

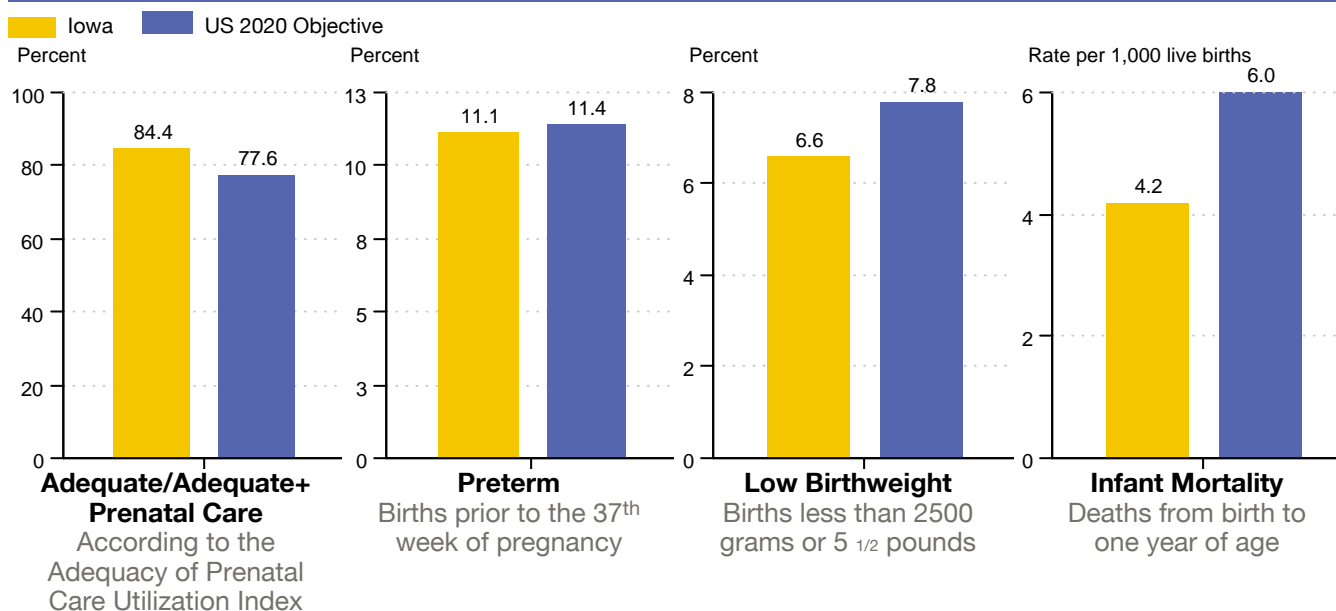
PERINATAL DATA SNAPSHOTS:

Iowa
Maternal and Infant Health Overview

In an Average Week in Iowa^{1, 2}

752 babies are born	44 babies are born to teen mothers (ages 15-19)	232 babies delivered by cesarean section	83 babies are born preterm	49 babies are born low birthweight	3 babies die before their first birthday
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Iowa and US Year 2020 Objectives^{1, 2}



Indicators, Iowa

	Number	Rate		Number	Rate
Births ¹	39,094	67.1	Preterm ¹	4,322	11.1%
Adequate/Adequate+ PNC ¹	32,876	84.4%	Very Preterm ¹	803	2.1%
Early Prenatal Care ¹	29,902	76.7%	Late Preterm ¹	2,925	7.5%
Uninsured Women (15-44 yrs) ³	NA	15.6%	Low Birthweight ¹	2,561	6.6%
Uninsured Children(<19 yrs) ³	NA	6.2%	Very Low Birthweight ¹	451	1.2%
C Section ¹	12,038	30.8%	Infant Mortality ²	166	4.2

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.
- 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).
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