 20-24	39.7	38.4	40.9	46.5	65.1	68.7	72.2	72.5	74.9
Nonmarital, ages 15-44	21.6	26.4	29.4	32.8	43.8	44.3	44.1	46.1	47.5

**BIRTH RATES BY RACE/ETHNICITY.** Birth rates for white, black, and Hispanic teens all increased in 2006. Between 2005 and 2006, the birth rate for white teens increased by 3% -- from 25.9 to 26.6; the birth rate for black teens increased by 5% -- from 60.9 to 63.7; and the birth rate for Hispanic teens increased by 2% -- from 81.7 to 83.0. The birth rates for white and black teens in 2006 were 18% and 20% lower, respectively, than in 2000, and more than 38% lower than in 1991. However, the 2006 birth rate for Hispanic teens was only 5% lower than in 2000 and 21% lower than in 1991.

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1990 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006

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### TABLE 1: NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20 BY AGE AND BY RACE/ETHNICITY, PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO MOTHERS 15-19 THAT ARE NONMARITAL, PERCENTAGE OF REPEAT BIRTHS (SECOND OR HIGHER ORDER BIRTHS), AND PERCENTAGE OF ALL BIRTHS IN A STATE TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20, BY STATE, 2005

		to Moth	r of Births ers Aged:	Total	Mothe	nber of Bi ers Under <u>lispanic</u>	irths to Age 20*:	Of All Births to Mothers Under Age 20, %	% of Teen Births that are Repeat	Of All Births in State, % to Mothers Under
STATE	Under 15		18-19	Under 20	White	Black	Hispanic	Nonmarital	Births	Age 20
ALABAMA	150	2,490	5,281	7,921	3,857	3,375	636	73%	20%	13%
ALASKA	12	290	748	1,050	421	47	107	80%	19%	10%
ARIZONA	186	4,212	7,616	12,014	2,792	468	7,332	86%	21%	12%
ARKANSAS	98	1,667	3,979	5,744	3,418	1,636	609	77%	22%	15%
CALIFORNIA	756	16,744	33,290	50,790	7,368	4,178	36,600	80%	18%	9%
COLORADO	96	2,285	4,361	6,742	2,387	424	3,778	75%	20%	10%
CONNECTICUT	29	903	1,910	2,842	942	639	1,225	91%	15%	7%
DELAWARE	17	381	844	1,242	453	485	265	93%	21%	11%
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	22	327	525	874	4	736	129	97%	20%	11%
FLORIDA	413	7,583	16,547	24,543	9,071	7,990	7,214	86%	19%	11%
GEORGIA	337	5,303	11,245	16,885	6,472	7,444	2,724	81%	22%	12%
HAWAII	16	466	1,014	1,496	212	23	414	88%	16%	8%
IDAHO	19	530	1,485	2,034	1,365	7	574	67%	17%	9%
ILLINOIS	319	5,792	11,249	17,360	5,441	6,194	5,580	89%	20%	10%
INDIANA	107	2,758	6,750	9,615	6,596	1,858	1,066	88%	19%	11%
IOWA	31	965	2,365	3,361	2,495	293	476	87%	16%	9%
KANSAS	47	1,154	2,901	4,102	2,536	522	921	83%	20%	10%
KENTUCKY	79	2,013	4,713	6,805	5,522	862	380	76%	19%	12%
LOUISIANA	172	2,527	5,624	8,323	3,287	4,710	205	88%	21%	12%
MAINE	172	2,327	820	-	1,070	24	15	87%	15%	8%
MARYLAND				1,123	,					
	121	2,051	4,231	6,403	2,023	3,312	969	91%	17%	9%
MASSACHUSETTS	59	1,440	3,100	4,599	2,151	682	1,555	92%	15%	6%
MICHIGAN	200	3,737	8,072	12,009	6,103	4,132	1,204	90%	19%	9%
MINNESOTA	58	1,366	3,414	4,838	2,620	732	719	88%	17%	7%
MISSISSIPPI	184	2,111	4,300	6,595	2,511	3,846	163	86%	21%	16%
MISSOURI	106	2,558	6,053	8,717	5,851	2,152	608	85%	19%	11%
MONTANA	16	348	837	1,201	763	8	56	84%	17%	10%
NEBRASKA	31	695	1,452	2,178	1,220	284	573	85%	17%	8%
NEVADA	58	1,353	2,568	3,979	1,179	516	1,985	81%	20%	11%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	203	647	854	749	18	51	92%	11%	6%
NEW JERSEY	91	2,195	4,679	6,965	1,435	2,312	3,122	90%	17%	6%
NEW MEXICO	88	1,619	2,852	4,559	748	82	3,121	86%	21%	16%
NEW YORK	261	5,345	11,723	17,329	5,271	4,915	6,790	89%	16%	7%
NORTH CAROLINA	255	4,524	9,409	14,188	5,908	5,176	2,608	83%	20%	12%
NORTH DAKOTA	6	176	485	667	401	8	32	89%	15%	8%
ОНЮ	235	4,713	10,777	15,725	10,051	4,480	912	90%	19%	11%
OKLAHOMA	112	2,020	4,665	6,797	3,733	906	1,044	79%	21%	13%
OREGON	53	1,157	2,844	4,054	2,388	143	1,314	79%	18%	9%
PENNSYLVANIA	232	4,168	8,742	13,142	6,588	3,897	2,319	92%	19%	9%
RHODE ISLAND	24	360	757	1,141	415	153	430	92%	17%	9%
South Carolina	137	2,474	5,004	7,615	3,279	3,582	682	86%	20%	13%
South dakota	9	331	751	1,091	599	17	59	90%	18%	10%
TENNESSEE	182	3,266	7,519	10,967	6,461	3,411	993	82%	20%	13%
TEXAS	899	18,101	33,079	52,079	12,141	7,250	32,197	78%	23%	13%
UTAH	50	917		3,231	1,959	66	1,027	68%	17%	6%
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VERMONT	5	104	308	417	397	6	5	88%	15%	7%
VIRGINIA	129	2,522	6,256	8,907	4,001	3,420	1,334	83%	17%	9%
WASHINGTON	84	1,967	4,779	6,830	3,626	383	2,205	80%	18%	8%
WEST VIRGINIA	22	708	1,742	2,472	2,297	139	19	77%	18%	12%
WISCONSIN	86	1,778	4,233	6,097	3,182	1,563	871	86%	18%	9%
WYOMING	8	202	593	803	577	4	155	76%	18%	11%
U.S. TOTAL in 1991		188,226	331,351	531,591	249,352	154,682	107,135	69%	25%	13%
U.S. TOTAL in 2000		157,209	311,781	477,509	205,896	119,755	132,107	79%	21%	12%
U.S. TOTAL in 2005	6,722	133,191	281,402	421,315	166,336	99,510	139,372	84%	19%	10%
U.S. TOTAL in 2006	6,405	138,920	296,507	441,832	171,107	106,162	148,106	84%	19%	10%
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\* Race/ethnicity totals add to less than state totals due to births to other racial/ethnic groups.

