

**TABLE 5.01****MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014  
NUMBER OF ANTENATAL VISITS BY INDIGENOUS STATUS OF MOTHER**

Number of antenatal visits	Indigenous status of mother					
	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Total <sup>(a)</sup>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Less than 2	98	2.5	222	0.4	320	0.5
2 - 4	500	12.8	2,600	4.4	3,100	4.9
5 - 7	937	24.0	8,635	14.7	9,572	15.2
8 or more	2,364	60.5	47,372	80.4	49,738	79.2
<b>Total<sup>(b)</sup></b>	<b>3,910</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>58,899</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.

(b) Includes mothers with not stated number of antenatal visits.

**TABLE 5.02            MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**PARITY<sup>(a)</sup> BY AGE OF MOTHER**

Parity	Age of mother (years)							
	Under 20		20 - 34		35 and over		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
0	2,143	79.3	20,668	43.0	3,052	25.4	25,863	41.2
1	505	18.7	16,191	33.7	4,235	35.2	20,931	33.3
2	51	1.9	6,964	14.5	2,398	19.9	9,413	15.0
3	3	0.1	2,614	5.4	1,129	9.4	3,746	6.0
4	-	-	980	2.0	523	4.4	1,503	2.4
5 or more	-	-	666	1.4	689	5.7	1,355	2.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,702</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>48,083</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,026</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes pregnancies with an outcome after 20 weeks and/or 400grams.

**TABLE 5.03                      MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**SELECTED MEDICAL CONDITIONS OF MOTHER**

Condition <sup>(a)</sup>	Mothers	
	No.	%
Disorder of thyroid	1,643	2.6
Depressive disorder	1,498	2.4
Asthma	1,318	2.1
Anaemia	902	1.4
Streptococcal infection (including carrier of streptococcal and other specified bacteria)	699	1.1
Viral Hepatitis (including carrier status)	681	1.1
Active Genital Herpes	574	0.9
Substance abuse	484	0.8
Pre-existing Diabetes mellitus	432	0.7
Pre-existing Hypertension	393	0.6
Epilepsy	257	0.4
Migraine	188	0.3
Urinary tract infection (unspecified)	182	0.3
Heart Murmur	104	0.2
Influenza	39	0.1
<b>All mothers</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>-</b>

(a) Reporting of multiple conditions was permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

**TABLE 5.04**                      **MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**SELECTED PREGNANCY COMPLICATIONS**

Complication <sup>(a)</sup>	Mothers	
	No.	%
Previous uterine scar	11,099	17.7
Rupture of membranes >4 hours before onset of labour (<24 hours before labour)	9,739	15.5
Gestational diabetes	5,464	8.7
Preterm labour	5,249	8.4
Prolonged pregnancy	3,487	5.6
Hypertension complicating pregnancy (includes pre-eclampsia and eclampsia)	3,235	5.2
Breech presentation	2,623	4.2
Rupture of membranes >24 hours before labour	2,523	4.0
Poor fetal growth	2,121	3.4
Placenta previa with or without haemorrhage, abruptio placentae and other antepartum haemorrhage	1,763	2.8
Previous poor obstetric history	773	1.2
Haemorrhage in early pregnancy	728	1.2
Threatened premature labour	506	0.8
<b>All mothers</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>-</b>

(a) Reporting of multiple complications was permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

TABLE 5.05

**MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**ANTENATAL TRANSFER STATUS BY INDIGENOUS STATUS OF MOTHER**

Antenatal Transfer Status	Indigenous Status of Mother									
	Aboriginal		Torres Strait Islander		Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander		Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander		Total <sup>(a)</sup>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Not transferred	2,615	87.1	425	82.7	344	87.3	56,712	96.3	60,097	95.7
Transferred <sup>(b)</sup>	387	12.9	89	17.3	50	12.7	2,187	3.7	2,714	4.3
<i>Transferred - before labour</i>	335	11.2	85	16.5	47	11.9	1,614	2.7	2,082	3.3
<i>Transferred - during labour</i>	52	1.7	4	0.8	3	0.8	573	1.0	632	1.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,002</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>58,899</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.

(b) Includes mothers with not stated time of antenatal transfer.

