## TEENAGE VITAL STATISTICS DATA

**BY DISTRICT OF RESIDENCE AND RACE OF MOTHER**

**MISSISSIPPI, 1997**

### DISTRICT: STATE TOTAL

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### FERTILITY RATE

- **TEENAGE FERTILITY RATE:** 39.7 (15-19) 26.8 (15-19) 26.8 (15-19)
- **TEENAGE FETAL DEATHS:** 150 (15-19) 33 (15-19) 117 (15-19)
- **TEENAGE FETAL DEATH RATIO:** 17.5 (15-19) 10.6 (15-19) 21.4 (15-19)

### INDUCED TERMINATIONS

- **TEENAGE INDUCED TERMINATIONS:** 1,264 (15-19) 550 (15-19) 711 (15-19)
- **TEENAGE INDUCED TERMINATION RATIO:** 147.4 (15-19) 177.5 (15-19) 129.8 (15-19)

### PREGNANCIES

- **TEENAGE PREGNANCIES:** 9,989 (15-19) 3,681 (15-19) 6,305 (15-19)
- **TEENAGE PREGNANCY RATE:** 46.2 (15-19) 12.5 (15-19) 12.5 (15-19)

### INFANT DEATHS TO TEENAGE MOTHERS

- **INFANT DEATHS TO TEENAGE MOTHERS:** 107 (15-19) 19 (15-19) 88 (15-19)
- **INFANT MORTALITY RATE, TEEN MOMS:** 12.5 (15-19) 12.5 (15-19) 12.5 (15-19)

**DEFINITIONS:**

- IMMATURE=BIRTHWEIGHT LESS THAN 2,500 GRAMS
- PREMATURE=GESTATION LESS THAN 37 WEEKS
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