

NTSV (LOW-RISK) CESAREAN BIRTH RATE BY STATE, 1997-2018

	<u>1997</u>	<u>2009</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	Absolute change 2013-2018	Relative change 2013-2018	Absolute change 2009-2018	Relative change 2009-2018	Absolute change 1997-2018	Relative change 1997-2018
United States	18.4	28.1	26.9	26.0	25.8	25.7	26.0	25.9	-1.0	-3.7%	-2.2	-7.8%	7.5	40.8%
Alabama	21.5	32.4	31.2	30.1	28.5	27.9	28.2	28.6	-2.6	-8.3%	-3.8	-11.7%	7.1	33.0%
Alaska	15.7	19.6	20.7	20.8	20.2	19.1	19.2	16.7	-4.0	-19.3%	-2.9	-14.8%	1.0	6.4%
Arizona	14.3	23.6	22.3	22.3	22.5	21.7	20.6	21.3	-1.0	-4.5%	-2.3	-9.7%	7.0	49.0%
Arkansas	21.4	29.2	29.4	24.4	24.8	25.0	26.6	28.4	-1.0	-3.4%	-0.8	-2.7%	7.0	32.7%
California	19.0	26.6	26.6	25.6	25.3	24.9	24.4	24	-2.6	-9.8%	-2.6	-9.8%	5.0	26.3%
Colorado	12.9	21.9	20.6	20.4	20.6	20.4	21.6	21.2	0.6	2.9%	-0.7	-3.2%	8.3	64.3%
Connecticut	16.9	31.0	29.7	28.2	28.3	29.2	28.2	29.4	-0.3	-1.0%	-1.6	-5.2%	12.5	74.0%
Delaware	17.6	26.5	25.9	25.8	25.3	23.7	24.9	24	-1.9	-7.3%	-2.5	-9.4%	6.4	36.4%
District of Columbia	23.2	29.0	29.8	28.0	27.1	27.1	28.7	28	-1.8	-6.0%	-1.0	-3.4%	4.8	20.7%
Florida	19.9	33.6	31.9	31.0	31.0	31.3	31.0	30.4	-1.5	-4.7%	-3.2	-9.5%	10.5	52.8%
Georgia	18.5	28.0	28.9	27.5	27.7	28.2	27.9	27.9	-1.0	-3.5%	-0.1	-0.4%	9.4	50.8%
Hawaii	16.5	23.4	19.6	18.4	20.3	19.8	20.7	22.4	2.8	14.3%	-1.0	-4.3%	5.9	35.8%
Idaho	12.8	19.5	19.8	19.3	19.5	18.1	18.1	18.5	-1.3	-6.6%	-1.0	-5.1%	5.7	44.5%
Illinois	16.8	27.2	25.3	24.7	24.2	24.7	25.1	25.2	-0.1	-0.4%	-2.0	-7.4%	8.4	50.0%
Indiana	17.9	25.1	24.3	24.1	22.9	23.6	23.4	23.5	-0.8	-3.3%	-1.6	-6.4%	5.6	31.3%
Iowa	16.0	25.2	24.3	23.8	23.8	23.9	24.0	23.4	-0.9	-3.7%	-1.8	-7.1%	7.4	46.3%
Kansas	15.5	24.8	24.2	23.6	23.8	23.8	23.8	24.2	0.0	0.0%	-0.6	-2.4%	8.7	56.1%
Kentucky	19.1	31.5	30.7	28.8	27.4	27.2	28.3	27.8	-2.9	-9.4%	-3.7	-11.7%	8.7	45.5%
Louisiana	23.1	35.6	31.4	31.1	30.8	30.9	30.4	29.2	-2.2	-7.0%	-6.4	-18.0%	6.1	26.4%
Maine	16.6	25.2	24.5	22.5	22.9	22.4	23.8	25	0.5	2.0%	-0.2	-0.8%	8.4	50.6%
Maryland	19.8	30.4	30.6	29.9	29.9	28.5	28.2	28.2	-2.4	-7.8%	-2.2	-7.2%	8.4	42.4%
Massachusetts	16.8	28.2	22.9	23.8	24.0	24.2	25.7	25.4	2.5	10.9%	-2.8	-9.9%	8.6	51.2%
Michigan	17.4	27.2	28.1	27.1	26.3	26.7	26.6	27.3	-0.8	-2.8%	0.1	0.4%	9.9	56.9%
Minnesota	14.6	23.0	21.4	21.2	21.6	21.8	23.4	22.9	1.5	7.0%	-0.1	-0.4%	8.3	56.8%
