

MATERNAL HEALTH



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In 2020, about 1 in 11 women of childbearing age was uninsured in Indiana.

In 2017, the birth rate for ages 15-19 was 22.8 per 1,000 females. Black women are already 3X more likely to die of pregnancy related causes than white women.

MATERNAL MORTALITY

Between 2012 and 2016, Black mothers had the highest rate of pregnancy related mortality at 37 deaths per 100,000 live births.

In 2020, Indiana's maternal mortality rate was 38.2 per 100,000 live births. The national rate was 23.8 deaths per 100,000 live births.



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INFANT HEALTH



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Indiana has the 8th highest infant mortality rate in the US.

In Indiana, 38.5% of parents are on Medicaid at the time of the infant's birth.

In 2013, birth defects accounted for about 1 in 5 infant deaths in Indiana.

INFANT MORTALITY

In 2019, 527 Hoosier babies died before their 1st birthday.

In 2017, 48% of infant mortalities in Indiana are a result of perinatal risks.

In Indiana, the Black infant mortality rate was almost double the White and Hispanic rates.



In 2020, 1 in 10 babies was born preterm in Indiana.



EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT



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Over half of families are spending more than 20% of income on child care in the US.

In 2020, 41.1% of Indiana children ages 3 to 4 were enrolled in preschool. Just over 46% of the state's early learning capacity is considered high quality.

CHILDCARE

In Indiana, the capacity of licensed childcare centers and homes only covers 12% of the state's 245,000 infants and toddlers.

In 2021, the cost of raising a child to the age of 17 in Indiana was around \$227,400.



As of 2021, 55% of Indiana residents live in a child care desert.

ADOLESCENT DEVELOPMENT



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- In 2020, Indiana was ranked 13th in the nation in teen birth rate among girls ages 15-19.
- In 2020, 26% of Indiana adolescents (13-19) were diagnosed with a sexually transmitted.

In 2020, 10% of Indiana high school students attempted suicide one or more times during last 12 months .
40% of injury deaths for Indiana adolescents aged 15-18 were transportation-related in 2020.



In 2020, the college-going rate was 53% in Indiana compared to 63%, nationally.

CURRENT STATE OF HOOSIER FAMILIES



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INFANT HEALTH

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HOW YOU CAN HELP:



**TELL INDIANA LEGISLATORS TO
OPPOSE ANY ATTEMPTS TO REMOVE
REPRODUCTIVE HEALTHCARE RIGHTS
FOR HOOSIERS!**

[Click here](#) to contact your legislator in the Indiana State Senate TODAY and ask them to oppose any legislation that would restrict reproductive healthcare rights for Hoosiers.



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT THE PROPOSED ABORTION BILL IN INDIANA



Access the full text of the bill at:

<http://iga.in.gov/legislative/2022ss1/bills/senate/1>

The bill currently as written would ban nearly all access to abortions in the state of Indiana. The bill provides exceptions for cases involving **rape, incest, fatal fetal abnormalities, and where the life of the mother is in danger.**

If the bill passes in its current form, Indiana would be home to one of the greatest restrictions to abortion in the US.

