



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

North Carolina

State Rank: #51

Integration Score: 17/100

17 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

99% hospital

0.5% home

0.5% birth center

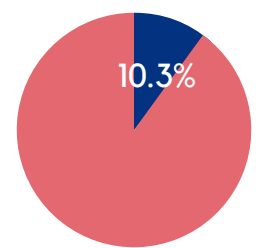
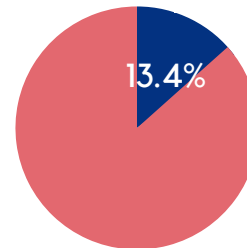
	Certified Professional Midwife	Certified Nurse Midwife	Certified Midwife
Licensed to practice	✗	✓	✗
Covered by Medicaid	✗	✓	✗
Authorized to write prescriptions	✗	✗	✗
Easy access to physician referral	✗	✗	✗
No restrictions to site of practice	✗	✗	✗

CPM includes Direct Entry Midwives where applicable

Births attended by midwives

North Carolina

U.S. Average



Outcome	North Carolina	US average	Outcome	North Carolina	US average
Cesarean	29.5%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	49.2%	49.2%
Induction	26.8%	23.2%	VBAC	13.7%	11.3%
Premature birth	9.7%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	79.0%	80.3%
Low birth weight	8.9%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	23.1%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	5.1/1000	4.0/1000			



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Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