Source/Notes: Birth data are taken from National Center for Health Statistics, 2005 Natality Special Research File, 2007.

U.S. totals for 2006 are from Hamilton, Martin, & Ventura. 2007. Births: Preliminary Data for 2006, National Vital Statistics Reports, Vol.56, No.7.

Data from 2005 are the most recent data available for states.

## TABLE 2: BIRTH RATES FOR FEMALES 15-19 IN SELECTED YEARS, PERCENTAGE OF TEEN BIRTHS THAT WERE LOWBIRTHWEIGHT IN 2005, TOTAL NUMBER OF TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING USERS IN 2006, PERCENTAGE OF STUDENTS WHOABSTAIN FROM SEX, PERCENTAGE OF SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS WHO USED A CONDOM THE LAST TIME THEY HAD SEX,<br/>AND PERCENTAGE OF SEXUALLY ACTIVE STUDENTS WHO USED BIRTH CONTROL PILLS BEFORE LAST SEX, 2007

			Biı	rth R to Fe			ths p ged			))				Rate 05	Of All Births to Teens, % Low Birthweight,**	Total Number of Title X Family Planning Users in	% of Students in Grades 9-12 Who Abstain from Sex,†	% of Sexually Active Students in Grades 9-12 Who Used a Condom at Last Sex,†	% of Sexually Active Students in Grades 9-12 Who Used Birth Control Pills Before Last
STATE	1970	1980	1986	1990	1991	1995	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005		Aged 18-19	2005	State, 2006	2007	2007	Sex, † *** 2007
ALABAMA	89	68	62	71	74	69	61	57	55	52	52	50	27	85	12%	96,998	N/A	N/A	N/A
ALASKA	87	64	53	65	66	55	49	41	40	39	39	37	17	69	5%	10,142	55%	61%	23%
ARIZONA	77	66	67	76	80	74	68	64	61	61	60	58	34	97	8%	47,865	54%	56%	14%
ARKANSAS	91	75	71	80	80	72	66	62	60	59	60	59	29	104	11%	76,962	45%	59%	20%
CALIFORNIA	65	53	53	71	74	67	47	44	41	40	40	39	21	68	8%	859,883	N/A	N/A	N/A
COLORADO	64	50	47	55	58	52	51	47	47	44	44	43	24	72	11%	51,130	N/A	N/A	N/A
CONNECTICUT	43	31	31	39	40	39	31	28	26	25	24	23	12	41	11%	44,255	58%	63%	26%
DELAWARE	72	51	50	55	60	55	48	47	46	45	44	44	23	76	13%	27,775	41%	69%	15%
FLORIDA	85	59	69	69	68	60	51	48	45	43	42	42	22	75	11%	235,921	51%	66%	15%
GEORGIA	98	72	58	76	76	70	63	60	56	54	53	53	28	92	12%	169,388	N/A	N/A	N/A
HAWAII	60	51	47	61	59	49	46	42	38	37	36	36	19	62	10%	15,360	64%	54%	12%
IDAHO	65	60	45	51	54	49	43	41	39	39	39	38	17	69	8%	33,542	58%	N/A	N/A
ILLINOIS	66	56	50	63	65	58	48	46	42	40	40	39	22	66	11%	140,061	50%	65%	18%
INDIANA	73	58	50	59	60	57	49	47	45	44	44	43	21	79	11%	45,804	51%	57%	24%
IOWA	52	43	33	41	43	38	34	34	33	32	32	33	16	56	10%	71,297	57%	66%	24%
KANSAS	61	57	51	56	55	52	46	44	43	41	41	41	20	72	9%	46,631	55%	66%	17%
KENTUCKY	86	72	61	68	69	62	55	52	51	50	49	49	24	86	11%	117,507	50%	59%	21%
