

# Health Trends

## Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Counties Selected Birth Characteristics

1999-2008

County/Year	Live births	Infant deaths	Abortions	No Prenatal Care as a % of births	No Prenatal Care as a % of births - MI	< 6 Prenatal Care visits as % of births	< 6 Prenatal Care visits as % of births - MI	% of mothers without HS education	% of mothers without HS education - MI	Smoked While Pregnant - %	Smoked While Pregnant - % MI	% of births to teens	% of births to teens - MI	Teen Pregnancy Rate	Teen Pregnancy Rate -MI	Infant Mortality Rate 2005-2007	Infant Mortality Rate -MI 2005-2007
<b>Branch</b>																5.4	7.8
1999	533	4	80	1.50	0.79	7.1	4.7	23.3	17.0	22.0	15.6	16.1	11.1	87.9	67.2		
2000	623	4	68	0.64	0.88	7.4	4.8	28.9	17.2	21.2	15.4	14.3	10.5	77.8	63.9		
2001	581	8	57	0.17	0.73	5.3	4.8	27.2	17.1	21.9	15.5	14.6	10.3	70.9	61.7		
2002	561	4	55	1.25	0.69	6.2	4.6	28.9	16.8	24.6	15.0	13.9	9.6	68.2	57.1		
2003	627	5	68	0.96	1.10	6.7	4.6	27.0	16.9	20.9	14.4	10.8	9.5	60.9	56.9		
2004	591	8	80	0.51	0.96	5.6	4.2	28.6	16.8	20.1	13.8	12.4	9.6	64.9	56.4		
2005	618	6	55	1.78	1.01	8.3	4.3	29.4	16.9	19.7	13.7	14.9	9.4	72.3	52.8		
2006	629	2	52	1.75	1.01	6.0	4.4	28.0	16.9	20.5	13.8	12.6	9.8	73.4	54.0		
2007	616	2	57	0.97	1.12	8.8	4.7	30.2	16.6	23.9	14.8	12.8	10.1	75.1	54.0		
2008	557	2	42	2.15	1.44	9.7	6.1	31.4	16.5	27.5	20.4	12.4	10.1	65.1	54.1		
<b>Hillsdale</b>																6.9	7.8
1999	621	7	55	1.13	0.79	6.3	4.7	20.1	17.0	23.8	15.6	13.4	11.1	60.3	67.2		
2000	643	5	57	1.87	0.88	8.7	4.8	22.7	17.2	26.3	15.4	11.5	10.5	57.0	63.9		
2001	613	4	42	1.31	0.73	5.2	4.8	24.1	17.1	25.1	15.5	10.3	10.3	48.0	61.7		
2002	627	2	46	1.44	0.69	6.4	4.6	19.5	16.8	25.2	15.0	12.1	9.6	56.2	57.1		
2003	547	4	68	1.46	1.10	5.3	4.6	24.5	16.9	27.2	14.4	13.0	9.5	55.5	56.9		
2004	590	0	45	1.19	0.96	6.3	4.2	22.5	16.8	22.4	13.8	11.4	9.6	54.6	56.4		
2005	583	0	54	0.51	1.01	6.7	4.3	22.3	16.9	26.2	13.7	9.9	9.4	45.4	52.8		
2006	567	7	44	0.53	1.01	6.5	4.4	23.1	16.9	25.4	13.8	12.5	9.8	54.1	54.0		
2007	588	5	47	0.34	1.12	8.0	4.7	21.6	16.6	25.3	14.8	11.7	10.1	52.6	54.0		
2008	561	4	38	1.78	1.44	8.7	6.1	20.7	16.5	31.6	20.4	10.3	10.1	46.9	54.1		
<b>St. Joseph</b>																8.3	7.8
1999	892	3	123	1.35	0.79	7.2	4.7	27.4	17.0	23.7	15.6	16.0	11.1	97.6	67.2		
2000	991	6	97	0.81	0.88	6.9	4.8	30.8	17.2	23.4	15.4	15.0	10.5	86.1	63.9		
2001	946	13	96	0.11	0.73	3.9	4.8	30.6	17.1	23.3	15.5	14.3	10.3	78.3	61.7		
2002	888	7	100	0.34	0.69	5.5	4.6	29.6	16.8	24.8	15.0	12.4	9.6	68.8	57.1		
2003	941	6	100	0.32	1.10	3.9	4.6	27.8	16.9	23.4	14.4	15.0	9.5	83.2	56.9		
2004	940	8	85	0.32	0.96	4.6	4.2	31.7	16.8	22.6	13.8	14.3	9.6	76.6	56.4		
2005	986	5	80	0.51	1.01	4.2	4.3	32.7	16.9	20.3	13.7	12.9	9.4	78.9	52.8		
2006	937	9	84	0.53	1.01	6.9	4.4	29.9	16.9	23.1	13.8	9.8	9.8	62.0	54.0		
2007	974	10	76	0.72	1.12	5.9	4.7	33.2	16.6	19.4	14.8	13.7	10.1	85.4	54.0		
2008	913	10	69	0.88	1.44	5.1	6.1	29.2	16.5	27.9	20.4	12.9	10.1	75.4	54.1		

Source: 1996 - 2006 Michigan Resident Birth Files, Vital Records and Health Data Development Section, MDCH

Note: Infant mortality rates listed as a 3 year average due to the small number of infant deaths per year