

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		16.4		16.0				18.6	12.4	13.2	16.9	F	35	15.6	F	32
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	13.1	-	37	13.1	-	37
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	87.4	87.7	78.3	78.3	71.2					83.2	84.7	U	12	86.6	U	11
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	75	F	45	75	F	45

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	79.5	80.5	81.4	83.0	86.3	87.8	77.9				60.3	86.8	84.3	U	32	86.4	S	30
Mammograms (%)	68.6	68.8	74.9		55.7						74.1	78.8	68.4	S	48	76.9	S	38
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	33.4	30.8	26.2								29.0	41.3	32.2	F	46	35.6	F	47
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	43.9	55.6	49.1	26.0	29.3	39.1	47.0				57.9	28.6	45.1	F	49	42.1	F	51
Overweight (%)												33.3	34.6	F	45	35.8	F	44
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)												26.9	18.9	F	47	25.9	F	32
Smoking (%)	28.5	29.0	25.6				34.1	27.9			12.0	21.2	28.5	F	51	27.9	F	50
Binge Drinking (%)	3.8	5.5					5.7	2.6				7.4	3.7	S	8	3.7	S	4
Annual Dental Visits (%)												0.0				63.8	U	43

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	109.2	109.2	155.9	155.0	80.4							95.4	114.4	F	45	111.7	F	44
Stroke Death Rate	26.0	26.0	38.8	39.0								24.1	26.7	F	38	26.7	F	38
Lung Cancer Death Rate	36.0	36.0	43.9	43.4								26.9	35.3	F	50	36.3	F	51
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.9	18.9	25.2	25.3								19.5	19.5	S	23	19.2	S	30
High Blood Pressure (%)		26.7		41.5	24.9	39.1		14.4	35.8	54.2		24.7	27.7	F	44	30.1	F	47
Diabetes (%)		5.2		8.5				1.6	7.8	13.1		5.9	5.7	F	31	6.1	F	29
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)												8.7	2.4	S	20	2.4	S	18
Arthritis (%) (National Only)												21.8						
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)												20.0						
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)												5.5	3.8	S	11	3.7	S	10
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)												49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	7.0											7.7	6.7	F	30	6.7	F	30
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days												3.8	5.5	-	51	5.3	-	51
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)												55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	13.2		13.9		17.6				13.6	10.9	16.3	12.2	15.9	F	42	13.2	F	33
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	69.7	F	33	72.7	F	21
High School Completion (%)	79.7		83.3		77.7							84.0	78.3	F	44	80.0	F	46

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Kentucky	U.S.
Total Population of Women	2,017,478 (52.2%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,537,871 (52.2%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	1,793,060 (88.9%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	180,350 (8.9%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	0	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	13,271 (0.7%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	30,798 (1.5%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	409,091 (20.3%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	270,032 (13.4%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	573,316 (28.4%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	499,071 (24.7%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	236,935 (11.7%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	29,032 (1.4%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	38 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	411,407 (26.8%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$23,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,046 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	118,645 (7.7%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	982,833 (48.7%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	21,596 (4.7%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	61,579 (3.1%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	22,566 (4.4%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	304,608 (22.8%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	241,543 (18.0%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	1,702 (3.2%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		16.3		34.3	26.5			24.3	18.5	13.2	27.9	F	49	26.8	F	51
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	24.0	-	51	22.7	-	50
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	89.7	89.8	73.2	73.2	85.6					83.2	81.1	U	36	82.9	U	32
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	60	F	41	60	F	41

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	79.3	82.9	77.4	77.1			88.3	75.5		64.0	86.8	84.8	U	27	87.7	S	22	
Mammograms (%)	66.5	67.7	68.5	54.3					68.9	69.1	78.8	70.2	S	45	77.0	S	37	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	34.3	34.1	36.4	30.4					27.6	42.3	41.3	35.9	F	34	34.1	F	49	
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	32.4	43.0	34.2				31.8	36.4		46.8	28.6	35.3	F	39	38.1	F	50	
Overweight (%)											33.3	35.3	F	47	36.5	F	46	
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)											26.9	18.7	F	48	17.3	F	51	
Smoking (%)	25.0	16.2	21.1				25.6	22.2		8.6	21.2	23.1	F	42	21.7	F	29	
Binge Drinking (%)	7.7	5.4					10.1	5.0			7.4	7.4	F	32	6.4	U	18	
Annual Dental Visits (%)											0.0				62.2	F	44	

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Heart Disease Death Rate	100.3	101.6	153.3	153.9	42.6	65.1	34.8				95.4	117.2	F	49	114.2	F	47
Stroke Death Rate	22.9	23.2	42.1	42.2	9.4						24.1	28.4	F	42	28.0	F	42
Lung Cancer Death Rate	29.7	30.2	28.7	28.8	9.0						26.9	29.0	U	35	29.4	U	36
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.9	19.2	27.3	27.4	10.0						19.5	22.3	U	48	21.2	U	47
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	11.3	F	50	10.9	F	50
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	6.2		18.9								7.7	11.7	F	46	11.7	F	46
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.3	-	15	3.6	-	19
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	78.54		73.16					73.43				78.81	76.93	U	50	76.93	U	50
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.4	-	19	4.5	-	48
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.5	6.6	13.0	13.1			6.7				7.2	9.9	F	49	9.2	F	46	
Poverty (%)	12.4		34.5		4.3		15.5		22.0	15.0	20.8	12.2	18.8	F	48	19.8	F	51
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	64.4	F	48	64.8	F	50
High School Completion (%)	82.3		72.0		95.1							84.0	77.9	F	47	79.4	F	48

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Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
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Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Louisiana	U.S.
Total Population of Women	2,281,386 (54.1%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,709,725 (54.1%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	1,339,488 (58.7%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	866,357 (38.0%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	2,534 (0.1%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	29,668 (1.3%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	43,340 (1.9%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age		
0-14	472,173 (20.7%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	357,154 (15.7%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	669,325 (29.3%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	500,359 (21.9%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	245,895 (10.8%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	36,479 (1.6%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	34 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	550,066 (32.2%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$22,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	2,180 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	132,494 (7.7%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	1,726,939 (75.7%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	3,573 (0.8%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	15,381 (1.2%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	14,502 (5.1%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	302,402 (20.8%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	281,810 (19.4%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	792 (1.2%)	271,663 (7.0%)

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Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		12.3						15.4	7.6	13.2	13.8	F	24	14.2	F	27
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	8.0	-	17	7.9	-	17
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	89.5	89.7	83.0	81.4	84.4					83.2	89.9	U	1	89.2	U	5
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	39	F	26	39	F	26

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank		
																			Screening	
Pap Smears (%)	84.0	71.4	83.8			79.7	89.7	85.3				64.9	86.8	85.0	S	23	89.0	S	9	
Mammograms (%)	76.5	78.1	70.8			49.3						82.3	75.2	78.8	77.1	S	20	82.9	S	14
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	42.0		59.7									36.9	48.3	41.3	40.8	S	19	44.5	S	13
Prevention																				
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	29.9	13.7	48.2	65.3	34.5	27.3	32.3					37.9	28.6	28.7	F	24	27.9	F	24	
Overweight (%)													33.3	31.1	F	24	32.0	F	21	
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)													26.9	30.9	F	16	31.2	F	12	
Smoking (%)	21.8							25.9	19.6			11.6	21.2	23.5	F	43	23.1	F	37	
Binge Drinking (%)	6.4			17.0				9.7	3.2				7.4	5.8	S	17	6.2	U	16	
Annual Dental Visits (%)													0.0				70.2	S	26	