louisiana	85	76	68	74	76	70	62	59	58	56	56	49	26	84	14%	53,975	N/A	N/A	N/A
MAINE	65	47	42	43	44	34	29	27	25	25	24	24	11	45	7%	32,030	55%	59%	36%
MARYLAND	68	43	46	53	54	47	41	38	35	33	32	32	17	56	11%	82,270	N/A	N/A	N/A
MASSACHUSETTS	38	28	29	35	38	33	26	25	23	23	22	22	11	38	10%	75,400	56%	61%	N/A
MICHIGAN	66	45	44	59	59	49	40	38	35	34	34	33	17	57	10%	171,139	58%	65%	19%
MINNESOTA	42	35	30	36	37	33	30	28	28	27	27	26	13	46	8%	41,572	N/A	N/A	N/A
MISSISSIPPI	102	84	72	81	85	79	70	67	65	63	62	61	33	102	14%	62,876	41%	67%	15%
MISSOURI	71	58	53	63	64	55	49	46	44	43	43	43	21	74	11%	87,160	48%	59%	19%
MONTANA	58	49	42	48	47	42	37	36	36	35	36	35	18	60	8%	28,109	54%	63%	23%
NEBRASKA	52	45	37	42	42	38	38	37	37	36	36	34	19	56	9%	40,045	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEVADA	90	59	56	73	75	73	63	56	54	53	51	50	28	87	10%	24,427	57%	69%	17%
NEW HAMPSHIRE	55	34	31	33	33	30	23	21	20	18	18	18	7	35	10%	31,009	55%	64%	28%
NEW JERSEY	48	35	34	41	41	38	32	29	27	26	24	23	12	42	10%	131,756	N/A	N/A	N/A
NEW MEXICO	77	72	70	78	80	74	66	63	62	63	61	62	37	97	9%	42,015	N/A	55%	19%
NEW YORK	49	35	36	44	46	42	33	32	30	28	27	27	14	46	10%	315,910	56%	67%	15%
NORTH CAROLINA		58	56	68	70	63	59	55	52	49	49	49	26	85	12%	147,438	48%	62%	17%
NORTH DAKOTA	43	42	35	35	36	33	27	27	27	27	27	30	14	50	7%	16,238	57%	64%	25%
OHIO	63	53	49	58	61	53	46	43	40	39	39	39	20	69	11%	128,580	56%	60%	17%
OKLAHOMA	81	75	65	67	72	64	60	58	58	56	56	54	28	92	9%	86,321	49%	60%	17%
OREGON	56	51	43	55	55	50	43	40	37	34	33	33	16	60	7%	89,463	N/A	N/A	N/A
PENNSYLVANIA	52	41	40	45	47	41	34	33	32	31	31	30	16	52	11%	321,404	N/A	N/A	N/A
RHODE ISLAND	45	33	35	44	45	40	34	36	36	31	33	31	17	54	10%	19,464	55%	66%	21%
SOUTH CAROLINA		65	61	71	73	63	58	57	53	52	52	51	28	88	13%	98,353	49%	62%	13%
SOUTH DAKOTA	50	53	43	47	48	41	38	38	38	35	39	38	20	63	7%	13,879	54%	58%	17%
TENNESSEE	87	64	60	72	75	67	60	57	54	54	52	55	28	96	11%	122,849	46%	61%	17%
TEXAS	84	74	70	75	78	76	69	66	64	63	63	62	36	101	10%	244,359	47%	56%	13%
UTAH	54	65	49	49	48	41	38	38	37	35	34	33	16	57	10%	32,056	N/A	N/A	N/A
VERMONT	53	40	34	34	39	28	23	24	24	19	21	19	8	34	8%	10,011	N/A	63%	34%
VIRGINIA	72	48	45	53	53	48	41	40	38	36	35	34	16	62	10%	70,496	N/A	N/A	N/A
WASHINGTON	58	47	44	53	54	48	39	36	33	32	31	31	15	55	7%	118,817	N/A	N/A	N/A
WEST VIRGINIA	72	68	53	57	58	53	47	46	46	45	44	43	21	77	10%	53,448	46%	61%	25%
WISCONSIN	44	40	38	43	44	38	35	34	32	31	30	30	15	53	9%	55,157	55%	61%	26%
WYOMING	69	79	50	56	54	48	42	39	40	41	43	43	19	76	9%	15,070	53%	63%	22%
U.S. TOTAL	66	53	50	60	62	56	48	45	43	42	41	41	21	70	10%	4,994,278	52%	62%	16%

