



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

Mississippi

State Rank: #46

Integration Score: 22/100

22 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 99% hospital

0.4% home

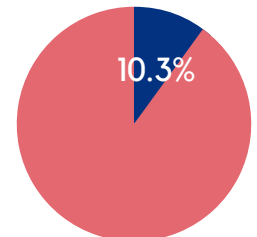
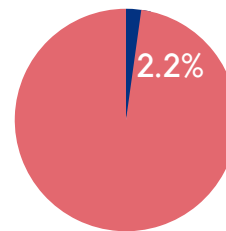
0.0% birth center

	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

Mississippi

U.S. Average



Outcome	Mississippi	US average	Outcome	Mississippi	US average
Cesarean	37.7%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	40.7%	49.2%
Induction	27.0%	23.2%	VBAC	6.0%	11.3%
Premature birth	12.9%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	52.7%	80.3%
Low birth weight	11.3%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	10.0%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	5.8/1000	4.0/1000			



for more information, visit birthplacelab.org

Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

