



Birth & Delivery Statistics from all Birthing Centres

Annual Summary Report: 2000

Number of Infants: 4377

Number of Deliveries: 4311

DATA ANALYSED ACCORDING TO MOTHER

Primipara: 2033
Multipara: 2278
Triplet births: 3
Quadruplet births: 0

Age group of mother

<20 yrs: 240
20-44 yrs: 4037
45 & over: 4
Unspecified: 30

Recorded Cigarette smoking during pregnancy

None: 3905
1 to 3/day: 69
More than 3/day: 314
Unspecified: 23

Recorded alcohol during pregnancy

None: 4295
Up to 1 unit/day: 3
More than 1 unit/day: 2
Unspecified: 11

Recorded Drug abuse during pregnancy

none: 4285
Yes: 13
Unspecified: 13

Pathology recorded during pregnancy

Antepartum Haemorrhage:

None: 4225

Yes: 79
Unspecified: 7

Gestational hypertention:

None: 4019
Yes: 283
Unspecified: 9

Pre-eclampsia:

None: 4284
Yes: 21
Unspecified: 6

Placenta previa:

None: 4281
Yes: 23
Unspecified: 7

Abruptio of placenta:

None: 4287
Yes: 16
Unspecified: 8

Assisted fertilization (ART):

None: 4264
Yes: 39
Unspecified: 8

Cardiovascular disease:

None: 4276
Yes: 9
Unspecified: 26

Diabetes in pregnancy

IDDM before pregnancy:

None: 4289
Yes: 12
Unspecified: 10

NIDDM before pregnancy:

None: 4301
Yes: 3
Unspecified: 7

Pre-conceptional treatment for DM:

None:	4289
Yes:	12
DM not diagnosed before pregnancy:	1
Unspecified:	9

Vascular complications of DM:

None:	4302
Yes:	0
Unspecified:	9

Gestational diabetes:

None:	4271
Yes, not treated with insulin:	31
Yes, treated with insulin:	2
Unspecified:	7

DATA ANALYSED ACCORDING TO BIRTHS

Multiple Births

Singleton births:	4246
Twin births:	128
Triplet births:	3
Quadruplet births:	0

Premature Births

Births at less than 32 wks gestation:	34
Births at 32 to 36 wks gestation:	236
Unspecified:	2

Births outcome

Babies alive after 28 days:	4336
Early neonatal deaths:	19
Late neonatal deaths:	6
Stillbirths:	16

Births according to type of delivery

Infants born by vertex delivery:	3149
Infants delivered by elective CS before labour:	439
Infants delivered by emergency CS before labour:	56
Infants delivered by elective CS during labour:	20
Infants delivered by emergency CS during labour:	530
Deliveries assisted by forceps:	24
Deliveries assisted by ventouse:	149
Breech deliveries:	10

Birthweight (grams)

below 500g:	4
500g-999g:	15
1000g - 1499g:	14
1500g - 1999g:	51
2000g - 2499g:	181
2500g - 2999g:	861
3000g - 3499g:	1824
3500g - 3999g:	1146
4000g - 4499g:	231
4500g - 4999g:	43
5000g or more:	0
Unrecorded:	7
Average birth weight:	3263g

Gender of infants

Male:	2169
Female:	2205
Inderminate:	1
Unreported:	2

Infants diagnosed with Respiratory Distress Syndrome (RDS)/Hyaline Membrane Disease (HMD)

No RDS/HMD:	4307
With RDS/HMD:	65
Unspecified:	5

Breast-feeding within 30 mins of delivery

Infants breast-fed:	1803
Infants not breast-fed:	2571
Unspecified:	3

Infants feeding methods at time of discharge

Breast only:	2305
Bottle only:	1503
Mixed (breast & bottle):	479
Other:	25
Unspecified:	65

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