

Delta County Births and Deaths 2008

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Selected birth characteristics: Delta County residents, 2008

Characteristic	Number	Percent
Total Live Births	351	100.0
Age of Mother		
10-17	15	4.3
18-19	38	10.8
20-29	216	61.5
30+	82	23.4
Low Weight Births (<2,500 Grams)	43	12.3
Very Low Weight Births (<1,500 Grams)	5	1.4
Prenatal Care Later than 1st Trimester/No Care	106	30.7
No Prenatal Care	8	2.3
Preterm Births (<37 Weeks)	38	10.9
Education of Mother <High School Diploma/GED	91	26.4
Live Births to Unmarried Women	114	32.7
Smoking During Pregnancy	64	18.3

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Percentages are of total births, excluding cases with specific characteristics unknown.

See technical notes at www.cdphe.state.co.us/hs for definitions of data items.

Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Selected birth characteristics by age group of mother: Delta County residents, 2008

Characteristic	All Ages		10-17		18-19		20-29		30+	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Live Births	351	100.0	15	100.0	38	100.0	216	100.0	82	100.0
Race/Ethnicity of Mother										
White Non-Hispanic	269	76.9	8	53.3	25	65.8	169	78.2	67	82.7
White Hispanic	74	21.1	7	46.7	12	31.6	42	19.4	13	16.0
Black	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other	7	2.0	0	0.0	*	*	5	2.3	*	*
Low Weight Births (<2,500 Grams)	43	12.3	4	26.7	6	15.8	26	12.0	7	8.5
Very Low Weight Births (<1,500 Grams)	5	1.4	*	*	*	*	*	*	0	0.0
Prenatal Care Later than 1st Trimester/No Care	106	30.7	7	46.7	15	39.5	58	27.6	26	31.7
No Prenatal Care	8	2.3	*	*	0	0.0	4	1.9	3	3.7
Preterm Births (<37 Weeks)	38	10.9	*	*	5	13.2	22	10.2	9	11.1
Education of Mother <High School Diploma/GED	91	26.4	13	86.7	15	39.5	49	23.1	14	17.5
Live Births to Unmarried Women	114	32.5	12	80.0	27	71.1	64	29.6	11	13.4
Smoking During Pregnancy	64	18.3	4	26.7	10	26.3	44	20.6	6	7.3

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Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Selected birth characteristics by race/ethnicity of mother: Delta County residents, 2008

Characteristic	White Non-Hispanic		White Hispanic		Black		Asian American/Pacific Islander		American Indian/Native Alaskan	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Live Births	269	100.0	74	100.0	0	0.0	*	*	4	100.0
Age of Mother										
10-17	8	3.0	7	9.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
18-19	25	9.3	12	16.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
20-29	169	62.8	42	56.8	0	0.0	*	*	3	75.0
30+	67	24.9	13	17.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Low Weight Births (<2,500 Grams)	29	10.8	13	17.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Very Low Weight Births (<1,500 Grams)	*	*	3	4.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Prenatal Care Later than 1st Trimester/No Care	72	27.2	33	45.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
No Prenatal Care	6	2.3	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Preterm Births (<37 Weeks)	23	8.6	14	18.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Education of Mother <High School Diploma/GED	48	18.0	38	54.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Live Births to Unmarried Women	72	26.8	40	54.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Smoking During Pregnancy	53	19.9	9	12.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*

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Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Live births and fertility rates with 95% confidence limits by age group of mother: Delta County residents, 2008

Age Group	Births	Population	Fertility Rate	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
All Ages	351	5,348	65.6	58.9	72.4
Teen Age Groups		*			
13-14	*	392	*	*	*
15-17	14	625	22.4	10.0	34.8
18-19	38	441	86.2	58.8	113.5
10-17	15	1,629	9.2	4.3	14.2
10-19	53	2,070	25.6	18.6	32.6
All Age Groups		*			
10-14	*	1,004	*	*	*
15-19	52	1,066	48.8	35.4	62.2
20-24	126	932	135.2	112.7	157.7
25-29	90	772	116.6	93.3	139.9
30-34	52	801	64.9	47.2	82.6
35-39	22	881	25.0	14.1	35.8
40-49	8	2,027	3.9	1.0	6.9

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Rates are live births per 1,000 female population in each age group.

Population data for 'all ages' are females ages 15-44.