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank		
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	
Heart Disease Death Rate	85.5	83.7											95.4	90.0	S	24	85.3	S	24
Stroke Death Rate	20.8	20.4											24.1	20.7	U	5	20.7	U	8
Lung Cancer Death Rate	32.9	32.7											26.9	33.2	F	48	32.8	F	47
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.8	18.6											19.5	20.1	S	31	18.8	S	22
Chronic Conditions																			
High Blood Pressure (%)		24.6			41.1			13.0	31.9	50.0			24.7	23.3	F	21	29.5	F	44
Diabetes (%)		4.9						1.2	6.6	12.9			5.9	4.9	F	21	5.5	F	18
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)													8.7	1.5	S	10	1.3	S	8
Arthritis (%) (National Only)													21.8						
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)													20.0						
Reproductive Health																			
Chlamydia (%)													5.5	2.7	S	3	3.0	S	4
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)													49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)													7.7	6.3	F	25	6.3	F	25
Mental Health																			
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days													3.8	3.4	-	18	3.7	-	21
Violence Against Women																			
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)													55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																			Overall Health
Life Expectancy (years)	79.61												78.81	79.61	U	19	79.61	U	19
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days													3.5	4.2	-	40	4.2	-	41
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	5.3	5.2											7.2	6.4	S	12	5.3	S	3
Economic Security and Education																			
Poverty (%)	10.4								12.8	5.4	13.4		12.2	11.1	F	18	10.5	F	18
Wage Gap (%)													73.5	67.5	F	41	72.7	F	21
High School Completion (%)	89.3												84.0	86.9	U	14	89.3	U	12

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Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Maine	U.S.
Total Population of Women	637,250 (51.0%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	487,343 (51.0%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	628,665 (98.7%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	0	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	602 (0.1%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	5,004 (0.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	2,980 (0.5%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	121,356 (19.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	76,296 (12.0%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	193,786 (30.4%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	158,056 (24.8%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	79,485 (12.5%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	8,271 (1.3%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	38 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	131,147 (26.9%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$24,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	103 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	28,918 (5.9%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	257,345 (40.4%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	21,596 (0.3%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	61,579 (0.8%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	22,566 (3.8%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	122,832 (27.9%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	103,870 (23.6%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	1,517 (11.1%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		7.4		15.2	11.8			12.0	6.9	13.2	15.2	F	28	10.5	F	12
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	2.2	-	1	4.5	-	2
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	91.4	92.4	78.0	78.0	81.4					83.2	88.3	U	4	87.0	U	10
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	15	F	10	15	F	10

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	85.7	89.4	84.6	62.6	76.4	90.7	88.3		71.5	86.8	89.2	S	3	89.9	S	5		
Mammograms (%)	80.1	78.4	72.1		84.3			83.4	78.2	78.8	80.8	S	7	85.4	S	6		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	39.9	37.8	40.7		26.7			34.8	45.2	41.3	32.2	F	46	46.6	S	8		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	25.4	36.6	25.4	25.5	34.5	23.7	32.5		37.9	28.6	21.2	F	4	27.8	F	23		
Overweight (%)										33.3	33.4	F	39	33.6	F	29		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	34.2	F	4	32.5	F	9		
Smoking (%)	20.4	19.1	20.2			22.5	19.2		11.3	21.2	20.7	F	25	19.1	F	10		
Binge Drinking (%)	6.6	4.9				8.3	3.7			7.4	3.1	S	2	8.3	F	32		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				75.8	S	4		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	84.6	86.1	134.2	135.5	10.8		34.9				95.4	96.8	S	28	94.8	S	28	
Stroke Death Rate	21.3	21.6	33.6	33.9			17.4				24.1	24.3	F	27	24.1	F	27	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	30.5	31.1	30.1	30.4			8.7				26.9	29.9	F	41	29.8	F	41	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	19.8	20.3	26.0	26.3			7.5				19.5	21.9	U	45	21.0	U	45	
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.5		35.7	22.4		28.6	10.4	34.5	52.8	24.7	24.6	F	32	25.5	F	31	
Diabetes (%)		4.5		12.3				1.8	9.7	14.8	5.9	5.7	F	31	5.8	F	23	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	23.4	F	48	20.2	F	48	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	5.9	F	30	5.9	F	30	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	6.1		15.9								7.7	9.1	F	40	9.1	F	40	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	4.1	-	43	3.5	-	14	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	6.5		13.1		16.7		3.5		8.0	6.5	13.3	12.2	8.8	U	5	8.6	U	6
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	75.0	F	9	79.8	F	3
High School Completion (%)	89.3		83.6		54.9		88.6					84.0	85.8	U	23	86.6	U	21

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Maryland	U.S.
Total Population of Women	2,606,948 (52.4%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	2,013,086 (52.4%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	1,653,066 (63.4%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	730,244 (28.0%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	9,031 (0.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	126,329 (4.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	88,279 (3.4%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	496,415 (19.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	286,742 (11.0%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	813,800 (31.2%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	622,665 (23.9%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	361,731 (13.9%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	25,596 (1.0%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	37 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	583,528 (29.0%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$30,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,140 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	90,009 (4.5%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	2,418,498 (92.8%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	6,876 (1.7%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	23,561 (1.5%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	4,705 (1.5%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	378,429 (20.7%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	578,659 (31.7%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	6,179 (8.8%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		5.7		8.5	9.7			7.2	4.3	13.2	7.9	U	2	7.6	U	3
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	5.4	-	6	4.7	-	4
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	90.8	92.2	80.0	80.3	79.0					83.2	83.7	U	21	89.4	U	3
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	0	S	1	0	S	1

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	83.2	78.1	76.3	62.8	73.8	89.5	86.9		65.2	86.8	87.7	S	5	89.6	S	6		
Mammograms (%)	79.0	73.6	80.2	76.5	67.2			85.8	78.0	78.8	84.2	S	2	86.0	S	3		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	38.4	31.4	38.8	26.8	6.7			33.8	41.7	41.3	34.6	F	39	41.2	S	28		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	23.4	43.0	42.9	21.1	32.9	20.3	27.8		36.9	28.6	26.8	F	16	26.0	F	17		
Overweight (%)										33.3	23.0	F	2	23.1	F	2		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	36.3	F	1	35.4	F	3		
Smoking (%)	20.8	16.2	13.6			24.0	18.9		8.7	21.2	19.5	F	15	19.7	F	13		
Binge Drinking (%)	11.4		8.6			16.4	4.5			7.4	9.4	F	45	10.6	F	46		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				78.9	S	3		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	79.9	80.2	103.1	112.6	45.1		33.0				95.4	82.3	S	15	80.3	S	15	
Stroke Death Rate	17.7	17.7	24.5	26.4	10.1		20.3				24.1	18.8	S	2	18.0	S	2	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	29.7	30.2	26.1	29.1	5.8		10.2				26.9	29.1	U	36	29.2	U	35	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	20.0	20.3	20.9	23.5	7.7		10.9				19.5	21.0	U	40	19.9	S	37	
High Blood Pressure (%)		18.1		22.9	22.6	30.0	17.0	7.9	21.4	47.7	24.7	19.5	F	2	20.9	F	3	
Diabetes (%)		3.3						1.0	4.6	9.3	5.9	3.1	F	3	5.6	F	20	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	9.2	S	41	11.9	S	43	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	5.9	F	30	3.8	S	12	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	2.7		8.7								7.7	3.1	S	2	3.1	S	2	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.2	-	13	3.8	-	24	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	7.3		33.2		28.6		10.8		10.4	7.7	11.8	12.2	10.9	F	15	9.9	U	13
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	73.7	F	15	77.6	F	7
High School Completion (%)	88.8		75.9		55.7		70.2					84.0	86.5	U	17	86.0	U	27

+States received an overall grade "U+" if they received an "S" on ten or more Status Indicators.