\*Eighteen states experienced no change in the teen birth rate between 2004 and 2005, 28 states experienced a decrease, and 4 states experienced an increase.

\*\*Low birthweight is defined as weight of less than 2,500 grams (about 5.5 pounds). † These data are based only on teens attending school. Percent of students in grades 9-12 who abstain from sex is measured as the percent who have never had sex.

\*\*\*Use of birth control pills to prevent pregnancy. Sources/Notes: Birth rates for 1970, 1980, and 1990-2003 are published by the National Center for Health Statistics, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. References for specific reports cited are available upon request. The 1986 birth rates were calculated by Child Trends. Denominators use the latest revised data from the U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Estimates Branch. These revisions affect birth rates in some states. Population denominators for less populated states are small and therefore some instability in rates can occur. Information on number of Tille X Family Planning Users from Fowler, C.I. Gable, J. and Wang, J. (February 2008). Family Planning Annual Report: 2006. National Summary. Research Triangle Park, NC: RTI International. Information on percent who abstained from sex and percent who used a condom or birth control pills at last sex from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2007 Youth Risk Behavior Survey. Available at www.cdc.gov/yrbss. Accessed on July 14th, 2008.

### TABLE 3. NUMBER OF BIRTHS TO TEENAGE MOTHERS IN LARGE CITIES\* BY AGE AND BY RACE/ETHNICITY, NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20, PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO MOTHERS 15-19 THAT ARE REPEAT BIRTHS (SECOND OR HIGHER ORDER BIRTHS), AND PERCENTAGE OF ALL BIRTHS IN CITY TO MOTHERS UNDER AGE 20, 1991 & 2005

