

**TABLE 4.01 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014
AGE OF MOTHER BY PLURALITY OF PREGNANCY**

Age of mother (years)	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Under 15	21	0.0	-	-	21	0.0
15 - 19	2,660	4.3	21	2.1	2,681	4.3
20 - 24	10,103	16.3	100	10.1	10,203	16.2
25 - 29	17,907	29.0	221	22.3	18,128	28.9
30 - 34	19,386	31.4	366	36.9	19,752	31.5
35 - 39	9,510	15.4	212	21.4	9,722	15.5
40 - 44	2,107	3.4	61	6.2	2,168	3.5
45 and over	126	0.2	10	1.0	136	0.2
Total	61,820	100.0	991	100.0	62,811	100.0

TABLE 4.02 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2013 & 2014
HOSPITAL AND HEALTH SERVICE OF USUAL RESIDENCE OF MOTHER

Hospital and Health Service	Mothers			
	2013		2014	
	No.	%	No.	%
Cairns and Hinterland	3,388	5.5	3,468	5.5
Central Queensland	3,516	5.7	3,426	5.5
Central West	161	0.3	169	0.3
Darling Downs	3,730	6.0	3,694	5.9
Gold Coast	6,024	9.7	6,604	10.5
Mackay	2,604	4.2	2,519	4.0
Metro North	11,752	18.9	11,769	18.7
Metro South	15,143	24.4	15,171	24.2
North West	602	1.0	608	1.0
South West	416	0.7	432	0.7
Sunshine Coast	3,910	6.3	3,983	6.3
Torres and Cape	474	0.8	517	0.8
Townsville	3,443	5.5	3,500	5.6
West Moreton	4,109	6.6	4,113	6.6
Wide Bay	2,301	3.7	2,225	3.5
Interstate/Overseas	611	1.0	610	0.9
Total^(a)	62,184	100.0	62,811	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Hospital and Health Service of usual residence.

TABLE 4.03 **MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**
MARITAL STATUS OF MOTHER BY PLURALITY OF PREGNANCY

Marital status of mother	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Married/defacto	53,731	86.9	855	86.2	54,586	86.9
Single	7,261	11.8	113	11.4	7,374	11.7
Separated	599	1.0	16	1.7	615	1.0
Divorced	186	0.3	4	0.4	190	0.3
Widowed	34	0.1	2	0.3	36	0.1
Total ^(a)	61,820	100.0	991	100.0	62,811	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated marital status.

**TABLE 4.04 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014
INDIGENOUS STATUS OF MOTHER**

Indigenous status of mother	Mothers	
	No.	%
Aboriginal	3,002	4.8
Torres Strait Islander	514	0.8
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	394	0.6
Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander	58,899	93.8
Total ^(a)	62,811	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.

TABLE 4.05 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014
COUNTRY OF BIRTH OF MOTHER

Country of birth of mother	Mothers	
	No.	%
Australia	46,661	74.3
Fiji	233	0.4
New Zealand	3,490	5.6
Papua New Guinea	234	0.4
Other countries in Oceania	416	0.7
South Africa	524	0.8
Other countries in Africa	1,358	2.2
Canada	214	0.3
United States of America	286	0.5
Other countries in America	450	0.7
Hong Kong	125	0.2
India	1,331	2.1
Malaysia	206	0.3
Philippines	759	1.2
Vietnam	419	0.7
Other countries in Asia	3,332	5.3
United Kingdom	1,366	2.2
Republic of Ireland	228	0.4
Germany	201	0.3
Italy	40	0.1
Netherlands	61	0.1
Other countries in Europe	864	1.4
Not stated	13	0.0
Total^(a)	62,811	100.0

(a) Includes 'Those at sea.'

**TABLE 4.06 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014
BODY MASS INDEX (BMI) BY FACILITY TYPE**

Body Mass Index (BMI)	Facility Type									
	Public Facility		Private Facility		Homebirths		Born Before Arrival		Total ^(a)	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
18 and under	1,916	4.3	487	2.8	7	7.2	22	4.7	2,432	3.9
19-24	19,345	43.0	9,111	52.8	54	55.7	219	46.9	28,729	45.7
25-29	11,939	26.5	4,717	27.4	17	17.5	119	25.5	16,792	26.7
30-34	6,209	13.8	1,832	10.6	3	3.1	50	10.7	8,094	12.9
35-39	2,959	6.6	706	4.1	1	1.0	20	4.3	3,686	5.9
40+	1,864	4.1	368	2.1			6	1.3	2,238	3.6
Total	44,999	100.0	17,247	100.0	97	100.0	467	100.0	62,811	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated BMI.