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
<i>Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance</i>		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
<i>Health Support Services</i>		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
<i>Access to Specific Services</i>		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
<i>Screening</i>		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
<i>Prevention</i>		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Massachusetts	U.S.
Total Population of Women	3,204,234 (52.2%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	2,421,253 (52.2%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	2,676,563 (83.5%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	198,522 (6.2%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	939 (0.0%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	127,948 (4.0%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	200,263 (6.2%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	651,992 (20.3%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	420,085 (13.1%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	982,380 (30.7%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	691,651 (21.6%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	402,860 (12.6%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	55,267 (1.7%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	36 years	35 years
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Households Headed by Single Women	796,106 (32.9%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
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Median Earnings for Women	\$29,339	\$25,000
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Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	746 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
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Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	119,314 (4.9%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
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Women Residing in Urban Areas	3,156,942 (98.5%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
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Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	21,569 (4.7%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	61,579 (3.1%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	22,566 (4.4%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	475,206 (22.3%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
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Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	627,717 (29.4%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
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Births Attended by a Midwife	10,608 (13.2%)	271,663 (7.0%)
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For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		7.6		12.0				10.3	5.5	13.2	10.5	F	11	9.9	U	10
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	12.8	-	35	12.1	-	34
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	87.0	88.5	69.9	69.9	72.0					83.2	84.2	U	16	84.0	U	24
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	28	F	18	28	F	18

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)		83.6	84.1	86.2	81.8	62.3	87.6	86.4		66.8	86.8	88.1	S	4	86.7	S	28	
Mammograms (%)		77.7	73.0	87.2	76.6	84.8			82.7	77.8	78.8	78.9	S	10	84.3	S	9	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)		45.6	41.2	53.9		21.6			39.4	52.2	41.3	49.0	S	1	43.2	S	19	
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)		22.2	36.7	19.2	24.9	33.0	19.7	23.9		37.6	28.6	23.4	F	10	25.9	F	16	
Overweight (%)											33.3	35.8	F	48	34.8	F	41	
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)											26.9	32.3	F	11	28.0	F	21	
Smoking (%)		24.9	21.5	26.3	28.0		30.4	22.8		8.1	21.2	24.8	F	48	22.4	F	34	
Binge Drinking (%)		10.4	6.8	14.5			14.3	7.1			7.4	9.7	F	47	9.5	F	41	
Annual Dental Visits (%)											0.0				80.3	S	2	

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	96.9	96.4	161.3	162.4	58.0	177.6	46.5				95.4	106.9	U	38	104.8	U	38	
Stroke Death Rate	22.7	22.5	34.8	35.0	16.0	48.2	18.3				24.1	25.2	F	32	24.4	F	30	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	28.1	28.2	31.0	31.3	8.6	63.5					26.9	28.3	U	31	28.4	U	32	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.4	18.5	26.5	26.7	12.6		10.0				19.5	20.7	U	37	19.4	S	32	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		23.2		36.5	19.1			10.7	35.9	47.7	24.7	24.2	F	28	26.3	F	34	
Diabetes (%)		5.4		9.8				2.5	7.9	13.6	5.9	7.6	F	48	6.7	F	37	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	3.2	S	27	4.8	S	30	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	4.9	S	21	4.6	S	19	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.6		22.6								7.7	7.5	F	34	7.5	F	34	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	4.6	-	50	4.5	-	50	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.14		73.18					73.65				78.81	78.24	U	38	78.24	U	38
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.6	-	24	3.4	-	23
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.4	6.2	16.0	15.8	6.8	10.4	4.9				7.2	8.3	F	35	8.2	F	38	
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	7.9		23.8		21.0	16.6			11.2	8.0	11.3	12.2	11.6	F	21	10.3	F	15
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	66.0	F	45	67.4	F	47
High School Completion (%)	87.7		82.4		71.6	72.4	84.1					84.0	86.5	U	17	86.5	U	22

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Michigan	U.S.
Total Population of Women	5,026,252 (51.0%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	3,658,036 (51.0%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	4,032,057 (80.2%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	731,722 (14.6%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	26,509 (0.5%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	90,897 (1.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	145,067 (2.9%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	1,119,620 (22.3%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	715,023 (14.2%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	1,499,061 (29.8%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	1,044,268 (20.8%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	574,824 (11.4%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	73,456 (1.5%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	34 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	1,043,558 (28.5%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$26,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	2,052 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	220,184 (6.0%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	4,169,259 (82.9%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	7,505 (0.9%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	21,213 (0.7%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	14,248 (2.2%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	827,105 (25.9%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	641,834 (20.1%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	8,691 (6.5%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		5.6		6.7				6.7	3.9	13.2	8.0	U	3	5.9	U	1
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	4.6	-	3	9.9	-	27
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	87.0	88.1	66.4	66.2	62.1					83.2	83.5	U	23	84.5	U	20
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	57	F	35	57	F	35

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	82.0	82.2	81.4	80.6	73.3	88.2	82.5				61.7	86.8	85.0	S	24	86.0	S	32
Mammograms (%)	66.6	52.8	59.1	57.5	62.8				74.7	65.8		78.8	64.9	S	51	76.3	S	43
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	46.6	50.9	62.2	49.6	45.7				38.8	56.1		41.3	47.6	S	2	48.2	S	4
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	23.7	37.4	12.6	20.1	34.5	18.7	25.0				36.8	28.6	25.1	F	12	26.3	F	18
Overweight (%)												33.3	28.5	F	16	26.1	F	4
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)												26.9	34.5	F	3	29.0	F	17
Smoking (%)	17.9	20.7	22.3	42.1		20.8	17.8				10.4	21.2	16.4	U	2	18.9	F	8
Binge Drinking (%)	9.0		10.6	23.1		13.6	4.6				1.8	7.4	8.9	F	42	9.3	F	37
Annual Dental Visits (%)												0.0				75.2	S	10

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	60.6	60.3	92.5	92.6	43.1	120.5	38.3					95.4	65.4	S	1	61.5	S	1
Stroke Death Rate	21.4	21.2	40.5	40.7	20.5		28.3					24.1	23.0	F	19	21.8	U	15
Lung Cancer Death Rate	23.6	23.5	30.7	30.8		54.4						26.9	23.5	S	10	23.8	S	10
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.2	18.0	22.5	22.4								19.5	19.3	S	19	18.1	S	15
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.6		33.6	30.4		31.8	9.5	28.2	49.3		24.7	22.2	F	12	23.2	F	15
Diabetes (%)		4.2		10.2		15.2		1.3	5.6	10.6		5.9	5.1	F	24	5.1	F	9
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)												8.7	1.7	S	14	1.8	S	14
Arthritis (%) (National Only)												21.8						
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)												20.0						
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)												5.5	3.6	S	10	4.2	S	15
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)												49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.4											7.7	3.8	F	8	3.8	F	8
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days												3.8	3.7	-	30	3.2	-	9
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)												55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	81.02							76.8				78.81	80.85	U	3	80.85	U	3
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	4.2	-	40	3.6	-	29
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	5.3	5.4	12.2	12.3	6.2	15.3	6.7					7.2	6.8	S	16	5.9	S	6
Poverty (%)	7.0		33.1		29.4	39.1	21.6		8.6	6.6	13.0	12.2	9.6	U	10	8.7	U	7
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	71.2	F	25	72.4	F	24
High School Completion (%)	93.4		80.2		60.1	79.0	81.7					84.0	89.5	U	5	92.0	S	2

+States received an overall grade "U+" if they received an "S" on ten or more Status Indicators.

