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ALL RACES(5)												
2002.....	4,021,726	3,986,190	3,671,505	303,071	11,084	530	35,536	3,925	22,164	9,454	12,710	8,949
2001.....	4,025,933	3,989,662	3,676,520	300,647	11,816	679	36,271	4,509	21,751	8,986	12,765	9,522
2000.....	4,058,814	4,020,877	3,716,395	292,990	10,964	528	37,937	5,436	21,549	8,907	12,642	10,361
1999.....	3,959,417	3,923,059	3,628,084	282,352	11,929	694	36,358	5,031	20,789	8,934	11,855	9,960
1998.....	3,941,553	3,903,770	3,619,406	272,261	11,516	587	37,783	5,637	21,125	9,523	11,602	10,336
1997.....	3,880,894	3,843,506	3,579,057	251,758	12,052	639	37,388	5,629	20,443	9,425	11,018	10,155
1996.....	3,891,494	3,853,728	3,606,958	232,628	11,446	2,696	37,766	6,112	20,154	9,139	11,015	10,262
1995.....	3,899,589	3,860,555	3,632,167	210,997	11,646	5,745	39,034	6,485	20,924	9,400	11,524	10,527
1994.....	3,952,767	3,912,195	3,700,399	196,977	13,283	1,536	40,572	7,207	21,489	9,639	11,850	10,890
1993.....	4,000,240	3,959,266	3,751,358	189,913	16,351	1,644	40,974	8,605	20,141	7,858	12,283	11,378
1992.....	4,065,014	4,021,608	3,824,176	178,537	15,615	3,280	43,406	10,326	20,658	8,888	11,770	11,546
1991.....	4,110,907	4,064,153	3,879,723	160,731	19,544	4,155	46,754	12,330	21,726	9,636	12,090	11,579
1990.....	4,158,212	4,109,634	3,933,539	141,953	19,400	14,742	48,578	14,731	21,096	9,499	11,597	11,309
1989.....	4,040,958	3,991,448	3,842,313	125,451	14,983	8,701	49,510	14,529	21,842	9,394	12,448	11,754
1988.....	3,909,510	3,872,428	3,740,213	115,886	13,668	2,661	37,082	8,975	16,784	---	---	10,640
1987.....	3,809,394	3,774,106	3,660,923	98,425	12,414	2,344	35,288	8,132	15,465	---	---	11,049
1986.....	3,756,547	3,719,668	3,617,281	89,810	9,311	3,266	36,879	9,400	15,398	---	---	11,408
1985.....	3,760,561	3,722,150	3,623,215	85,941	10,695	2,299	38,411	9,746	16,135	---	---	11,839
1984(6).....	3,669,141	3,630,903	3,532,397	78,040	13,085	7,381	38,238	9,777	15,862	---	---	10,835
1983(6).....	3,638,933	3,599,660	3,508,666	71,617	12,532	6,845	39,273	10,215	15,406	---	---	11,662
1982(6).....	3,680,537	3,642,196	3,560,644	63,062	11,936	6,554	38,341	10,296	14,375	---	---	11,855
1981(6).....	3,629,238	3,591,582	3,490,919	55,537	13,303	31,823	37,656	10,998	12,754	---	---	11,794
1980(6).....	3,612,258	3,576,370	3,499,959	51,576	17,456	7,379	35,888	11,992	11,093	---	---	11,630
1979(6).....	3,494,398	3,460,484	3,393,773	44,496	11,221	10,994	33,914	11,837	10,363	---	---	10,032
1978(6).....	3,333,279	3,300,659	3,221,677	36,282	12,721	29,979	32,620	11,806	9,778	---	---	9,167
1977(6).....	3,326,632	3,293,473	3,203,242	30,635	12,531	47,065	33,159	12,766	9,991	---	---	7,449
1976(6).....	3,167,788	3,138,096	3,055,287	24,656	12,871	45,282	29,692	11,940	9,574	---	---	5,914
1975(6).....	3,144,198	3,116,901	3,026,024	19,686	7,122	64,069	27,297	11,265	9,727	---	---	2,960
WHITE, TOTAL Race of mother												
2002.....	3,174,760	3,143,215	2,894,518	239,717	8,627	353	31,545	2,911	20,948	8,715	12,233	7,337
2001.....	3,177,626	3,145,622	2,899,989	236,050	9,009	574	32,004	3,316	20,613	8,305	12,308	7,741
2000.....	3,194,005	3,160,873	2,923,398	228,642	8,414	419	33,132	3,862	20,421	8,193	12,228	8,450
1999.....	3,132,501	3,100,598	2,871,951	218,858	9,282	507	31,903	3,718	19,737	8,269	11,468	8,066
1998.....	3,118,727	3,085,755	2,867,476	209,329	8,523	427	32,972	4,187	20,100	8,854	11,246	8,230
1997.....	3,072,640	3,040,220	2,839,398	191,618	8,718	486	32,420	4,085	19,342	8,694	10,648	8,118
1996.....	3,093,057	3,060,406	2,873,945	175,844	8,342	2,275	32,651	4,484	19,200	8,503	10,697	8,120
1995.....	3,098,885	3,065,088	2,893,836	159,370	8,280	3,602	33,797	4,688	20,019	8,777	11,242	8,256
1994.....	3,121,004	3,086,394	2,928,009	147,521	9,710	1,154	34,610	4,984	20,535	9,000	11,535	8,323

