

**North Carolina
Pregnancies and Pregnancy Outcomes
Adolescents Aged 10 to 19
1978-2006**



Total Number of Pregnancies, 2006:	19,597
Total Number of Live Births, 2006:	14,931
Total Number of Abortions, 2006:	4,541
Total Number of Fetal Deaths, 2006:	125

Year	Pregnancies	Live Births	Abortions	Fetal Deaths¹
2006	19,597	14,931	4,541	125
2005	18,727	14,175	4,439	113
2004	18,615	13,840	4,664	111
2003	17,883	13,430	4,285	118
2002	18,457	14,052	4,279	126
2001	19,377	14,600	4,655	122
2000	20,492	15,678	4,665	149
1999	20,515	15,390	4,986	139
1998	21,641	15,653	5,832	156
1997	21,188	15,350	5,683	155
1996	22,095	15,677	6,242	176
1995	22,262	15,466	6,655	141
1994	23,011	15,667	7,172	162
1993	23,040	15,537	7,342	161
1992	23,711	16,011	7,515	185
1991	25,068	16,516	8,388	164
1990	26,204	16,830	9,190	184
1989	26,700	16,691	9,849	175
1988	26,268	15,468	10,624	176
1987	25,054	14,707	10,208	139
1986	24,460	14,351	9,962	147
1985	24,421	14,319	9,943	159
1984	24,848	14,199	10,499	150
1983	24,491	14,410	9,930	151
1982	24,672	15,203	9,305	164
1981	25,199	15,164	9,813	222
1980	26,429	16,187	10,058	184
1979	26,464	16,725	9,515	224
1978	26,339	17,355	8,774	230

Data Source: NC DHHS, Division of Public Health, State Center for Health Statistics

¹ Spontaneous abortions before 20 weeks gestation are not reported. After 20 weeks gestation spontaneous abortions are considered fetal deaths.

**North Carolina
Pregnancy, Live Birth, and Abortion Rates Per 1,000
Adolescents Aged 10 to 14 and 15 to 19
1978-2006**

Year	Pregnancy Rate		Abortion Rate		Live Birth Rate	
	10-14	15-19	10-14	15-19	10-14	15-19
2006	1.4	63.1	*	14.5	*	48.3
2005	1.6	61.7	*	14.3	*	47.0
2004	1.7	62.4	*	15.4	*	46.6
2003	1.6	61.0	*	14.4	*	46.2
2002	1.7	64.1	*	14.6	*	49.0
2001	1.7	69.3	0.7	16.4	1.0	52.5
2000	2.1	76.1	0.8	17.0	1.2	58.5
1999	2.3	79.5	0.9	19.0	1.4	60.0
1998	2.4	85.5	1.0	22.7	1.3	62.3
1997	2.4	85.5	1.0	22.6	1.4	62.3
1996	2.8	89.8	1.1	25.1	1.7	64.0
1995	3.2	91.4	1.3	27.0	1.9	63.9
1994	3.5	95.4	1.5	29.4	2.0	65.3
1993	3.3	96.4	1.3	30.5	2.0	65.2
1992	3.3	98.3	1.6	30.7	1.7	66.8
1991	3.6	101.1	1.7	33.4	1.9	67.0
1990	3.7	105.4	1.8	36.5	1.9	68.1
1989	3.8	101.4	1.9	37.0	2.0	63.7
1988	3.7	100.4	2.0	40.1	1.6	59.6
1987	3.5	96.2	2.0	38.7	1.5	57.0
1986	3.9	94.0	2.3	37.6	1.6	55.8
1985	3.8	95.1	2.3	38.1	1.5	56.5
1984	4.0	95.3	2.4	39.6	1.6	55.1
1983	3.5	93.7	2.2	36.9	1.4	55.1
1982	3.1	92.3	1.7	34.1	1.4	56.9
1981	3.3	91.5	1.7	35.2	1.5	55.3
1980	3.4	95.7	1.8	35.0	1.6	57.5
1979	3.9	97.8	1.9	33.2	1.9	59.7
1978	3.4	97.8	1.8	30.8	1.6	62.6

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