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Minnesota	U.S.
Total Population of Women	2,405,570 (50.8%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,747,186 (50.8%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	2,159,287 (89.8%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	56,868 (2.4%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	42,947 (1.8%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	92,337 (3.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	54,131 (2.3%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age		
0-14	542,935 (22.6%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	329,177 (13.7%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	735,938 (30.6%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	510,779 (21.2%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	251,247 (10.4%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	35,494 (1.5%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	495,401 (28.4%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$28,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	288 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	62,851 (3.6%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	1,695,304 (70.5%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	5,146 (1.3%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	11,349 (0.9%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	5,640 (1.7%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	478,525 (31.2%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	456,891 (29.8%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	5,353 (8.3%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		14.1		21.9				18.8	12.8	13.2	23.3	F	48	21.0	F	43
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	21.7	-	50	24.4	-	51
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	89.1	89.3	72.7	72.7	74.5					83.2	78.6	F	45	81.5	U	36
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	82	F	48	82	F	48

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	80.3	79.5	75.2	82.9	69.1	89.2	79.0				58.8	86.8	84.4	U	31	88.1	S	14
Mammograms (%)	65.8	56.4	80.4	71.4	64.3				67.0	64.3	78.8	67.9	S	49	71.0	S	50	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	38.1	30.7	21.8	54.3					31.2	41.8	41.3	36.5	U	31	36.9	U	45	
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	32.8	47.3	23.4	6.3	48.5	33.1	39.9				47.0	28.6	36.5	F	42	37.2	F	49
Overweight (%)												33.3	38.4	F	51	43.6	F	51
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)												26.9	17.8	F	50	20.1	F	50
Smoking (%)	24.5	13.4										21.2	21.6	F	32	21.9	F	31
Binge Drinking (%)	3.9	2.7										7.4	2.7	S	1	4.0	S	6
Annual Dental Visits (%)												0.0				61.0	F	48

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	116.1	116.5	195.2	195.8		142.3						95.4	141.2	F	51	138.7	F	51
Stroke Death Rate	24.9	25.0	42.8	43.0								24.1	30.5	F	46	30.1	F	47
Lung Cancer Death Rate	27.8	27.7	22.3	22.4								26.9	26.0	S	21	26.2	S	22
Breast Cancer Death Rate	17.0	17.1	27.2	27.3								19.5	20.8	U	38	20.0	S	38
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		28.8		47.4	25.2	82.0		18.6	45.3	66.0	24.7	35.5	F	51	35.8	F	51	
Diabetes (%)		5.9		11.8				2.6	10.9	16.5	5.9	8.2	F	51	8.2	F	50	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	9.9	S	42	11.3	S	42	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)												5.5	11.3	F	50	14.6	F	51
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)												49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	5.1		20.5									7.7	12.3	F	50	12.3	F	50
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days												3.8	3.8	-	36	4.2	-	41
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)												55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	78.82		73.82					73.91				78.81	77.10	U	49	77.10	U	49
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	4.0	-	37	3.9	-	37
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	7.0	7.0	14.7	14.7								7.2	10.4	F	50	10.5	F	50
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	12.4		26.6						16.3	15.6	23.8	12.2	19.7	F	49	17.6	F	49
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	70.2	F	31	71.5	F	27
High School Completion (%)	84.1		73.4									84.0	78.0	F	46	80.4	F	43

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Mississippi	U.S.
Total Population of Women	1,456,008 (54.7%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,095,424 (54.7%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	883,879 (60.7%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	553,162 (38.0%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	4,533 (0.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	2,898 (0.2%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	11,536 (0.8%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	290,789 (20.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	221,922 (15.2%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	450,096 (30.9%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	273,496 (18.8%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	189,962 (13.0%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	29,744 (2.0%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	357,988 (32.7%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$22,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,213 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	67,099 (6.1%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	523,136 (35.9%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	792 (0.3%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	2,508 (0.3%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	534 (0.3%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	247,819 (26.3%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	174,358 (18.5%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	623 (1.5%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		11.4		17.6	19.7	41.8		13.9	10.2	13.2	16.3	F	31	11.7	F	17
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	14.3	-	41	16.5	-	43
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	89.0	89.5	76.4	76.3	77.5					83.2	85.5	U	8	87.1	U	9
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	53	F	29	53	F	29

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	80.8	86.1	86.9	65.0	70.4	89.1	80.0		59.7	86.8	85.4	S	18	84.7	U	39		
Mammograms (%)	67.3	78.4	71.1	52.7	87.3			75.8	68.7	78.8	74.0	S	32	75.8	S	44		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	39.0	38.8	56.3	23.8	45.7			33.4	45.9	41.3	41.0	S	16	39.0	U	40		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	28.9	38.7	20.4	30.2	26.5	23.7	33.5		43.5	28.6	30.0	F	27	29.2	F	28		
Overweight (%)										33.3	36.2	F	50	34.1	F	35		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	24.5	F	38	24.2	F	44		
Smoking (%)	25.6	24.5	26.0	38.6		29.7	26.0		11.3	21.2	23.6	F	45	24.5	F	46		
Binge Drinking (%)	8.8					13.6	4.4			7.4	7.3	F	29	9.0	F	36		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				65.2	U	40		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	102.4	102.6	173.3	173.7	61.5	59.4	59.6				95.4	110.0	U	40	108.7	U	41	
Stroke Death Rate	24.5	24.5	35.0	35.0	21.1						24.1	26.0	F	35	25.5	F	34	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	30.2	30.3	35.5	35.7							26.9	30.1	F	42	30.5	F	44	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.4	18.5	27.1	27.0							19.5	20.3	S	33	19.1	S	29	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		25.1		41.1		43.2		13.2	35.5	51.7	24.7	29.4	F	48	26.9	F	38	
Diabetes (%)		4.5		8.6				1.6	6.6	11.7	5.9	5.6	F	30	5.9	F	26	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	2.9	S	25	3.5	S	26	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	4.1	S	15	4.1	S	14	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	5.8		15.3								7.7	7.4	F	33	7.4	F	33	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.9	-	39	3.8	-	24	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.48		73.52					74.07				78.81	78.82	U	27	78.82	U	27
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.7	-	27	2.8	-	3
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.2	6.2	15.5	15.5	5.5							7.2	7.4	U	24	7.6	U	31
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	7.8		29.1		16.9	41.5	8.8		12.5	6.3	10.9	12.2	11.1	F	18	10.5	F	18
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	74.6	F	11	75.4	F	11
High School Completion (%)	87.8		76.2		66.0	72.9	89.3					84.0	81.6	U	36	86.1	U	26