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									Total	Certified nurse-midwife	Other midwife	
1993.....	3,149,833	3,115,570	2,961,659	140,674	11,979	1,258	34,263	5,911	19,140	7,204	11,936	8,607
1992.....	3,201,678	3,165,195	3,020,255	130,557	12,058	2,325	36,483	7,254	19,743	8,262	11,481	8,866
1991.....	3,241,273	3,202,287	3,068,457	116,714	14,509	2,607	38,986	8,748	20,775	8,985	11,790	8,722
1990.....	3,290,273	3,249,275	3,123,362	102,416	13,597	9,900	40,998	11,185	20,222	8,956	11,266	8,587
1989.....	3,192,355	3,150,804	3,044,933	90,612	10,092	5,167	41,551	10,747	20,931	8,854	12,077	8,849
1988.....	3,102,083	3,070,689	2,974,048	85,039	9,668	1,934	31,394	6,175	16,784	---	---	8,529
1987.....	3,043,828	3,013,243	2,929,522	72,474	9,395	1,852	30,585	6,269	14,904	---	---	8,923
1986.....	3,019,175	2,987,089	2,911,268	66,077	6,790	2,954	32,086	7,432	14,825	---	---	9,319
1985.....	3,037,913	3,004,067	2,932,072	62,518	7,492	1,985	33,846	7,904	15,507	---	---	9,879
1984(6).....	2,967,100	2,933,533	2,861,280	56,961	9,294	5,998	33,567	7,906	15,135	---	---	9,109
1983(6).....	2,946,468	2,912,131	2,847,020	50,867	8,706	5,538	34,337	8,252	14,596	---	---	9,941
1982(6).....	2,984,817	2,951,649	2,894,139	43,825	8,448	5,237	33,168	8,104	13,444	---	---	10,174
1981(6).....	2,947,679	2,915,317	2,841,641	37,885	9,651	26,140	32,362	8,698	11,727	---	---	10,215
1980(6).....	2,936,351	2,905,492	2,851,298	34,509	13,992	5,693	30,859	9,631	10,042	---	---	10,208
Race of child												
1980(6).....	2,898,732	2,868,351	2,815,382	33,730	13,691	5,548	30,381	9,495	9,919	---	---	10,021
1979(6).....	2,808,420	2,780,026	2,733,403	29,086	8,380	9,157	28,394	9,356	8,879	---	---	8,734
1978(6).....	2,681,116	2,654,703	2,598,455	22,319	9,952	23,977	26,413	9,136	7,733	---	---	8,059
1977(6).....	2,691,070	2,665,645	2,600,011	17,935	9,643	38,056	25,425	9,389	7,028	---	---	6,605
1976(6).....	2,567,614	2,545,917	2,486,339	13,733	9,642	36,203	21,697	8,894	5,824	---	---	5,148
1975(6).....	2,551,996	2,533,767	2,465,957	10,076	5,342	52,392	18,229	7,818	5,082	---	---	2,585
WHITE, NON-HISPANIC Race and Hispanic origin of mother												
2002.....	2,298,156	2,270,789	2,107,809	157,381	5,354	245	27,367	2,523	18,437	7,749	10,688	6,179
2001.....	2,326,578	2,299,043	2,135,865	157,198	5,700	280	27,535	2,867	17,899	7,214	10,685	6,562
2000.....	2,362,968	2,335,140	2,176,707	152,853	5,236	344	27,828	3,350	17,330	7,073	10,257	6,922
1999.....	2,346,450	2,319,638	2,165,402	147,859	5,976	401	26,812	3,171	16,741	7,067	9,674	6,664
1998.....	2,361,462	2,334,394	2,185,841	142,388	5,822	343	27,068	3,570	16,495	7,153	9,342	6,757
1997.....	2,333,363	2,306,735	2,170,275	130,390	5,747	323	26,628	3,428	15,784	6,924	8,860	6,778
1996.....	2,358,989	2,332,333	2,204,537	121,038	5,186	1,572	26,656	3,777	15,575	6,751	8,824	6,701
1995.....	2,382,638	2,355,364	2,238,062	109,167	5,107	3,028	27,274	3,863	15,983	6,930	9,053	6,860
1994.....	2,438,855	2,411,246	2,303,736	100,744	5,908	858	27,609	4,164	15,896	6,949	8,947	6,967
1993.....	2,472,031	2,444,394	2,344,638	92,520	6,239	997	27,637	5,012	15,187	6,079	9,108	6,987
1992(7).....	2,527,207	2,498,300	2,405,356	84,511	6,389	2,044	28,907	6,003	15,217	6,938	8,279	7,238
1991(7).....	2,589,878	2,559,148	2,470,042	78,123	8,852	2,131	30,730	7,393	15,634	7,514	8,120	7,153
1990(8).....	2,627,928	2,596,729	2,512,255	68,488	7,136	8,850	31,199	8,433	15,149	7,572	7,577	6,870
1989(9).....	2,528,218	2,497,635	2,427,899	59,051	6,257	4,428	30,583	8,250	14,549	7,128	7,421	7,006

