

Health Trends

Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Counties Selected Birth Characteristics

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	1996-2006	
																Infant Mortality Rate 2004-2006	Infant Mortality Rate -MI 2004-2006
Branch																8.7	7.6
1996	525	5	70	0.95	0.61	7.8	4.1	22.9	17.6	20.0	17.3	14.3	12.2	80.5	77.4		
1997	507	4	70	0.99	0.68	8.1	4.2	25.4	17.3	24.9	17.4	13.8	11.7	73.3	73.9		
1998	554	3	65	0.90	0.76	6.0	4.6	24.9	17.3	24.5	16.7	15.2	11.6	82.9	71.6		
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		
Hillsdale																4.0	7.6
1996	562	3	62	0.53	0.61	8.5	4.1	23.5	17.6	27.6	17.3	19.0	12.2	92.6	77.4		
1997	567	4	77	1.06	0.68	7.8	4.2	18.9	17.3	25.4	17.4	14.1	11.7	69.6	73.9		
1998	582	4	63	1.55	0.76	8.1	4.6	21.0	17.3	25.3	16.7	14.8	11.6	72.2	71.6		
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		
St. Joseph																7.7	7.6
1996	873	7	120	0.57	0.61	5.3	4.1	23.7	17.6	25.0	17.3	14.7	12.2	83.9	77.4		
1997	856	5	95	0.70	0.68	4.3	4.2	26.8	17.3	23.8	17.4	17.6	11.7	98.4	73.9		
1998	884	4	115	0.79	0.76	5.3	4.6	24.3	17.3	25.2	16.7	12.9	11.6	79.0	71.6		
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		

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