

YTD2019: Provisional North Carolina Vital Statistics

Vital Events	Provisional Quarter 1-3 2019	CY Quarter 1-3 2018	% Change
Live Births Occurring in NC	90,528	90,444	0.1%
Births to NC Residents Occurring in NC	87,886	87,791	0.1%
Births to NC Resident Teens under 18 years Occurring in NC	1,167	1,223	-4.6%
Preterm Births to NC Residents Occurring in NC	9,216	8,959	2.9%
Low Birthweight Births to NC Residents Occurring in NC	8,240	7,978	3.3%
Very Low Birthweight Births to NC Residents Occurring in NC	1,451	1,390	4.4%
Deaths Occurring in NC	72,032	70,590	2.0%
Deaths to NC Residents Occurring in NC	69,577	68,180	2.0%
Resident Infant Deaths Occurring in NC	571	572	-0.2%
Fetal Deaths to NC Residents Occurring in NC	578	603	-4.1%
	Provisional Quarter 1-2 2019	Final Quarter 1-2 2018	% Change
Marriages	30,080	31,068	-3.2%
Divorces	16,822	18,540	-9.3%

Technical Note: Certified reports of infant and fetal deaths are frequently delayed. Therefore comparing provisional quarterly data over time is not advisable.