

**TABLE 1B-14  
LIVE BIRTHS ACCORDING TO SELECTED MATERNAL, PRENATAL CARE AND DELIVERY  
CHARACTERISTICS, BIRTHWEIGHT, PLURALITY, CHILD'S SEX, BIRTH ORDER,  
AND BIRTH COMPLICATIONS<sup>a</sup>, ARIZONA, 2006-2016  
(ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER MOTHERS)**

<b>Characteristic</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>
<b>Number of births</b>	3,136	3,412	3,425	3,396	3,293	3,505	3,625	3,466	3,169	3,235	3,350
<b>Age of mother</b>											
≤19 years	2.9	3.0	3.3	2.6	3.1	3.2	2.2	2.3	1.8	1.9	1.5
≥30 years	53.7	53.9	55.9	55.6	55.9	57.4	57.3	59.2	60.4	60.5	60.8
<b>Marital status</b>											
Unmarried	16.2	17.6	17.4	15.8	17.4	17.3	17.3	16.0	15.2	14.3	15.4
<b>Mother's education</b>											
<9 years	2.4	1.6	2.3	2.2	3.3	3.1	3.1	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.0
<b>Prenatal care began</b>											
1st Trimester	86.1	86.5	86.4	88.1	88.1	86.5	87.1	86.4	70.5	71.8	73.2
3rd Trimester	2.1	2.1	3.1	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.9	4.5	5.0	4.3
No Care	1.2	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.0	0.7	0.7	1.4	1.2	1.3
<b>Prenatal visits</b>											
1-4	2.0	1.8	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.6	3.6	3.1
≥5	96.5	96.6	96.2	96.4	96.7	96.2	96.8	96.6	94.5	93.9	93.7
≥9	82.7	83.9	83.2	85.6	86.7	84.2	86.2	85.6	82.3	80.6	79.8
≥13	30.3	35.3	33.5	35.6	36.0	37.9	37.2	39.2	33.7	31.6	29.9
<b>Medical risks/ Complications<sup>b</sup></b>	43.5	45.4	46.4	48.1	51.5	47.4	52.9	57.4	<b>37.9</b>	<b>42.2</b>	44.4
<b>Gestational age<sup>c</sup></b>											
Preterm (<37 weeks)	10.4	9.6	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.0	8.4	8.9	8.0	9.4	8.7
<b>Birth weight</b>											
<2,500 grams	8.5	8.0	9.1	8.8	8.5	8.3	7.2	7.9	8.1	9.0	9.3
<1,500 grams	1.1	1.0	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4
<b>Child's sex</b>											
Male	52.2	53.2	51.3	51.7	50.7	52.4	52.1	51.4	51.5	51.5	51.7
Female	47.8	46.8	48.7	48.3	49.3	47.6	47.9	48.6	48.5	48.5	48.3
<b>Plurality</b>											
Multiple births	2.7	2.3	3.6	2.9	2.5	3.3	2.5	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.7
<b>Caesarean delivery</b>	30.5	30.0	32.0	32.6	32.8	33.0	32.1	33.2	32.4	34.0	32.5
<b>Place of delivery</b>											
Hospital <sup>d</sup>	99.4	99.5	99.4	99.4	99.6	99.3	99.2	99.1	99.3	99.4	99.3
<b>Attendant at birth</b>											
Midwife <sup>e</sup>	2.1	1.7	2.7	3.0	2.8	3.1	4.0	3.3	10.0	10.4	11.1
<b>Previous live births</b>											
1 or more	53.3	54.5	52.9	54.8	55.5	54.6	55.5	56.2	53.4	54.0	54.1

Notes: <sup>a</sup> Rates per 100 births.

<sup>b</sup> Reported medical risks for this pregnancy and/or complications of labor and delivery; data for years 2014 and 2015 in bold were updated due to correction.

<sup>c</sup> Physician's estimate.

<sup>d</sup> Hospital, clinic, medical center or maternity home.

<sup>e</sup> Licensed Midwife or Certified Nurse Midwife.