

**Table 7-21: Fetal deaths by maternal characteristics by planned place of birth, Oregon occurrence, 2013-2015**

Selected maternal characteristics	Total <sup>1</sup>	Planned hospital birth			Planned out-of-hospital birth		
		Clinical estimate of gestation					
		<37	37-40	41+	<37	37-40	41+
<b>Total fetal deaths</b> .....	578	415	134	10	1	6	4
<b>Mother's age</b>							
<20 .....	38	32	6	—	—	—	—
20-24 .....	114	86	21	2	—	2	—
25-29 .....	154	111	36	3	—	1	1
30-34 .....	141	94	40	3	1	1	1
35-39 .....	101	69	25	2	—	2	2
40+ .....	29	23	6	—	—	—	—
<b>Single mention race<sup>2</sup></b>							
White .....	389	272	97	8	—	5	3
African American .....	17	12	5	—	—	—	—
American Indian .....	9	4	3	—	1	—	—
Asian/Hawaiian/Pacific Islander .....	40	28	9	—	—	—	1
Other/multiple races .....	19	16	3	—	—	—	—
Hispanic .....	104	83	17	2	—	1	—
<b>Marital status</b>							
Married .....	328	225	88	3	—	5	4
Unmarried .....	247	188	46	6	1	1	—
<b>Mother's education</b>							
8th grade or less .....	23	18	5	—	—	—	—
9th-12th, no diploma .....	74	55	10	3	—	2	—
High school/GED .....	140	103	34	2	—	1	—
Some college .....	115	85	24	2	1	2	—
Associate degree .....	45	36	8	—	—	—	1
Bachelor's degree .....	81	50	25	1	—	1	3
Postbaccalaureate .....	45	28	16	1	—	—	—
<b>Pre-pregnancy body mass index</b>							
Underweight (< 18.5) .....	10	5	4	—	—	—	1
Normal (18.5 - 24.9) .....	212	154	50	3	—	2	1
Overweight (25.0 - 29.9) .....	130	89	35	3	1	1	1
Obese (> 30.0) .....	171	125	38	1	—	3	—
<b>Maternal tobacco use</b>							
Tobacco use .....	96	72	22	—	—	1	—
No tobacco use .....	481	343	112	10	1	5	4
<b>Initiation of care</b>							
1st trimester .....	410	295	102	4	1	1	3
2nd trimester .....	95	68	19	3	—	3	—
3rd trimester .....	18	7	9	2	—	—	—
No care .....	31	24	3	1	—	2	—
<b>Multiple birth</b>							
Yes .....	31	27	3	—	—	—	—
No .....	547	388	131	10	1	6	4

— Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Total includes seven fetal deaths that occurred en route, were unplanned home deliveries, or other out-of-hospital births not otherwise classified. Total also includes one fetal death with unknown gestation.

<sup>2</sup> Non-Hispanic single mention race. The Hispanic category may include any mention of race.

NOTE: Numbers within each maternal characteristic may not add up to total fetal death counts due to unknown responses.