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Missouri	U.S.
Total Population of Women	2,764,167 (51.7%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	2,084,445 (51.7%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	2,327,703 (84.2%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	337,033 (12.2%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	36,029 (1.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	32,391 (1.2%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	31,010 (1.1%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	590,188 (21.4%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	355,421 (12.9%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	870,435 (31.5%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	561,188 (20.3%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	336,750 (12.2%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	50,184 (1.8%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	645,060 (30.9%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$25,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,880 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	75,787 (3.6%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	1,902,125 (68.8%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	2,572 (0.6%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	8,225 (0.5%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	3,193 (0.7%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	543,019 (29.9%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	424,247 (23.3%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	592 (0.8%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		19.3			17.9	15.6		22.1	13.2	13.2	18.7	F	38	17.5	F	36
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	12.1	-	32	12.4	-	36
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	85.8	86.1	85.7	87.5	76.4					83.2	82.7	U	28	83.8	U	26
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	41	F	12	41	F	12

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	79.7		78.0	88.2	44.1	86.8	78.4		59.4	86.8	80.6	U	49	88.8	S	10		
Mammograms (%)	67.3	78.6	64.5	59.6	90.1			71.8	69.6	78.8	72.3	S	37	79.3	S	26		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	41.4		26.9	30.1				34.2	49.7	41.3	41.0	S	16	43.1	S	20		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	22.6	48.9	24.2	42.4	54.0	17.8	24.0		41.0	28.6	27.1	F	20	24.8	F	10		
Overweight (%)										33.3	28.2	F	14	27.3	F	8		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	28.9	F	25	27.4	F	23		
Smoking (%)	20.8		18.4	47.2		23.8	24.0		11.3	21.2	21.4	F	31	19.7	F	13		
Binge Drinking (%)	8.9					13.5	5.2			7.4	6.7	F	25	10.4	F	45		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				66.7	U	39		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	70.2	70.1				85.6				95.4	73.8	S	7	70.8	S	5		
Stroke Death Rate	22.6	22.4				40.4				24.1	23.7	F	23	23.2	F	23		
Lung Cancer Death Rate	25.5	25.5				45.7				26.9	26.4	S	25	26.0	S	20		
Breast Cancer Death Rate	16.3	16.3								19.5	19.0	S	17	16.6	S	4		
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.7		36.1	29.9	33.5		10.7	29.4	46.3	24.7	23.5	F	25	24.3	F	24	
Diabetes (%)		3.7						1.1	6.0	8.4	5.9	4.1	F	13	5.3	F	15	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)										8.7	1.6	S	11	0.0	S	1		
Arthritis (%) (National Only)										21.8								
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)										20.0								
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)										5.5	4.2	S	17	4.5	S	18		
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)										49.2								
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)										7.7	3.5	U	5	3.5	U	5		
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days										3.8	3.4	-	18	3.0	-	5		
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)										55.0								

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.92											78.81	79.49	U	22	79.49	U	22
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.2	-	15	3.1	-	10
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.7	6.5				10.1						7.2	7.1	U	19	7.1	U	25
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	14.0					43.0			21.0	10.0	10.2	12.2	15.9	F	42	15.9	F	46
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	73.3	F	17	68.9	F	40
High School Completion (%)	90.2					75.3						84.0	88.3	U	9	89.4	U	11

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Montana	U.S.
Total Population of Women	462,573 (50.0%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	329,631 (50.0%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	409,984 (88.6%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	686 (0.1%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	40,982 (8.9%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	2,174 (0.5%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	8,748 (1.9%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	107,694 (23.3%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	73,420 (15.9%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	127,644 (27.6%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	98,375 (21.3%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	48,438 (10.5%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	7,001 (1.5%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	34 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	92,253 (28.0%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$20,400	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	248 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	16,995 (5.2%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	156,869 (33.9%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	319 (0.4%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	928 (0.4%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	584 (1.0%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	90,392 (32.1%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	63,411 (22.5%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	1,031 (9.5%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		7.4		15.0	11.8			9.2	5.6	13.2	8.8	U	5	11.2	F	16
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	7.7	-	15	7.7	-	14
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	85.4	87.4	73.8	73.9	68.8					83.2	84.5	U	14	84.4	U	21
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	47	F	16	47	F	16

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	78.7	77.5	81.0	64.7	74.3	87.3	81.0		56.3	86.8	82.4	U	42	86.0	S	32		
Mammograms (%)	68.6	75.7	69.1	44.4	67.2			78.3	63.2	78.8	69.7	S	46	78.0	S	33		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	32.9	36.7	34.0	39.8	45.7			27.5	39.8	41.3	35.1	F	37	33.6	F	50		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	22.7	36.6	28.8	39.8	21.4	18.5	23.9		36.8	28.6	25.6	F	13	31.0	F	34		
Overweight (%)										33.3	31.3	F	26	33.1	F	25		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	22.0	F	43	24.7	F	38		
Smoking (%)	20.2	23.2	16.3	42.5		25.7	16.6		9.8	21.2	19.1	F	10	20.6	F	20		
Binge Drinking (%)	9.2					13.9	4.6			7.4	8.4	F	41	8.4	F	33		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0						75.8	S	4

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	82.4	81.7	167.1	171.8	68.3	191.1					95.4	87.3	S	22	85.0	S	22	
Stroke Death Rate	21.0	21.0	40.8	42.0							24.1	22.1	F	10	21.7	U	10	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	21.6	21.6	32.5	33.4							26.9	22.1	S	8	21.9	S	8	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	17.8	17.7	27.9	28.8							19.5	18.8	S	16	18.1	S	13	
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.3		34.9	23.9		21.2	9.1	30.1	46.2	24.7	23.1	F	19	23.4	F	17	
Diabetes (%)		4.0		7.5				1.4	5.2	10.8	5.9	5.0	F	23	4.5	F	5	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	1.6	S	11	2.9	S	23	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	3.2	S	7	3.3	S	6	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.2										7.7	3.4	U	4	3.4	U	4	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.3	-	15	3.0	-	5	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	80.44							74.52				78.81	80.17	U	7	80.17	U	7
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.7	-	27	4.0	-	38
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	7.2	7.2	17.1	17.0	8.6							7.2	7.4	U	24	7.8	F	34
Poverty (%)	10.5		38.0		21.5		22.0		13.1	7.9	14.8	12.2	11.0	F	16	12.0	F	28
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	71.4	F	23	71.4	F	29
High School Completion (%)	93.5		77.6		54.0							84.0	87.2	U	12	91.2	S	6

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Nebraska	U.S.
Total Population of Women	839,369 (51.0%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	615,348 (51.0%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	743,954 (88.6%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	40,932 (4.9%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	6,287 (0.7%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	10,904 (1.3%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	37,291 (4.4%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	185,025 (22.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	131,222 (15.6%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	236,173 (28.1%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	165,294 (19.7%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	100,478 (12.0%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	21,176 (2.5%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	175,230 (28.5%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$22,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	249 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	25,538 (4.2%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	438,746 (52.3%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	784 (0.5%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	2,074 (0.4%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	1,630 (1.2%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	164,273 (31.4%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	102,668 (19.6%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	466 (2.0%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001			
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		14.9				15.0			16.0	12.6	13.2	20.8	F	44	15.8	F	33
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)											9.5	12.9	-	36	11.4	-	31
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	75.5	83.2	69.6	69.8	62.0						83.2	77.6	F	47	75.2	F	49
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*											32	12	F	6	12	F	6

