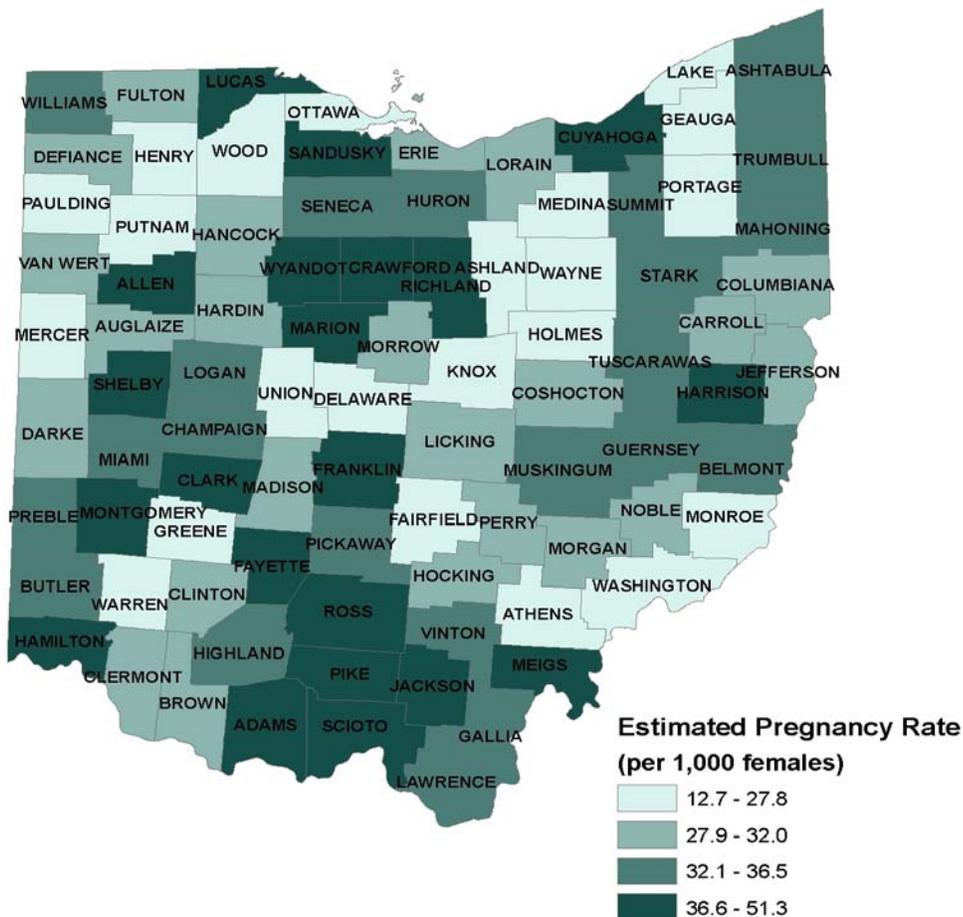


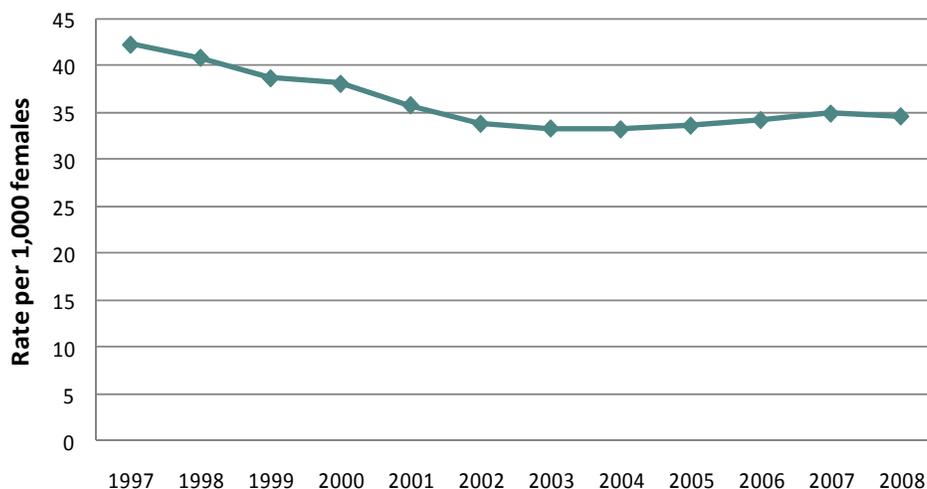
Adolescent Pregnancies

Estimated Pregnancy Rate for 10 to 19 Year-Olds,
Ohio, 2008



Data Source: Vital Statistics, Ohio Department of Health.

Estimated Pregnancy Rate for 10 to 19 year-olds, Ohio 1997 - 2008



Data Source: Vital Statistics, Ohio Department of Health.

Data Messages

- ◆ Pregnancy rates are calculated from live births, abortions, and estimated number of fetal deaths.
- ◆ In 2008, about 35 out of every 1,000 adolescent girls became pregnant in Ohio.
- ◆ In 2008, the Ohio county with the highest adolescent pregnancy rate was Marion County, with a rate of 51.3 per 1,000 females.
- ◆ Ohio's adolescent pregnancy rate declined until the early 2000's after which the rate remained relatively steady.
- ◆ One of the national goals of in Healthy People 2020 is to, "Reduce pregnancy rates among adolescent females."

