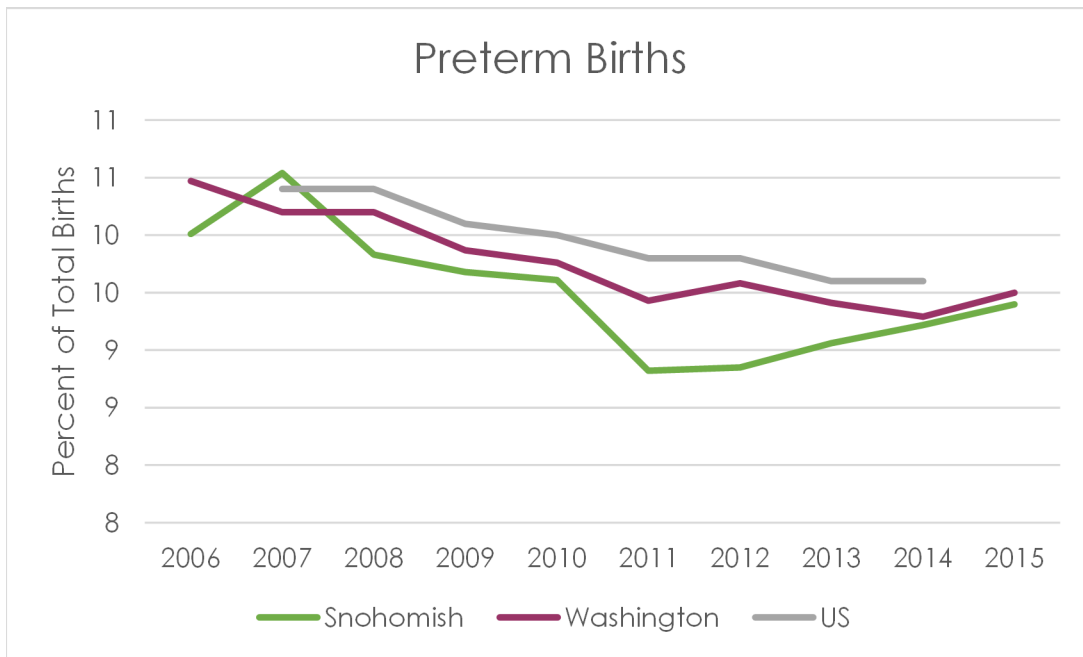




PRETERM BIRTH

Snohomish County, Washington State & US 2006-2015

Preterm births include all babies born within 37 or less weeks of gestation.



Year	SNOHOMISH				WASHINGTON		
	Preterm Births	Births	Percent of Births	95% C.I.*	Preterm Births	Births	Percent of Births
2006	895	8944	10.0	(9.4, 10.7)	9190	86004	10.5
2007	1001	9493	10.5	(9.9, 11.2)	9190	88307	10.2
2008	951	9679	9.8	(9.2, 10.5)	9358	89508	10.2
2009	885	9138	9.7	(9.1, 10.3)	8931	88615	9.9
2010	855	8896	9.6	(9.0, 10.3)	8572	85939	9.8
2011	779	8836	8.8	(8.2, 9.5)	8319	86350	9.4
2012	807	9118	8.9	(8.3, 9.5)	8506	86941	9.6
2013	847	9347	9.1	(8.5, 9.7)	8276	86108	9.4
2014	874	9480	9.2	(8.6, 9.9)	8365	88143	9.3
2015	911	9727	9.4	(8.8, 10.0)	8455	88606	9.5

95% Confidence Interval: A confidence interval is a range of values that has a specified probability of containing the rate. Narrow confidence intervals indicate that rate is precisely estimated, while wider confidence intervals indicate that the estimated rate is less precisely estimated.

Women who had missing data were omitted from the total number of births.