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	81.2	75.1	80.5	83.5	65.3	86.1	80.5		64.2			86.8	85.1	S	22	83.8	U	44
Mammograms (%)	68.7	74.5	63.6	87.0	49.7				73.1	69.4		78.8	71.6	S	38	77.7	S	34
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	39.3	53.3	27.3	25.3	9.1				33.5	44.5		41.3	32.2	F	46	43.9	S	16
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	24.6	30.0	30.4	18.5	29.2	23.5	30.3		28.2			28.6	27.9	F	23	25.4	F	14
Overweight (%)												33.3	25.7	F	5	30.3	F	16
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)												26.9	25.1	F	36	24.3	F	43
Smoking (%)	30.4	34.9	22.6	33.2		31.4	30.4		22.2			21.2	28.0	F	50	29.4	F	51
Binge Drinking (%)	10.8	12.5	9.9			15.4	7.2					7.4	9.3	F	44	11.6	F	49
Annual Dental Visits (%)												0.0				61.5	F	47

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	100.6	104.2	134.3	142.6	39.5	81.9	58.8				95.4	101.4	U	32	101.4	U	35	
Stroke Death Rate	25.4	26.1	35.0	36.7	12.9		26.7				24.1	25.8	F	34	25.9	F	37	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	37.6	39.6	27.8	29.6			20.2				26.9	35.5	F	51	36.1	F	50	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.3	19.3	16.9	18.0							19.5	18.4	S	9	17.8	S	11	
High Blood Pressure (%)		23.4		48.6	20.9		26.4	13.8	31.3	51.0	24.7	21.8	F	8	29.8	F	46	
Diabetes (%)		3.3						1.2	3.9	10.9	5.9	3.6	F	5	4.8	F	8	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	5.8	S	32	6.2	S	34	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	7.1	F	41	6.1	F	32	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	5.9										7.7	6.4	F	28	6.4	F	28	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	4.1	-	43	4.2	-	41	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	8.5		25.3		15.4		9.5		12.6	6.0	12.3	12.2	9.6	U	10	10.6	F	21
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	73.9	F	14	74.1	F	17
High School Completion (%)	90.6		81.5		51.0		90.9					84.0	86.9	U	14	83.9	U	33

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Nevada	U.S.
Total Population of Women	954,403 (50.7%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	672,631 (50.7%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	656,925 (68.8%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	52,425 (5.5%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	8,433 (0.9%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	51,843 (5.4%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	184,778 (19.4%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	245,434 (25.7%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	109,475 (11.5%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	291,859 (30.6%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	196,306 (20.6%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	106,064 (11.1%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	5,265 (0.6%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	34 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	194,254 (28.9%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$25,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	743 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	31,164 (4.6%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	829,614 (86.9%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	3,992 (4.0%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	10,715 (2.9%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	1,825 (2.7%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	173,482 (28.9%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	103,176 (17.2%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	2,045 (7.6%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		10.6		45.3	21.3			13.5	6.5	13.2	11.3	F	14	10.6	F	13
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	5.8	-	8	5.2	-	6
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	91.0	91.4	72.9	70.9	80.6					83.2	89.1	U	3	90.7	S	2
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	26	F	21	26	F	21

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	80.8	53.4	75.4	81.2	57.0	88.8	83.8		61.3	86.8	84.2	U	34	90.1	S	3		
Mammograms (%)	74.6	60.7	73.4	64.2				85.0	75.0	78.8	77.1	S	21	84.1	S	10		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	39.7			45.7				34.2	45.8	41.3	39.3	U	23	40.4	S	34		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	23.4		30.3		59.8	18.4	27.2		36.9	28.6	25.8	F	14	27.7	F	20		
Overweight (%)										33.3	26.0	F	6	24.7	F	3		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	33.9	F	5	31.1	F	13		
Smoking (%)	22.4		41.6	29.9		28.1	19.6		11.3	21.2	21.0	F	26	23.7	F	40		
Binge Drinking (%)	9.7	54.5				16.3	3.0			7.4	7.8	F	37	11.8	F	50		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				75.0	S	12		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	83.7	81.6									95.4	85.8	S	18	83.4	S	20	
Stroke Death Rate	21.9	21.3									24.1	22.8	F	17	21.8	U	13	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	32.3	31.8									26.9	32.0	F	45	32.0	F	46	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	19.8	19.5									19.5	19.7	S	26	19.7	S	34	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.9						11.8	27.1	45.6	24.7	21.9	F	9	22.9	F	11	
Diabetes (%)		4.0						1.4	4.5	10.6	5.9	3.7	F	8	4.0	F	1	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	2.6	S	23	1.2	S	6	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	5.8	F	29	6.6	F	39	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)											7.7	1.9	S	1	1.9	S	1	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.8	-	36	3.1	-	8	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.74											78.81	79.77	U	14	79.77	U	14
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.4	-	19	3.3	-	18
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	4.4	4.2										7.2	5.3	S	2	4.5	S	1
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	9.0								10.1	6.5	12.3	12.2	8.3	U	2	9.3	U	12
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	73.6	F	16	70.2	F	34
High School Completion (%)	88.1											84.0	86.4	U	19	87.7	U	15

+States received an overall grade "U+" if they received an "S" on ten or more Status Indicators.

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	New Hampshire	U.S.
Total Population of Women	623,973 (50.9%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	450,924 (50.9%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	603,757 (96.8%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	5,635 (0.9%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	1,208 (0.2%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	6,195 (1.0%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	7,177 (1.2%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	146,125 (23.4%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	75,726 (12.1%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	185,399 (29.7%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	143,479 (23.0%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	63,081 (10.1%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	10,164 (1.6%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	36 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	117,741 (26.1%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$26,779	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	116 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	28,409 (6.3%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	391,231 (62.7%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	515 (0.6%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	3,309 (0.9%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	2,430 (3.3%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	123,811 (30.8%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	106,535 (26.5%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	2,061 (14.4%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		7.0		16.6	18.8			11.3	7.0	13.2	11.7	F	17	14.9	F	29
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	5.1	-	5	5.2	-	6
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	85.1	89.7	64.8	64.6	69.9					83.2	81.8	U	31	81.3	U	37
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	3	F	5	3	F	5

