

Trends In Key Indicators, 1990-2004

Indicator*		1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	
Percent of total births to teens	Des Moines, IA	13.7	14.3	13.6	14.4	13.0	13.5	13.8	12.9	14.4	14.1	14.1	12.6	12.3	12.9	11.0	
	50-City Average	15.4	15.5	15.4	15.4	15.6	15.3	15.1	14.9	14.7	14.3	13.8	13.3	12.7	12.1	12.0	
Percent of teen births to women who were already mothers	Des Moines, IA	25.5	26.0	22.1	24.0	20.8	16.9	21.5	22.7	20.5	22.8	21.9	21.7	21.9	19.1	22.7	
	50-City Average	27.0	27.8	27.7	26.5	24.5	23.4	23.7	23.6	23.7	23.2	22.7	22.5	21.8	21.4	21.1	
Percent of total births to unmarried women	Des Moines, IA	32.7	34.6	35.3	34.8	35.4	35.1	36.3	35.6	38.5	37.5	38.6	40.1	39.6	41.2	41.3	
	50-City Average	40.8	42.8	43.5	44.6	43.9	42.8	42.7	43.0	43.3	43.5	43.4	43.4	43.9	44.3	45.2	
Percent of total births to mothers with less than 12 years of education	Des Moines, IA	19.5	19.9	20.5	20.1	18.5	18.4	21.0	20.8	21.4	21.5	23.2	24.5	23.5	24.3	23.1	
	Multi-city Average***	28.9	29.6	29.2	28.9	28.6	28.1	28.0	27.7	27.4	27.4	27.4	27.5	27.3	27.6	27.9	
Percent of total births to mothers receiving late or no prenatal care	Des Moines, IA	2.6	3.5	4.2	3.6	3.1	4.1	4.8	3.9	3.7	3.6	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.3	
	Multi-city Average***	8.6	8.1	7.3	6.9	6.0	5.7	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.2	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.8	
Percent of total births to mothers who smoked during pregnancy	Des Moines, IA	31.0	27.7	26.1	24.0	23.7	22.9	24.8	23.7	24.4	24.2	21.4	21.2	19.5	18.9	19.0	
	Multi-city Average***	17.7	17.0	16.0	14.9	13.9	12.7	11.9	11.2	10.8	10.4	9.6	9.4	8.8	8.0	8.0	
Percent low-birthweight births (less than 5.5 lbs)	Des Moines, IA	6.7	7.8	7.4	6.6	6.9	6.9	7.4	7.5	7.2	7.4	7.0	7.4	7.3	7.8	7.8	
	50-City Average	8.6	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.1	
Percent preterm births (less than 37 completed weeks of gestation)	Des Moines, IA	10.5	10.5	11.2	10.1	10.8	11.6	11.4	13.2	12.5	11.9	12.6	12.9	12.8	13.3	12.9	
	50-City Average	12.7	12.8	12.6	12.9	12.8	12.5	12.3	12.6	12.9	12.9	12.7	13.1	13.0	13.3	13.4	
Percent of births to foreign-born mothers	Des Moines, IA	4.4	5.5	5.6	7.2	8.5	10.0	12.5	13.1	13.3	15.6	15.1	18.1	17.3	18.8	20.4	
	50 -City Average	19.7	20.6	21.6	22.5	23.9	24.2	25.3	25.8	26.0	27.0	28.5	29.7	30.6	30.9	31.3	
Number of births by Race and Ethnicity of mother	Des Moines, IA**	White non-Hispanic	3,154	3,116	3,119	2,932	2,865	2,757	2,616	2,477	2,457	2,416	2,536	2,499	2,454	2,399	2,296
		Black non-Hispanic	329	357	325	315	285	284	253	303	291	294	344	358	343	379	379
		Hispanic	96	111	131	134	150	179	274	313	338	365	399	471	468	496	535
		Other	120	132	137	150	148	266	389	313	307	332	220	191	180	182	193
		Total	3,699	3,716	3,712	3,531	3,448	3,486	3,532	3,406	3,393	3,407	3,499	3,519	3,445	3,456	3,403

*For a complete definition and a list of sources for each of the nine indicators, please see *Definitions, Data Sources, and Reporting Issues*.

**The Other category consists of Asian-Pacific Islanders, American Indians, and whites and blacks where Hispanic origin is unknown.

***For 1990-2002, the Multi-city Average is the 50-City Average. For 2003 and 2004, the Multi-city average is restricted to those cities in states that did not adopt the 2003 revised birth certificate.