Mississippi	23.5	32.9	30.7	31.6	31.2	31.8	30.8	31.2	0.5	1.6%	-1.7	-5.2%	7.7	32.8%
Missouri	16.8	27.0	24.9	23.7	23.6	24.1	23.8	23.9	-1.0	-4.0%	-3.1	-11.5%	7.1	42.3%
Montana	15.9	24.3	25.1	26.5	23.7	23.1	23.8	22.7	-2.4	-9.6%	-1.6	-6.6%	6.8	42.8%
Nebraska	16.4	25.4	23.4	23.8	24.4	23.8	24.9	22.5	-0.9	-3.8%	-2.9	-11.4%	6.1	37.2%
Nevada	19.3	29.2	30.2	28.9	29.7	28.8	24.9	22.5	-7.7	-25.5%	-6.7	-22.9%	3.2	16.6%
New Hampshire	16.4	26.6	25.0	23.5	24.6	26.0	25.2	27.1	2.1	8.4%	0.5	1.9%	10.7	65.2%
New Jersey	22.6	35.7	33.1	32.0	30.9	30.3	29.3	27.7	-5.4	-16.3%	-8.0	-22.4%	5.1	22.6%
New Mexico	14.2	16.2	17.9	17.1	18.0	18.5	18.3	19.6	1.7	9.5%	3.4	21.0%	5.4	38.0%
New York	20.9	31.2	29.6	28.5	28.5	28.4	29.0	28.9	-0.7	-2.4%	-2.3	-7.4%	8.0	38.3%
North Carolina	18.9	27.2	24.2	22.7	22.7	23.0	23.2	23.3	-0.9	-3.7%	-3.9	-14.3%	4.4	23.3%
North Dakota	14.6	23.4	20.8	21.3	20.6	18.9	22.2	19.3	-1.5	-7.2%	-4.1	-17.5%	4.7	32.2%
Ohio	16.2	26.2	25.7	25.2	24.2	24.7	24.3	25.4	-0.3	-1.2%	-0.8	-3.1%	9.2	56.8%
Oklahoma	20.1	27.9	25.9	21.9	24.4	23.3	24.8	24.6	-1.3	-5.0%	-3.3	-11.8%	4.5	22.4%
Oregon	15.2	25.9	22.5	25.2	21.7	22.1	22.6	23.8	1.3	5.8%	-2.1	-8.1%	8.6	56.6%
Pennsylvania	17.0	27.6	26.3	25.9	24.7	24.7	25.7	25.1	-1.2	-4.6%	-2.5	-9.1%	8.1	47.6%
Rhode Island	17.1	29.3	26.0	27.8	23.5	24.9	25.4	27.8	1.8	6.9%	-1.5	-5.1%	10.7	62.6%
South Carolina	20.4	30.2	29.0	19.5	26.9	26.0	27.0	26.9	-2.1	-7.2%	-3.3	-10.9%	6.5	31.9%
South Dakota	15.5	21.2	20.0	28.3	18.5	20.7	17.8	18.7	-1.3	-6.5%	-2.5	-11.8%	3.2	20.6%
Tennessee	20.0	28.5	26.8	28.2	27.6	26.5	26.9	26.4	-0.4	-1.5%	-2.1	-7.4%	6.4	32.0%
Texas	20.1	29.7	29.1	26.1	27.0	27.1	28.6	28.7	-0.4	-1.4%	-1.0	-3.4%	8.6	42.8%
Utah	12.1	18.1	16.7	17.6	18.0	16.8	17.7	18.3	1.6	9.6%	0.2	1.1%	6.2	51.2%
Vermont	14.3	24.8	22.4	20.5	20.2	21.7	19.9	20.3	-2.1	-9.4%	-4.5	-18.1%	6.0	42.0%
Virginia	20.0	30.9	26.3	25.9	25.1	27.0	26.4	26	-0.3	-1.1%	-4.9	-15.9%	6.0	30.0%
Washington	15.4	25.4	23.7	22.8	22.8	22.5	23.1	23.1	-0.6	-2.5%	-2.3	-9.1%	7.7	50.0%
West Virginia	21.3	30.9	29.3	25.6	27.2	27.0	27.6	27.4	-1.9	-6.5%	-3.5	-11.3%	6.1	28.6%
Wisconsin	13.5	21.9	21.6	21.2	21.3	22.0	21.6	22.3	0.7	3.2%	0.4	1.8%	8.8	65.2%
Wyoming	13.7	23.2	22.4	21.6	17.8	19.1	21.2	20.4	-2.0	-8.9%	-2.8	-12.1%	6.7	48.9%

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