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	81.1	80.0	73.6	44.3	58.9	85.8	82.7		63.0	86.8	81.4	U	46	81.9	U	50		
Mammograms (%)	72.6	74.8	70.1	69.9	72.8			78.9	71.4	78.8	75.5	S	25	77.3	S	35		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	40.3	17.5	24.8	32.6	4.8			31.5	42.0	41.3	34.5	F	40	39.2	U	39		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	28.5	45.3	52.5	21.3	38.3	29.9	31.2		43.9	28.6	37.2	F	43	30.6	F	32		
Overweight (%)										33.3	27.0	F	10	28.7	F	11		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	29.7	F	20	30.6	F	14		
Smoking (%)	21.2	22.4	13.1			23.3	20.2		7.4	21.2	17.4	F	5	18.6	F	5		
Binge Drinking (%)	8.2		5.3			10.6	3.6			7.4	6.2	U	20	7.0	F	22		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				73.4	S	16		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Heart Disease Death Rate	89.8	92.2	128.7	135.6	43.1		33.9			95.4	96.3	S	27	93.3	S	27	
Stroke Death Rate	18.5	18.7	33.2	35.0	11.5		14.0			24.1	21.0	U	7	20.2	U	5	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	28.2	30.1	28.6	30.3	6.3		7.6			26.9	27.9	U	30	27.6	U	29	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	21.6	22.4	26.7	28.3	10.5		7.7			19.5	22.6	U	50	21.8	U	49	
Chlamydia (%)										5.5	6.7	F	39	6.3	F	35	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)										49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.9		19.0							7.7	6.9	F	31	6.9	F	31	
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days										3.8	2.9	-	6	3.5	-	14	
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)										55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.34		72.88					74.66				78.81	78.49	U	32	78.49	U	32
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days										3.5	3.7	-	27	2.9	-	5		
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	4.9	4.3	13.7	14.1	6.7		4.7			7.2	6.6	S	15	6.5	S	10		
Poverty (%)	6.0		17.3		17.9		10.2		9.2	8.4	10.2	12.2	9.5	U	9	9.2	U	11
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	67.9	F	40	70.0	F	37
High School Completion (%)	90.3		82.8		69.1		87.7					84.0	85.8	U	23	86.9	U	19

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	New Jersey	U.S.
Total Population of Women	4,208,569 (52.9%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	3,214,705 (52.9%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	2,895,404 (68.8%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	636,859 (15.1%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	11,594 (0.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	180,420 (4.3%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	484,292 (11.5%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	823,055 (19.6%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	545,401 (13.0%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	1,283,827 (30.5%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	989,116 (23.5%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	508,683 (12.1%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	58,487 (1.4%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	37 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	904,282 (28.1%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$30,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,653 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	154,975 (4.8%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	4,208,569 (100.0%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	32,334 (5.2%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	108,458 (4.4%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	30,175 (4.9%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	608,164 (21.4%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	774,912 (27.3%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	5,777 (5.1%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		16.7			30.1	9.5		25.2	16.4	13.2	27.9	F	49	26.7	F	50
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	16.0	-	42	14.5	-	41
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	68.1	73.6	62.6	61.8	64.4					83.2	69.7	F	50	66.8	F	51
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	47	F	36	47	F	36

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Mammograms (%)	68.9	73.4	63.0	63.3	56.0				73.2	70.0	78.8	75.0	S	28	78.8	S	27	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	41.1		32.2	22.3	8.0				32.2	44.8	41.3	35.3	F	35	41.3	S	27	
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	22.8	60.0	33.2	26.1	12.5	25.1	28.2		34.3	28.6	26.4	F	15	25.8	F	15		
Overweight (%)										33.3	30.6	F	20	33.6	F	29		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	24.1	F	40	24.5	F	41		
Smoking (%)	23.9		20.7	8.3		24.7	20.8		11.8	21.2	20.2	F	18	21.2	F	25		
Binge Drinking (%)	6.9		5.9			9.5	2.5			7.4	6.6	U	23	6.1	U	15		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0					64.7	U	42	

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Heart Disease Death Rate
Stroke Death Rate	21.3	20.3	20.2	24.1	22.9	19.0					24.1	22.1	F	10	21.2	U	9	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	20.8	24.6		12.7							26.9	20.4	S	5	19.8	S	4	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.8	19.1		17.2	12.0						19.5	19.3	S	19	18.2	S	16	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		20.7		47.5	19.7	26.3		10.2	25.6	44.5	24.7	20.0	F	3	21.6	F	6	
Diabetes (%)		3.3		7.2	15.9			1.8	7.2	11.9	5.9	4.8	F	19	6.7	F	37	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	3.0	S	26	1.3	S	8	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	6.0	F	34	5.5	U	25	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	7										7.7	9.5	F	42	9.5	F	42	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	4.3	-	47	4.4	-	48	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.9	-	36	3.6	-	29
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.5	6.4		6.6	7.2							7.2	6.2	S	9	6.6	S	14
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	13.0			25.0	30.8				22.6	13.8	18.7	12.2	21.4	F	50	19.1	F	50
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	72.5	F	21	70.2	F	34
High School Completion (%)	93.4			66.0	69.9							84.0	78.7	F	43	81.2	U	39

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	New Mexico	U.S.
Total Population of Women	900,949 (51.2%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	643,864 (51.2%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	409,354 (45.4%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	10,306 (1.1%)	18,309,891
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	98,511 (10.9%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	6,309 (0.7%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	376,470 (41.8%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	220,082 (24.4%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	108,983 (12.1%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	244,708 (27.2%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	198,080 (22.0%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	119,478 (13.3%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	9,619 (1.1%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	180,695 (28.1%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$21,528	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	315 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	29,392 (4.6%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	514,920 (57.2%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	10,425 (6.7%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	23,430 (5.1%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	7,848 (8.6%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	155,060 (27.1%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	126,073 (22.0%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	5,374 (20.0%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		9.5		18.7	16.3		10.4	14.3	8.4	13.2	13.3	F	21	12.5	F	22
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	9.8	-	25	10.0	-	28
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	84.2	88.1	71.0	71.2	71.8					83.2	79.1	F	42	81.0	U	38
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	8	F	7	8	F	7

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	83.7	84.7	81.4	60.1	68.6	86.8	88.1		65.3	86.8	83.8	U	36	85.6	S	34		
Mammograms (%)	75.3	74.6	73.2	70.9	83.3			81.8	72.9	78.8	77.1	S	22	81.6	S	17		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	38.9	41.8	26.6		22.0			31.8	45.3	41.3	38.3	U	25	39.3	U	38		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	30.3	44.8	46.8	50.5	49.6	31.9	34.2		44.8	28.6	35.1	F	38	31.6	F	35		
Overweight (%)										33.3	29.5	F	17	31.3	F	19		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	29.2	F	22	32.7	F	8		
Smoking (%)	25.1	17.6	17.4	23.4		28.0	19.3		10.6	21.2	22.8	F	39	20.7	F	21		
Binge Drinking (%)	8.4	3.1	4.8			10.6	3.2			7.4	5.4	S	14	7.5	F	26		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				71.9	S	21		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	107.3	106.5	140.9	155.5	76.9	53.4	57.7				95.4	114.8	F	46	111.2	F	42	
Stroke Death Rate	16.8	16.6	22.3	24.9	12.8		13.5				24.1	18.3	S	1	17.8	S	1	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	25.9	27.2	21.5	24.5	8.6		9.4				26.9	25.0	S	15	24.7	S	15	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	21.3	21.6	23.7	26.7	12.7		8.1				19.5	22.2	U	47	21.2	U	48	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		20.4		32.8	24.7			10.7	29.1	47.1	24.7	23.7	F	26	23.8	F	19	
Diabetes (%)		4.2		7.7	8.4			1.6	7.7	12.2	5.9	6.7	F	43	6.0	F	27	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	33.6	F	50	23.4	F	50	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	4.0	S	13	3.2	S	5	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	7.6		28.7								7.7	12	F	49	12	F	49	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.6	-	26	3.8	-	24	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.03		74.35					75.97				78.81	78.32	U	35	78.32	U	35
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	4.1	-	39	3.4	-	23
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	5.2	4.5	12.3	12.6	6.0		4.1					7.2	6.8	S	16	6.6	S	14
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	9.1		29.2		29.8	10.3	15.8		16.8	11.5	16.9	12.2	16.4	F	44	15.3	F	44
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	74.4	F	12	79.3	F	4
High School Completion (%)	87.8		75.5		58.4	88.6	81.5					84.0	80.1	U	40	81.7	U	38