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Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Vital statistics summary: Delta County residents, 1998, 2004-2008

	1998	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2004-2008 Annual Average
Total Population	26,827	30,091	30,205	30,572	30,963	31,595	30,685
Total Births							
Number	313	350	338	344	364	351	349
Birth Rate	11.7	11.6	11.2	11.3	11.8	11.1	11.4
General Fertility Rate	70.7	68.6	66.4	66.9	69.8	65.6	67.5
Age of Mother 10-17							
Number	17	19	14	11	15	15	15
Percent of Total Births	5.4	5.4	4.1	3.2	4.1	4.3	4.2
Fertility Rate	11.2	11.8	8.6	6.8	9.2	9.2	9.1
Low Weight Births (<2,500 Grams)							
Number	16	37	26	21	31	43	32
Percent	5.1	10.6	7.7	6.1	8.5	12.3	9.0
Prenatal Care Later Than 1st Trimester/No Care							
Number	68	85	97	103	127	106	104
Percent	21.8	26.6	30.5	32.2	35.1	30.7	31.1
Births to Unmarried Women							
Number	77	109	76	102	96	114	
Percent	24.6	31.1	22.5	29.7	26.4	32.5	
Mother's Education <12 Years							
Number	82	95	77	75	79	91	
Percent	26.4	28.0	23.4	22.6	21.7	25.9	
Infant Deaths							
Number	0	3	0	*	0	*	*
Rate	0.0	8.6	0.0	*	0.0	*	*
Neonatal Deaths							
Number	0	*	0	*	0	*	*
Rate	0.0	*	0.0	*	0.0	*	*
Total Deaths							
Number	304	278	331	323	336	363	326
Crude Rate	1133.2	923.9	1095.8	1056.5	1085.2	1148.9	1063.1
Age-Adjusted Rate	776.0	650.6	755.1	733.0	752.4	805.5	740.4
Cardiovascular Disease							
Number	114	88	106	119	104	124	108
Age-Adjusted Rate	277.1	198.7	227.9	256.9	224.9	264.0	234.8
Heart Disease							
Number	92	63	84	101	75	95	84
Age-Adjusted Rate	226.0	139.5	181.0	218.2	163.9	204.4	181.7

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Age-adjusted rates are adjusted to the 2000 U.S. population using the direct method applied to 10-year age groups.

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Vital statistics summary: Delta County residents, 1998, 2004-2008

	1998	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2004-2008 Annual Average
Cerebrovascular Disease							
Number	19	17	14	14	20	22	17
Age-Adjusted Rate	44.3	39.3	29.7	30.2	42.3	44.8	37.3
Malignant Neoplasms							
Number	63	64	65	60	70	76	67
Age-Adjusted Rate	162.1	145.2	149.1	132.9	160.1	167.7	151.0
Lung Cancer							
Number	19	17	12	16	17	25	17
Age-Adjusted Rate	47.0	38.6	26.6	35.1	38.5	54.6	38.7
Breast Cancer							
Number	4	3	5	3	5	*	3
Age-Adjusted Rate	13.1	6.7	16.5	6.7	11.3	*	8.6
Total Unintentional Injuries							
Number	22	14	18	19	21	20	18
Age-Adjusted Rate	74.6	41.9	57.4	61.1	63.7	54.7	55.9
Motor Vehicle							
Number	7	5	10	9	7	10	8
Age-Adjusted Rate	30.8	14.2	34.3	31.0	22.9	25.8	25.7
Other Unintentional Injuries							
Number	15	9	8	10	14	10	10
Age-Adjusted Rate	43.8	27.7	23.1	30.1	40.7	29.0	30.2
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases							
Number	23	18	28	16	25	24	22
Age-Adjusted Rate	54.5	40.8	61.0	34.8	53.5	50.1	48.1
Suicide							
Number	4	4	*	3	6	6	4
Age-Adjusted Rate	13.1	15.2	*	8.5	15.9	18.7	13.1
Homicide and Legal Intervention							
Number	0	*	0	*	*	*	*
Age-Adjusted Rate	0.0	*	0.0	*	*	*	*
Work-Related Injury							
Number	*	0	*	*	*	*	*
Age-Adjusted Rate	*	0.0	*	*	*	*	*

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Deaths from selected causes by race/ethnicity: Delta County residents, 2008