**TABLE 5.06      MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**SELECTED REASON FOR ANTENATAL TRANSFER BY INDIGENOUS STATUS OF MOTHER**

Reason <sup>(a)</sup>	Indigenous status of mother					
	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Total <sup>(b)</sup>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Administrative & social reasons	354	67.3	844	38.6	1,198	44.1
Premature rupture of membranes	31	5.9	205	9.4	236	8.7
Hypertension	28	5.3	146	6.7	174	6.4
Premature labour and delivery (including threatened)	17	3.2	118	5.4	136	5.0
Suspected fetal anomaly	10	1.9	111	5.1	121	4.5
Abnormality of forces of labour (including prolonged labour)	1	0.2	94	4.3	95	3.5
Placenta praevia with or without haemorrhage, abruptio placentae and other antepartum haemorrhage	7	1.3	76	3.5	83	3.1
Poor fetal growth	7	1.3	75	3.4	82	3.0
Gestational diabetes	28	5.3	39	1.8	67	2.5
Previous uterine scar	16	3.0	33	1.5	49	1.8
Malpresentation of fetus before onset of labour	3	0.6	41	1.9	44	1.6
Multiple pregnancy (including complications of multiple pregnancy)	-	-	33	1.5	33	1.2
Obstructed labour	-	-	11	0.5	11	0.4
<b>Total Mothers transferred antenatally</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,187</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,714</b>	<b>-</b>

(a) Reporting of multiple reasons was permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

(b) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.

(c) Where the membranes rupture prior to the onset of labour regardless of gestation.

TABLE 5.07

**MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**SMOKING STATUS BY NUMBER OF CIGARETTES AFTER 20 WEEKS GESTATION**

Tobacco Smoking Status	Average number of Cigarettes after 20 weeks gestation	Indigenous status of mother					
		Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Total <sup>(a)</sup>	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Did not smoke during pregnancy		2,113	54.0	52,244	88.7	54,359	86.5
Smoked during pregnancy <sup>(b)</sup>		1,758	45.0	6,449	11.0	8,207	13.1
		181	10.3	1,228	19.0	1,409	17.2
	<i>10 or less per day</i>	1,155	65.7	3,721	57.7	4,876	59.4
	<i>More than 10 per day</i>	302	17.2	1,018	15.8	1,320	16.1
<b>Total Mothers</b> <sup>(c)</sup>		<b>3,910</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>58,899</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.

(b) Includes mothers with not stated number of tobacco cigarettes after 20 weeks.

(c) Includes mothers with not stated smoking status before 20 weeks.

TABLE 5.08

**MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**SMOKING ADVICE DURING THE FIRST 20 WEEKS OF PREGNANCY**  
**TO MOTHERS WHO SMOKED**

Smoking Advice	Indigenous status of mother				Total <sup>(a)</sup>	
	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		No.	%
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Advice not offered	141	8.0	495	7.7	636	7.8
Advice offered	1,514	86.1	5,585	86.6	7,099	86.5
Not stated	103	5.9	369	5.7	472	5.8
<b>Total Mothers who Smoked</b>	<b>1,758</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,449</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>8,207</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes mothers with not stated Indigenous status.



**TABLE 5.09 MOTHERS BY ANTENATAL CARE TYPE  
QUEENSLAND, 2014**

Antenatal Care Type	Mothers	
	No.	%
No Antenatal Care	157	0.3
Private Medical Practitioner	16,961	27.0
Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	14,381	22.9
Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	13,477	21.5
Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner	6,116	9.7
Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	4,239	6.8
Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and General Practitioner	2,836	4.5
Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	1,651	2.6
General Practitioner	1,031	1.6
Private Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	488	0.8
Private Midwifery Practitioner	347	0.6
Private Medical Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner	178	0.3
Private Medical Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	168	0.3
Private Medical Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	143	0.2
Private Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	110	0.2
Private Medical Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	97	0.2
Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	65	0.1
Private Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner	56	0.1
Private Midwifery Practitioner and General Practitioner	46	0.1
Private Medical Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and General Practitioner	45	0.1
Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	45	0.1
Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	43	0.1
Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and General Practitioner	29	0.1
Private Medical Practitioner and Private Midwifery Practitioner	26	0.0
Private Medical Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	25	0.0
Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and Not Stated	10	0.0
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	3	-
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner and General Practitioner	2	-
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	2	-
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner	1	-
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner and General Practitioner	1	-
Private Medical Practitioner, Private Midwifery Practitioner, Public Hospital/Clinic Midwifery Practitioner and Public Hospital/Clinic Medical Practitioner	1	0
Not Stated	31	0.1
<b>Total Mothers</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 5.10

**MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2014**  
**GESTATION AT FIRST ANTENATAL VISIT BY FACILITY TYPE**

Gestation at First Antenatal Visit	Facility Type									
	Public Hospital		Private Hospital		Homebirth		Born Before Arrival		Total <sup>(a)</sup>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
No Antenatal Care	134	0.3	1	0.01	1	1.0	21	4.5	157	0.3
First Trimester (Less than 14 weeks)	26,155	58.1	15,733	91.2	62	63.9	250	53.5	42,201	67.2
Second Trimester (14-28 weeks)	16,910	37.6	1,456	8.4	30	30.9	157	33.6	18,553	29.5
Third Trimester (29 or more weeks)	1,002	2.2	41	0.2	3	3.1	26	5.6	1,072	1.7
Not stated	798	1.8	16	0.1	1	1.0	13	2.8	828	1.3
<b>Total Mothers</b>	<b>44,999</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>17,247</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>62,811</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Includes mothers with a not stated facility type.