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BLACK, TOTAL Race of mother												
2002.....	593,691	590,829	546,857	42,218	1,619	135	2,862	844	721	491	230	1,191
2001.....	606,156	603,084	556,395	44,626	2,002	61	3,072	980	658	455	203	1,333
2000.....	622,598	619,050	572,222	44,979	1,769	80	3,548	1,344	672	495	177	1,386
1999.....	605,970	602,652	555,527	45,092	1,903	130	3,318	1,112	631	456	175	1,438
1998.....	609,902	606,286	558,639	45,425	2,093	129	3,616	1,160	618	470	148	1,661
1997.....	599,913	596,216	550,309	43,519	2,265	123	3,697	1,260	671	496	175	1,577
1996.....	594,781	590,877	547,226	41,192	2,291	168	3,904	1,371	547	414	133	1,679
1995.....	603,139	599,134	559,393	36,819	2,525	397	4,005	1,540	527	424	103	1,753
1994.....	636,391	631,725	593,665	35,217	2,530	313	4,666	1,944	551	429	122	2,035
1993.....	658,875	653,593	614,697	35,094	3,489	313	5,282	2,327	600	451	149	2,183
1992.....	673,633	668,303	629,106	35,601	2,732	864	5,330	2,634	530	405	125	1,999
1991.....	682,602	676,662	638,496	32,421	4,338	1,407	5,940	3,013	550	426	124	2,148
1990.....	684,336	678,510	639,094	29,972	5,124	4,320	5,826	3,043	467	347	120	2,031
1989.....	673,124	666,968	633,315	26,285	4,312	3,056	6,156	3,221	491	330	161	2,180
1988.....	638,562	634,144	607,436	22,807	3,244	657	4,418	2,416	363	---	---	1,528
1987.....	611,173	607,585	586,179	18,733	2,258	415	3,588	1,563	339	---	---	1,558
1986.....	592,910	589,232	569,256	17,829	1,889	258	3,678	1,620	390	---	---	1,548
1985.....	581,824	578,329	557,797	18,115	2,184	233	3,495	1,514	445	---	---	1,437
1984(6).....	568,138	564,507	544,816	16,470	2,360	861	3,631	1,573	533	---	---	1,317
1983(6).....	562,624	558,879	539,202	16,600	2,217	860	3,745	1,548	626	---	---	1,297
1982(6).....	568,506	564,389	546,011	15,459	1,962	957	4,117	1,820	785	---	---	1,274
1981(6).....	564,955	560,710	540,332	14,541	1,944	3,893	4,245	1,905	917	---	---	1,178
1980(6).....	568,080	563,917	547,045	13,708	1,923	1,241	4,163	1,993	938	---	---	1,076
Race of child												
1980(6).....	589,616	585,208	567,568	14,229	2,090	1,321	4,408	2,062	1,001	---	---	1,170
1979(6).....	577,855	573,245	557,183	13,001	1,856	1,205	4,610	2,099	1,356	---	---	954
1978(6).....	551,540	546,191	527,861	11,549	1,875	4,906	5,349	2,325	1,924	---	---	825
1977(6).....	544,221	537,271	518,069	10,295	2,105	6,802	6,950	3,044	2,883	---	---	578
1976(6).....	514,479	507,147	488,335	8,954	2,480	7,378	7,332	2,728	3,675	---	---	550
1975(6).....	511,581	503,029	484,416	7,707	1,311	9,595	8,552	3,161	4,602	---	---	281
BLACK, NON-HISPANIC Race and Hispanic origin of mother												
2002.....	578,335	575,597	533,199	40,692	1,576	130	2,738	807	676	455	221	1,157
2001.....	589,917	586,966	542,172	42,781	1,954	59	2,951	945	619	435	184	1,296
2000.....	604,346	600,942	556,777	42,359	1,730	76	3,404	1,313	621	458	163	1,333
1999.....	588,981	585,821	541,350	42,474	1,871	126	3,160	1,077	563	414	149	1,397

