# TEENAGE VITAL STATISTICS DATA
## RESIDENTS OF MISSISSIPPI, 1999

### STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

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<tr>
<th>Race</th>
<th>Population Total</th>
<th>Females Ages All Ages</th>
<th>Females Ages 10-19</th>
<th>Females Ages 10-14</th>
<th>Females Ages 15-19</th>
<th>Live Births Total</th>
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<th>Nonwhite</th>
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<td>2,768,619</td>
<td>214,252</td>
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<td>59,029</td>
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<td>White</td>
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### All Races

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<th>Category</th>
<th>TEENS 10-14</th>
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<tr>
<td>Teenage Births</td>
<td>8,405</td>
<td>209</td>
<td>2,964</td>
<td>5,232</td>
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<td>Teenage Immature Births</td>
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<td>37</td>
<td>395</td>
<td>589</td>
<td>283</td>
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<td>Teenage Premature Births</td>
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<td>59</td>
<td>615</td>
<td>817</td>
<td>403</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>143</td>
<td>249</td>
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- **Teenage Premature Births:** Births with gestation less than 37 weeks.
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- **Teenage Fertility Rate:** Live births to females aged 10-19 per 1,000 females aged 15-19.
- **Teenage Fetal Deaths:** Fetal deaths to females aged 10-19.
- **Teenage Induced Terminations:** Induced terminations to females aged 10-19.
- **Teenage Pregnancy Rate:** Pregnancies to females aged 10-19 per 1,000 females aged 15-19.
- **Infant Deaths to Teenage Mothers:** Deaths to infants born to mothers aged 10-19.
- **Infant Mortality Rate, Teen Moms:** Mortality rate of infants born to mothers aged 10-19.

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* According to the Kessner Index.

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## Rate/Ratio Not Calculated Because There Were No Live Births to Mothers in This Age/Race Group.