



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

North Dakota

State Rank: # 33

Integration Score: 30/100

30 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 98% hospital

1.1% home

0% birth center

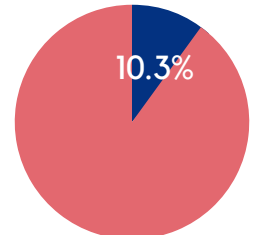
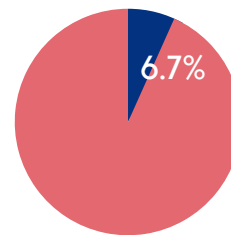
	Certified Professional Midwife	Certified Nurse Midwife	Certified Midwife
Licensed to practice	✗	✓	✗
Covered by Medicaid	✗	✓	✗
Authorized to write prescriptions	✗	✓	✗
Easy access to physician referral	✗	✗	✗
No restrictions to site of practice	✗	✗	✗

CPM includes Direct Entry Midwives where applicable

Births attended by midwives

North Dakota

U.S. Average



Outcome	North Dakota	US average	Outcome	North Dakota	US average
Cesarean	27.7%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	50.7%	49.2%
Induction	25.6%	23.2%	VBAC	13.8%	11.3%
Premature birth	8.4%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	81.5%	80.3%
Low birth weight	6.2%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	21.0%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	4.7/1000	4.0/1000			



for more information, visit birthplacelab.org

Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