Cause of Death	All Races		White Non-Hispanic		White Hispanic		Black		Asian American/Pacific Islander		American Indian/Native Alaskan	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	363	100.0	341	100.0	20	100.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Cardiovascular Disease	124	34.2	115	33.7	8	40.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Heart Disease	95	26.2	90	26.4	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	22	6.1	18	5.3	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Atherosclerosis	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Malignant Neoplasms	76	20.9	72	21.1	4	20.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lung Cancer	25	6.9	25	7.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Breast Cancer	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	24	6.6	23	6.7	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Unintentional Injuries	20	5.5	19	5.6	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Motor Vehicle	10	2.8	10	2.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other Unintentional Injuries	10	2.8	9	2.6	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Pneumonia and Influenza	14	3.9	14	4.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Suicide	6	1.7	6	1.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Diabetes Mellitus	8	2.2	7	2.1	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HIV Infection	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	6	1.7	5	1.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Alzheimer's Disease	10	2.8	10	2.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Nephritis, Nephrosis, Nephrotic Syndrome	6	1.7	6	1.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Homicide and Legal Intervention	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Septicemia	3	0.8	3	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Congenital Anomalies	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Perinatal Period Conditions	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
All Other	62	17.1	57	16.7	5	25.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Injury by Firearm	3	0.8	3	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Drug-Induced Deaths	3	0.8	3	0.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Alcohol-Induced Deaths	6	1.7	4	1.2	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Work-Related Injury (Y/N Check Death Certificate)	*	*	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

* indicates one or two events in the category.

Percentages are of total deaths of each race/ethnicity category.

Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Deaths and age-specific death rates: Delta County residents, 2008

Age Group	Deaths	Population	Age-Specific Death Rate
	Age Group	Age Group	Age Group
All Ages	363	31,595	11.5
Infant	*	351	*
Neonatal	*	351	*
1-4	*	1,441	*
5-9	*	1,877	*
10-14	*	2,039	*
15-19	0	2,176	0.0
20-24	4	2,027	2.0
25-29	*	1,655	*
30-34	*	1,703	*
35-39	7	1,836	3.8
40-44	*	1,849	*
45-49	7	2,288	3.1
50-54	8	2,259	3.5
55-59	15	2,184	6.9
60-64	23	1,960	11.7
65-69	25	1,650	15.2
70-74	40	1,420	28.2
75-79	45	1,206	37.3
80-84	49	859	57.0
85+	129	801	161.0
1-14	4	5,357	0.7
15-24	4	4,203	1.0
25-64	65	15,734	4.1
65+	288	5,936	48.5

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Infant death is death in the first year of life. Neonatal death is death occurring prior to the 28th day of life.

Infant and neonatal mortality rates are per 1,000 live births. Other death rates are per 1,000 population of the age group. Population figures for infant and neonatal groups are live births.

Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Deaths and age-specific death rates from selected causes: Delta County residents, 2008

Cause of Death	<1		1-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+	
	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate	N	Rate
All Causes	*	*	4	0.7	4	1.0	12	1.7	53	6.1	288	48.5
Cardiovascular Disease	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	12	1.4	107	18.0
Heart Disease	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	10	1.2	80	13.5
Cerebrovascular Disease	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	21	3.5
Atherosclerosis	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	*	*
Malignant Neoplasms	0	0.0	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	1.6	60	10.1
Lung Cancer	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	23	3.9
Breast Cancer	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.5	20	3.4
Unintentional Injuries	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	4	0.6	4	0.5	9	1.5
Motor Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	3	0.3	4	0.7
Other Unintentional Injuries	0	0.0	*	*	0	0.0	3	0.4	*	*	5	0.8
Pneumonia and Influenza	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	13	2.2
Suicide	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	*	*
Diabetes Mellitus	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	7	1.2
HIV Infection	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.5	*	*
Alzheimer's Disease	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	1.7
Nephritis, Nephrosis, Nephrotic Syndrome	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	5	0.8
Homicide and Legal Intervention	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Septicemia	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	0	0.0	*	*
Congenital Anomalies	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*
Perinatal Period Conditions	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
All Other	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.4	10	1.2	49	8.3
Injury by Firearm	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	0	0.0	*	*
Drug-Induced Deaths	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	*	*	0	0.0
Alcohol-Induced Deaths	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	5	0.6	0	0.0
Work-Related Injury (Y/N Check Death Certificate)	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	*	*	0	0.0	0	0.0

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Infant (<1 year) mortality rates are per 1,000 live births.

Other rates are deaths per 1,000 population of the age group.

Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

**Deaths, crude death rates and age-adjusted death rates with 95% confidence limits from selected causes:
Delta County residents, 2008**

Cause of Death	N	Rate	Age-Adjusted Rate	Lower Limit	Upper Limit
All Causes	363	1,148.9	805.5	723.0	888.0
Cardiovascular Disease	124	392.5	264.0	217.6	310.5
Heart Disease	95	300.7	204.4	163.0	245.7
Cerebrovascular Disease	22	69.6	44.8	26.2	63.5
Atherosclerosis	*	*	*	*	*
Malignant Neoplasms	76	240.5	167.7	129.8	205.6
Lung Cancer	25	79.1	54.6	33.2	76.0
Breast Cancer	*	*	*	*	*
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	24	76.0	50.1	30.1	70.2
Unintentional Injuries	20	63.3	54.7	29.4	80.1
Motor Vehicle	10	31.7	25.8	11.1	46.5
Other Unintentional Injuries	10	31.7	29.0	13.2	50.8
Pneumonia and Influenza	14	44.3	27.7	13.3	42.2
Suicide	6	19.0	18.7	6.7	36.8
Diabetes Mellitus	8	25.3	16.8	5.5	34.1
HIV Infection	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis	6	19.0	15.3	4.7	32.0
Alzheimer's Disease	10	31.7	19.6	7.2	38.0
Nephritis, Nephrosis, Nephrotic Syndrome	6	19.0	12.0	3.0	27.1
Homicide and Legal Intervention	*	*	*	*	*
Septicemia	3	9.5	8.1	1.2	21.1
Congenital Anomalies	*	*	*	*	*
Perinatal Period Conditions	*	*	*	*	*
All Other	62	196.2	139.0	103.5	174.4
Injury by Firearm	3	9.5	8.4	1.3	21.6
Drug-Induced Deaths	3	9.5	10.9	2.4	25.6
Alcohol-Induced Deaths	6	19.0	18.4	6.4	36.5
Work-Related Injury (Y/N Check Death Certificate)	*	*	*	*	*

** indicates one or two events in the category.*

Rates are deaths per 100,000 population.

Crude death rates are calculated without age-adjustment.

Age-adjusted rates are adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population using the direct method applied to 10-year age groups.

Age-adjusted rates provide a better basis for comparison among different geographical areas or time periods.

Source: Health Statistics Section, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

Notes Regarding Colorado's Revised Certificate of Live Birth

These tables contain Colorado birth data that were collected using the 1989 Revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth (unrevised) and the 2003 Revision of the U.S. Standard Certificate of Live Birth (revised)^{1,2,3}. Colorado's birth registration system used the unrevised certificate for births through calendar year 2006; while births in 2007 through the present were registered using the revised certificate. Among the differences in the revised birth certificate are changes to the following data items:

- Mother's and father's race, captures multiple race identification instead of single race identification
- Mother's and father's education, captures highest degree attained instead of total years of education
- Mother's marital status at time of birth, captures never married, married, widowed, separated, and divorced instead of just married or unmarried
- Cigarette smoking before and during pregnancy, captures levels of smoking in each trimester instead of just smoking any time during pregnancy

And the addition of the following data items:

- Method of delivery includes fetal presentation and trial of labor prior to cesarean delivery
- Pre-pregnancy weight, weight at delivery and height, used to calculate Body Mass Index
- Congenital anomalies, certain conditions have been added or removed
- Fertility therapy
- Did mother get WIC food for herself during this pregnancy
- Infections during pregnancy
- Maternal morbidity
- Breast feeding
- Principal source of payment for the delivery

Data items noted above that were collected using both the unrevised certificate and the revised certificate are not directly comparable. Analyses of birth data for time periods that include both revised and unrevised data should be performed with caution.

To facilitate analyses of births by race, the multiple race identification in revised certificates has been bridged back to a single race using a system developed by the National Center for Health Statistics at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention⁴. *Please note*, however, that there has been an increase in the number of births reported with "other" or "unknown" maternal and paternal race and/or Hispanic ethnicity beginning in 2007 compared to previous years. This is likely attributable to the change to the revised certificate.

The Health Statistics Section at the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment is available to assist with analyses of these data, as well as to answer questions one might have regarding the revised certificate and the affected data items. For further information or assistance, please contact the Health Statistics Section at **(303) 692-2160** or by e-mail at health.statistics@state.co.us.

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