

Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

Virginia

State Rank: =21 Integration Score: 41/100 41 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 98 % hospital

0.9% home

Certified Certified **Professional** Nurse Certified Midwife Midwife Midwife Licensed to practice Covered by Medicaid prescriptions

Authorized to write

Easy access to physician referral

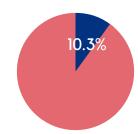
No restrictions to site of practice

0.3% birthing center

Births attended by midwives

Vermont U.S. Average





CPM includes Direct Entry Midwives where applicable

Outcome	Virginia	US average	Outcome	Virginia	US average
Cesarean	33.1%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	53.6%	49.2%
Induction	17.0%	23.2%	VBAC	10.4%	11.3%
Premature birth	9.2%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	82.9%	80.3%
Low birth weight	7.9%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	23.6%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	4.4/1000	4.0/1000			

