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 hypertension:**
None: 4019
Yes: 283
Unspecified: 9

**Pre-eclampsia:**
None: 4284
Yes: 21
Unspecified: 6

**Placenta previa:**
None: 4281
Yes: 23
Unspecified: 7

**Abruption 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
- Indeterminate: 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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