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1998.....	593,127	589,660	544,648	42,847	2,036	129	3,467	1,126	578	437	141	1,608
1997.....	581,431	577,882	535,099	40,450	2,216	117	3,549	1,225	622	461	161	1,535
1996.....	578,099	574,368	533,324	38,649	2,235	160	3,731	1,335	494	370	124	1,643
1995.....	587,781	583,931	545,842	35,229	2,480	380	3,850	1,468	497	399	98	1,715
1994.....	619,198	614,702	578,401	33,564	2,437	300	4,496	1,865	521	405	116	1,988
1993.....	641,273	636,189	598,905	33,604	3,373	307	5,084	2,238	560	414	146	2,122
1992(7).....	657,450	652,296	614,733	34,082	2,666	815	5,154	2,562	494	375	119	1,944
1991(7).....	666,758	661,010	624,393	30,991	4,280	1,346	5,748	2,928	513	395	118	2,092
1990(8).....	661,756	656,159	618,430	28,612	5,069	4,048	5,597	2,925	426	316	110	1,981
1989(9).....	611,462	605,854	573,796	24,860	4,229	2,969	5,608	2,953	445	302	143	1,987
HISPANIC(10) Race and Hispanic origin of mother												
2002.....	876,642	872,929	787,406	82,210	3,218	95	3,713	363	2,282	898	1,384	985
2001.....	851,851	847,859	765,007	79,275	3,308	269	3,992	430	2,449	1,013	1,436	1,017
2000.....	815,868	811,487	733,095	75,226	3,117	49	4,381	436	2,719	932	1,787	1,136
1999.....	764,339	759,949	686,658	70,151	3,075	65	4,390	494	2,687	1,070	1,617	1,106
1998.....	734,661	729,638	660,892	66,040	2,653	53	5,023	548	3,307	1,567	1,740	1,081
1997.....	709,767	704,762	641,153	60,527	2,937	145	5,005	581	3,285	1,628	1,657	1,015
1996.....	701,339	696,135	637,939	54,416	3,119	661	5,204	600	3,371	1,597	1,774	1,073
1995.....	679,768	674,088	620,900	49,527	3,109	552	5,680	682	3,799	1,749	2,050	1,046
1994.....	665,026	658,685	608,607	46,096	3,701	281	6,341	666	4,393	1,982	2,411	1,172
1993.....	654,418	648,454	596,569	46,226	5,440	219	5,964	791	3,753	1,038	2,715	1,316
1992(7).....	643,271	636,331	586,868	43,646	5,609	208	6,940	1,205	4,261	1,258	3,003	1,366
1991(7).....	623,085	615,448	572,200	37,230	5,616	402	7,637	1,301	4,797	1,357	3,440	1,394
1990(8).....	595,110	586,414	546,751	32,465	6,453	745	8,696	2,591	4,527	1,232	3,295	1,402
1989(9).....	532,290	523,093	489,857	28,664	3,790	782	9,197	1,926	5,677	1,484	4,193	1,419

--- Data not available.

(1) Includes births occurring en route to or on arrival at hospital.

(2) Includes births with place of delivery not stated.

(3) Includes not stated attendant for "not in hospital" births and not stated place of delivery, not shown separately.

(4) Includes births with attendant not stated.

(5) Includes races other than white and black.

(6) Based on 100 percent of births in selected States and on a 50-percent sample of births in all other States; see Technical Appendix.

(7) Based on data for 49 States and the District of Columbia which reported Hispanic origin on the birth certificate.

(8) Based on data for 48 States and the District of Columbia which reported Hispanic origin on the birth certificate.

(9) Based on data for 47 States and the District of Columbia which reported Hispanic origin on the birth certificate.

(10) Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

NOTES: Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on birth certificates. Race categories are consistent with the 1977 Office of Management and Budget standards. see Technical Appendix.