

Table 83. Teenagers—Births and Birth Rates by Age, Race, and Hispanic Origin: 1990 to 2006

[Birth rates per 1,000 women in specified group, see text, this section. Based on race and Hispanic origin of mother]

Age, race, and Hispanic origin	Number of births					Birth rate				
	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006 ¹	1990	1995	2000	2005	2006 ¹
All races, total	²521,826	499,873	468,990	414,593	435,427	59.9	56.0	47.7	40.5	41.9
15 to 17 years old	183,327	192,508	157,209	133,191	138,920	37.5	35.5	26.9	21.4	22.0
18 and 19 years old	338,499	307,365	311,781	281,402	296,507	88.6	87.7	78.1	69.9	73.0
White	354,482	349,635	333,013	295,265	(NA)	50.8	49.5	43.2	37.0	(NA)
Black	151,613	133,694	118,954	103,905	(NA)	112.8	94.4	77.4	61.9	(NA)
American Indian, Eskimo, Aleut	(NA)	7,764	8,055	7,807	8,222	81.1	72.9	58.3	52.7	54.7
Asian or Pacific Islander . . .	(NA)	8,780	8,968	7,616	7,672	26.4	25.5	20.5	17.0	16.7
Hispanic ³	(NA)	118,449	129,469	136,906	145,651	100.3	99.3	87.3	81.7	83.0
Non-Hispanic White	(NA)	230,024	204,056	165,005	169,837	42.5	39.3	32.6	25.9	26.6
Non-Hispanic Black	(NA)	130,907	116,019	96,813	103,692	116.2	97.2	79.2	60.9	63.7

NA Not available. ¹ Preliminary data. ² Includes races other than White and Black not shown separately. ³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be any race.

Source: U.S. National Center for Health Statistics, *National Vital Statistics Reports (NVSR), Births: Final Data for 2005*, Volume 56, Number 6, December 5, 2007, and *Births: Preliminary Data for 2006, annual*, Volume 56, Number 7, December 5, 2007.