



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

Maine

State Rank: # 26

Integration Score: 37/100

37 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 98% hospital

1.7% home

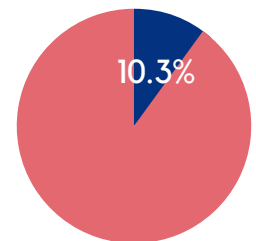
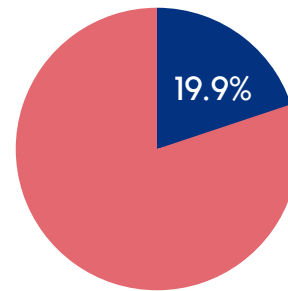
0.2% birth center

	Certified Professional Midwife	Certified Nurse Midwife	Certified Midwife
Licensed to practice	✗	✓	✗
Covered by Medicaid	✗	✓	✗
Authorized to write prescriptions	✗	✓	✗
Easy access to physician referral	✗	✓	✗
No restrictions to site of practice	✗	✓	✗

Births attended by midwives

Maine

U.S. Average



Outcome	Maine	US average	Outcome	Maine	US average
Cesarean	29.8%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	52.7%	49.2%
Induction	21.8%	23.2%	VBAC	11.8%	11.3%
Premature birth	8.4%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	80.3%	80.3%
Low birth weight	7.6%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	16.6%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	4.3/1000	4.0/1000			



for more information, visit birthplacelab.org

Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

