

TABLE 28: Birth Defects - Number and Rate, 2005 and 2001-2005

Type of Defect*	2005		2001-2005	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Central Nervous System:				
Anencephalus	6	0.23	37	0.29
Spina bifida	22	0.84	86	0.67
Hydrocephalus	12	0.46	115	0.89
Other central nervous system defects	51	1.94	292	2.26
Defects of Eye	12	0.46	156	1.21
Defects of Ear, Face, Neck	16	0.61	234	1.81
Circulatory System:				
Transposition of great vessels	27	1.03	69	0.53
Ventricular septal defect	63	2.40	306	2.37
Atrial septal defect	49	1.86	247	1.91
Other heart defects	156	5.94	731	5.65
Patent ductus arteriosus	57	2.17	301	2.33
Coarctation of aorta	18	0.69	71	0.55
Other circulatory system defects	55	2.09	337	2.61
Defects of Respiratory System	27	1.03	160	1.24
Craniofacial:				
Cleft palate	13	0.49	57	0.44
Cleft lip	9	0.34	46	0.36
Cleft palate with cleft lip	10	0.38	81	0.63
Digestive System:				
Pyloric stenosis	62	2.36	229	1.77
Tracheo-esophageal fistula	5	0.19	30	0.23
Other upper alimentary defects	11	0.42	88	0.68
Other abdominal cavity defects	14	0.53	82	0.63
Other digestive defects	42	1.60	274	2.12
Genitourinary System:				
Hypospadias	46	1.75	284	2.20
Renal agenesis	5	0.19	64	0.49
Cystic kidney disease	4	0.15	54	0.42
Other genitourinary defects	76	2.89	600	4.64
Musculoskeletal System:				
Club foot	40	1.52	254	1.96
Polydactyly	28	1.07	207	1.60
Syndactyly	8	0.30	94	0.73
Reduction deformity	18	0.69	81	0.63
Dislocated hips	13	0.49	99	0.77
Omphalocele	5	0.19	29	0.22
Gastrochisis	10	0.38	51	0.39
Other musculoskeletal defects	95	3.62	1,360	10.52

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TABLE 28: Birth Defects - Number and Rate, 2005 and 2001-2005 (Cont'd)

Type of Defect*	2005		2001-2005	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Defects of Skin, Hair, Nails	27	1.03	242	1.87
Defects of Metabolic and Blood Systems:	1	0.04	20	0.15
Multiple Systems:				
Down's syndrome	31	1.18	217	1.68
Other chromosomal syndromes	26	0.99	225	1.74
Other multiple system defects	9	0.34	74	0.57
Other and Unspecified Defects	37		274	
Total Defects	1,216		8,258	
Total Cases**	691	26.30	4,814	37.23

* Classified according to the British Pediatric Association (BPA) Classification of Disease and World Health Organization's 1979 International Classification of Diseases, 9th Revision, Clinical Modification (ICD-9-CM), with modifications developed by the National Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

** Includes all cases reported through January 8, 2008.

Rate per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths

NOTE: Some variance between years may be caused by a change in the coding classification.