	llador		r of Birth ners Aged		Moth		Births to r Age 20:	Number of Births to Unmarried Mothors	Of All Births to Mothers Under	Of All Teen Births in City, % that	Of All Births in City, % to Mothers Under Age 20	
CITY	Under 15	15-17	18-19	Under 20	<u>Non-H</u> White	<u>lispanic</u> Black	Hispanic	Mothers Under Age 20	Age 20,% Nonmarital	are Repeat Births		
Albuquerque, NM	25	432	775	1,232	165	32	945	1,092	89%	22%	11%	14%
Anaheim, CA	12	202	412	626	58	8	544	484	77%	16%	12%	10%
Anchorage, AK	3	118	282	403	170	39	55	330	82%	19%	10%	10%
Arlington, TX	13	225	439	677	173	151	335	566	84%	20%	10%	11%
Atlanta, GA Austin, TX	40 36	412 488	676 892	1,128 1,416	42 174	842 162	233 1,068	1,016 1,147	90% 81%	26% 25%	21% 15%	12% 11%
Baltimore, MD	41	625	1,002	1,668	174	1,420	60	1,615	97%	21%	21%	18%
Birmingham, AL	19	205	442	666	62	559	43	588	88%	21%	21%	16%
Boise City, ID	4	51	191	246	183	4	50	189	77%	11%	11%	7%
Boston, MA	7	183	383	573	99	273	182	552	96%	15%	11%	8%
Bridgeport, CT	5	93	210	308	34	110	162	276	90%	16%	18%	13%
Buffalo, NY	14	218	407	639	157	366	106	611	96%	22%	17%	17%
Charlotte, NC	33 138	386 2,309	641 3,582	1,060 6,029	155 236	572 3,351	300 2,399	945 5,513	89% 91%	21% 22%	14% 19%	9% 13%
Chicago, IL Cincinnati, OH	30	2,309	585	899	205	652	2,377	872	97%	28%	21%	17%
Cleveland, OH	30	430	763	1,223	233	858	117	1,185	97%	21%	20%	18%
Colorado Springs, CO	4	186	463	653	301	72	261	483	74%	19%	12%	10%
Columbia, SC	5	129	260	394	48	311	33	366	93%	18%	18%	12%
Columbus, OH	24	414	917	1,355	525	606	128	1,235	91%	24%	21%	11%
Dallas, TX	78	1,291	2,242	3,611	211	1,082	2,291	3,055	85%	26%	18%	15%
Denver, CO	30	541 138	812 252	1,383 394	147 196	1 <i>77</i> 81	1,039 103	1,059 342	77% 87%	22% 20%	16%	12% 11%
Des Moines, IA	4 81	904	1,422	394 2,407	190	2,054	204	2,288	87% 95%	20%	14% 24%	18%
Detroit, MI El Paso, TX	29	742	1,422	2,068	67	2,034	1,966	1,498	93% 72%	22%	24% 16%	16%
Fort Worth, TX	37	661	1,085	1,783	342	471	957	1,508	85%	23%	17%	15%
Fresno, CA	25	494	871	1,390	172	140	878	1,125	81%	23%	17%	14%
Honolulu, HI	3	76	169	248	31	3	45	223	90%	17%	7%	5%
Houston, TX	118	2,187	3,785	6,090	444	1,582	3,991	4,961	81%	25%	16%	13%
Indianapolis, IN	30	565	1,181	1,776	739	718	308	1,660	93%	21%	16%	13%
Jackson, MS	23	227	337	587	36	546	3	571	97%	22%	19%	19%
Jacksonville, FL Kansas City, MO	20 23	436 294	987 599	1,443 916	503 201	789 495	121 208	1,249 848	87% 93%	20% 23%	16% 21%	12% 12%
Las Vegas, NV	37	795	1,398	2,230	515	388	1,154	1,850	83%	21%	14%	11%
Lexington-Fayette, KY	3	122	247	372	183	96	91	320	86%	19%	14%	10%
Little Rock, AR	10	119	211	340	66	233	39	307	90%	20%	19%	11%
Long Beach, CA	10	338	548	896	53	164	597	777	87%	19%	13%	11%
