



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

Texas

State Rank: =17

Integration Score: 43/100

43 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 98% hospital

0.6% home

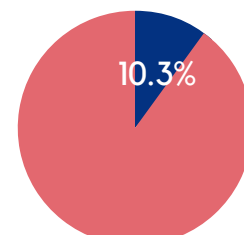
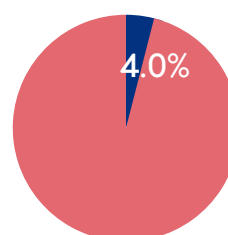
0.8% birth center

	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

Texas

U.S. Average



Outcome	Texas	US average	Outcome	Texas	US average
Cesarean	34.9%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	46.3%	49.2%
Induction	23.5%	23.2%	VBAC	9.0%	11.3%
Premature birth	10.4%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	85.1%	80.3%
Low birth weight	8.2%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	21.3%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	3.9/1000	4.0/1000			



for more information, visit birthplacelab.org

Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

