

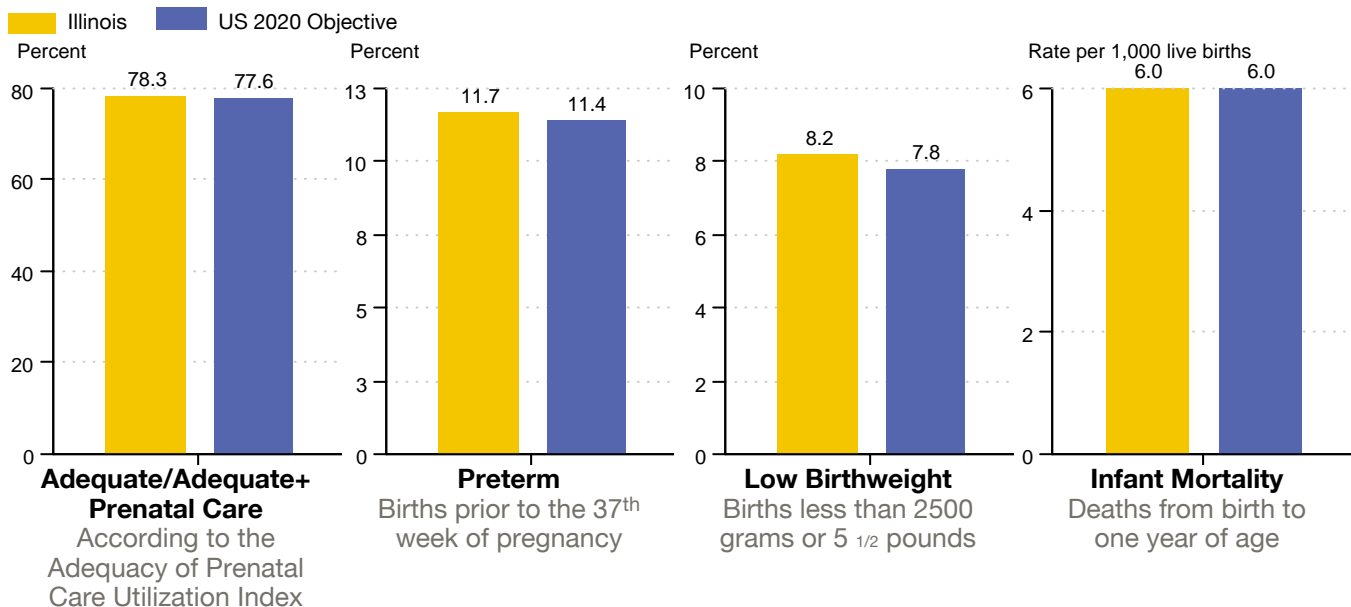
# PERINATAL DATA SNAPSHOTS:

**Illinois**  
Maternal and Infant Health Overview

## In an Average Week in Illinois<sup>1, 2</sup>

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|---------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <b>3,018</b><br>babies are born | <b>202</b><br>babies are born to teen mothers (ages 15-19) | <b>955</b><br>babies delivered by cesarean section | <b>354</b><br>babies are born preterm | <b>248</b><br>babies are born low birthweight | <b>18</b><br>babies die before their first birthday |
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## Illinois and US Year 2020 Objectives<sup>1, 2</sup>



## Indicators, Illinois

|  | Number  | Rate  |                                   | Number | Rate  |
|--|---------|-------|-----------------------------------|--------|-------|
| Births <sup>1</sup>                      | 156,931 | 60.3  | Preterm <sup>1</sup>              | 18,426 | 11.7% |
| Adequate/Adequate+ PNC <sup>1</sup>      | 118,007 | 78.3% | Very Preterm <sup>1</sup>         | 3,361  | 2.1%  |
| Early Prenatal Care <sup>1</sup>         | 117,495 | 77.4% | Late Preterm <sup>1</sup>         | 12,649 | 8.1%  |
| Uninsured Women (15-44 yrs) <sup>3</sup> | NA      | 18.3% | Low Birthweight <sup>1</sup>      | 12,898 | 8.2%  |
| Uninsured Children(<19 yrs) <sup>3</sup> | NA      | 7.0%  | Very Low Birthweight <sup>1</sup> | 2,319  | 1.5%  |
| C Section <sup>1</sup>                   | 49,673  | 31.7% | Infant Mortality <sup>2</sup>     | 937    | 6.0   |

### Footnotes

- Adequate/Adequate+ prenatal care (PNC) is measured using the Adequacy of Prenatal Care Utilization Index and takes into account timing of prenatal care, number of visits, and infant's gestational age.
- For more information on U.S. 2020 objectives, visit [www.healthypeople.gov/2020](http://www.healthypeople.gov/2020).
- Birth rate is live births per 1,000 women aged 15-44 years.
- Early prenatal care is pregnancy-related care beginning in the first trimester (1-3 months).
- NA = Not Available.
- Very preterm is less than 32 completed weeks of pregnancy. Late preterm is between 34-36 weeks of pregnancy.
- Very low birthweight is less than 1500 grams (3 1/3 pounds).

### Sources

- National Center for Health Statistics, final natality data (2013).
- National Center for Health Statistics, period linked birth/infant death data (2013).
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