Los Angeles, CA	141	2,278	3,975	6,394	166	688	5,431	5,388	84%	19%	13%	10%
Manchester, NH	2	32	104	138	106	9	20	130	94%	14%	N/A	8%
Memphis, TN Mesa, AZ	64 16	745 297	1,294 613	2,103 926	1 <i>57</i> 309	1,731 31	203 530	1,987 792	94% 86%	24% 19%	21% 12%	19% 11%
Miami, FL	38	610	1,262	1,910	127	911	867	1,713	90%	17%	15%	9%
Milwaukee, WI	47	687	1,148	1,882	215	1,221	353	1,763	94%	25%	21%	17%
Minneapolis, MN	12	196	376	584	77	264	127	515	88%	22%	14%	9%
Nashville-Davidson, TN	23	290	707	1,020	315	484	207	904	89%	21%	16%	11%
New Orleans, LA	11	222	437	670	22	639	5	652	97%	20%	20%	15%
New York, NY	137	2,765	5,641	8,543	666	2,908	4,748	7,613	89%	15%	23%	7%
Newark, NJ Oakland, CA	7 17	215 216	384 384	606	26 22	377 230	201 320	568 525	94%	20% 18%	14% 15%	13% 10%
Oklahoma City, OK	26	373	766	617 1,165	400	230	320	977	85% 84%	25%	19%	14%
Omaha, NE	17	244	474	735	251	231	230	651	89%	19%	13%	10%
Philadelphia, PA	88	1,302	2,179	3,569	432	2,187	788	3,413	96%	23%	18%	16%
Phoenix, AZ	65	1,550	2,397	4,012	518	205	3,023	3,497	87%	24%	16%	15%
Pittsburgh, PA	14	158	279	451	126	314	6	441	98%	20%	16%	12%
Portland, OR	9	172	413	594	270	92	192	487	82%	20%	12%	7%
Providence, RI	14	150	293	457	49	85	284	413	90%	21%	16%	15%
Sacramento, CA Salt Lake City, UT	22 10	419 138	925 275	1,366 423	234 128	296 22	622 243	1,120 326	82% 77%	21% 24%	14% 12%	11% 7%
San Antonio, TX	67	1,235	2,169	3,471	339	210	2,896	2,774	80%	27%	12%	15%
San Diego, CA	21	525	968	1,514	129	156	1,038	1,186	78%	17%	11%	8%
San Francisco, CA	2	92	211	305	25	75	174	269	88%	13%	8%	4%
San Jose, CA	12	340	649	1,001	82	32	833	808	81%	16%	11%	6%
Santa Ana, CA	21	309	640	970	19	5	933	701	72%	21%	14%	12%
Seattle, WA	2	82	168	252	62	64	80	223	88%	16%	8%	4%
Sioux Falls, SD	0	48	133	181	137	11	17	160	88%	15%	N/A	7%
St. Louis, MO	17 5	279 193	516	812 560	110	659 166	35 104	786 504	97%	24%	23%	16%
St. Paul, MN Tampa, FL	5 22	336	362 759	560 1,117	88 252	166 450	104 399	1,023	90% 92%	26% 20%	13% 18%	11% 11%
Toledo, OH	12	227	450	689	279	323	80	652	92 <i>%</i> 95%	20%	19%	15%
Tucson, AZ	20	504	953	1,477	296	61	1,025	1,289	87%	21%	16%	12%
Tulsa, OK	20	283	611	914	334	267	220	783	86%	24%	16%	14%
Virginia Beach, VA	4	116	343	463	242	156	46	338	73%	14%	9%	7%
Washington, DC	22	327	525	874	4	736	129	847	97%	20%	17%	11%
Wichita, KS	9	258	571	838	420	181	202	719	86%	24%	14%	13%

\*List of 80 cities includes the largest city from each state and the District of Columbia and 29 of the next most populous U.S. cities, where population estimates are available. Source/Notes: 2005 data are from National Center for Health Statistics, 2005 Natality Special Research File, 2007.

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