2000-2010: Orangeburg County 15-19 Year Old Birth Trends

From 2009 to 2010, the teen birth rate in Orangeburg County decreased by 14%. **Chart A** (below) compares Orangeburg County's teen birth rate to South Carolina's teen birth rate from 2000 to 2010.

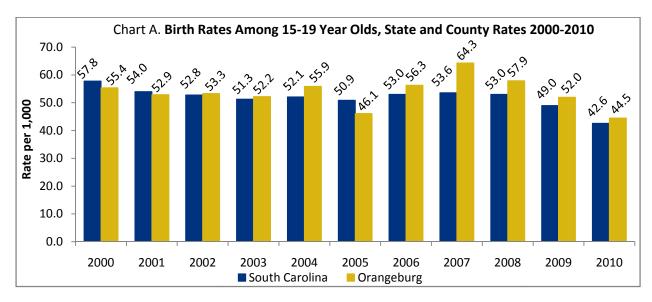
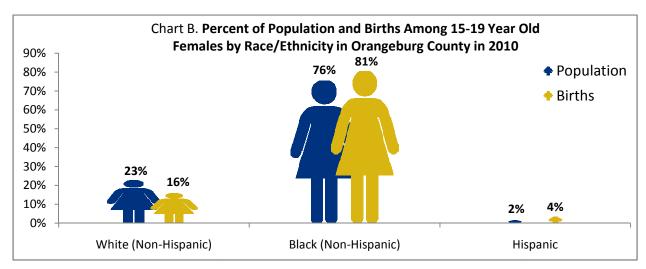
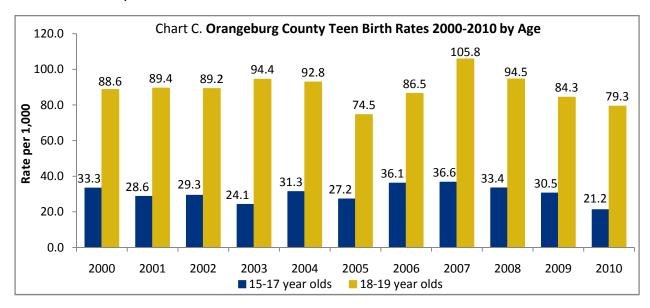


Chart B (below) shows the percentage of births and the percentage of the population for White (Non-Hispanic), Black (Non-Hispanic), and Hispanic 15–19 year old females in Orangeburg County.



Orangeburg County Birth Rate Trends by Age and Race

Chart C (below) shows the teen birth rate in Orangeburg County separated by age. From 2009 to 2010, the birth rate for 18–19 year olds decreased by 6% and the birth rate for 15–17 year olds decreased by 30%.



In 2010, there were 171 births among girls aged 15–19 in Orangeburg County. **Chart D** (below) shows the total number of births and the rates in Orangeburg County for all teens and among certain racial groups. Overall, the teen birth rate in Orangeburg County has decreased by 20% in the last decade.

Chart D. Teen Births in Orangeburg County: 2000 and 2010					
	2000		2010		
	Number	Rate per 1,000	Number	Rate per 1,000	Change from 2000 to 2010
All 15-19	230	55.4	171	44.5	decreased 20%
All 15-17	83	33.3	49	21.2	decreased 36%
All 18-19	147	88.6	122	79.3	decreased 10%
Black 15-19	171	54.2	137	47.4	decreased 13%
White 15-19	58	60.2	33	36.7	decreased 39%

Chart E. Orangeburg County ZIP Codes with highest number				
of births 29115	74			
29118	13			
29142	11			
29059	10			
29048	9			
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