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	New York	U.S.
Total Population of Women	9,726,678 (53.7%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	7,324,296 (53.7%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	6,206,826 (63.8%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,530,063 (15.7%)	18,309,891
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	33,272 (0.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	482,165 (5.0%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	1,474,351 (15.2%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	2,040,856 (21.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	1,198,901 (12.3%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	2,968,588 (30.5%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	2,117,375 (21.8%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	1,202,164 (12.4%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	198,796 (2.0%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	36 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	2,468,203 (33.7%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$28,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	3,502 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	502,913 (6.9%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	8,972,253 (92.2%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	92,371 (6.3%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	330,646 (5.7%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	98,510 (6.8%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	1,461,838 (22.5%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	1,680,881 (25.9%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	28,039 (10.9%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		13.2		14.0				15.5	9.4	13.2	14.2	F	27	14.8	F	28
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	11.1	-	31	10.1	-	29
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	88.4	91.1	76.1	76.0	68.7					83.2	83.5	U	23	85.0	U	19
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	39	F	25	39	F	25

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	85.1	86.5	86.9	81.2	88.6	91.0	85.8		73.2	86.8	87.7	S	6	89.3	S	7		
Mammograms (%)	73.5	72.9	70.7	71.6	86.6			81.3	73.7	78.8	79.0	S	9	80.3	S	22		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	38.6	35.3	33.3	29.8	22.7			33.1	43.6	41.3	37.9	U	26	38.9	U	41		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	32.9	46.8	32.2	46.3		33.8	35.1		45.4	28.6	31.1	F	29	33.3	F	41		
Overweight (%)										33.3	33.5	F	40	34.1	F	35		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	26.0	F	33	25.1	F	35		
Smoking (%)	24.3	19.1	21.4	23.2	30.3	27.2	22.9		9.8	21.2	22.2	F	35	23.9	F	41		
Binge Drinking (%)	4.8	2.7				7.0	2.0			7.4	3.3	S	4	5.3	S	10		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				69.0	U	31		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Heart Disease Death Rate	88.4	88.8	140.7	141.2	20.2	137.4	35.6				95.4	100.6	U	31	98.2	S	32
Stroke Death Rate	26.3	26.5	44.9	45.0		33.9					24.1	30.0	F	45	29.8	F	46
Lung Cancer Death Rate	27.4	27.6	20.9	21.0		15.1					26.9	25.3	S	17	26.1	S	21
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.2	18.4	28.0	28.1		16.4					19.5	20.6	S	36	20.0	S	39
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	9.7	F	47	8.5	F	45
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	6.3		21.2								7.7	11.9	F	48	11.9	F	48
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.7	-	30	3.5	-	14
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	8.8		27.3		31.7	37.7	21.3		15.2	11.8	16.2	12.2	12.5	F	27	14.3	F	41
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	74.1	F	13	75.2	F	12
High School Completion (%)	83.7		74.5		50.1	56.3	94.2					84.0	82.2	U	32	80.5	F	41

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	North Carolina	U.S.
Total Population of Women	3,818,340 (51.9%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	2,909,915 (51.9%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	2,616,350 (68.5%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	941,615 (24.7%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	60,562 (1.6%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	65,433 (1.7%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	134,380 (3.5%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age		
0-14	773,547 (20.3%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	490,459 (12.8%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	1,148,557 (30.1%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	891,927 (23.4%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	468,036 (12.3%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	45,815 (1.2%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	36 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	801,801 (27.6%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$24,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,938 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	173,204 (6.0%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	2,559,092 (67.0%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	2,631 (0.5%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	9,375 (0.4%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	1,518 (0.3%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	597,464 (23.4%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	588,142 (23.0%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	7,598 (7.1%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		10.9				19.1		12.6	8.7	13.2	11.3	F	14	13.8	F	26
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	16.6	-	43	14.2	-	40
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	88.3	88.6	72.1	72.6	81.7					83.2	84.7	U	12	86.3	U	13
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	80	F	46	80	F	46

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	80.6		81.5	87.7		87.8	78.9		62.7	86.8	85.5	S	17	84.1	U	43		
Mammograms (%)	72.1		76.8	78.8				75.3	73.8	78.8	74.9	S	31	79.5	S	25		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	39.2			46.3				30.5	49.0	41.3	41.8	S	15	39.6	U	36		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	32.0		30.8	50.0	14.4	25.0	36.3	50.3		28.6	33.4	F	34	24.8	F	10		
Overweight (%)										33.3	30.8	F	21	33.2	F	26		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	29.4	F	21	28.5	F	19		
Smoking (%)	19.7			45.9		25.8	20.1		6.3	21.2	18.3	F	6	20.8	F	22		
Binge Drinking (%)	11.1					16.6	5.8			7.4	10.6	F	50	9.9	F	42		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				70.8	S	25		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Heart Disease Death Rate	69.7	68.1				134.9					95.4	74.5	S	8	71.1	S	6
Stroke Death Rate	22.2	21.4									24.1	22.6	F	14	22.5	F	20
Lung Cancer Death Rate	21.4	20.8									26.9	21.6	S	7	21.7	S	7
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.5	18.0									19.5	17.9	S	8	18.4	S	18
Reproductive Health																	
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	3.8	S	11	3.3	S	6
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2						
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	6.1										7.7	7.7	F	36	7.7	F	36
Mental Health																	
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.0	-	8	2.9	-	3
Violence Against Women																	
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0						

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	81.32											78.81	80.99	U	2	80.99	U	2
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.5	-	23	3.0	-	9
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.4	6.4			11.0							7.2	7.1	U	19	6.8	S	19
Poverty (%)	12.3				48.8			17.6	6.4	16.5	12.2	13.7	F	32	14.1	F	39	
Wage Gap (%)											73.5	64.0	F	49	69.6	F	39	
High School Completion (%)	88.8				72.0						84.0	86.0	U	21	87.9	U	14	

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
<i>Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance</i>		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
<i>Health Support Services</i>		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
<i>Access to Specific Services</i>		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
<i>Screening</i>		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
<i>Prevention</i>		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	North Dakota	U.S.
Total Population of Women	323,163 (52.4%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	242,136 (52.4%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	296,042 (91.6%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,303 (0.4%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	22,390 (6.9%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	1,490 (0.5%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	1,938 (0.6%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age		
0-14	64,541 (20.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	47,559 (14.7%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	89,725 (27.8%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	70,938 (22.0%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	43,874 (13.6%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	6,526 (2.0%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	37 years	35 years
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Households Headed by Single Women	69,362 (28.6%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
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Median Earnings for Women	\$20,826	\$25,000
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Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	69 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
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Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	8,863 (3.7%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
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Women Residing in Urban Areas	140,604 (43.5%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
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Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	110 (0.2%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	1,130 (0.6%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	1,680 (3.2%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	66,625 (31.6%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
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Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	47,711 (22.6%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
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Births Attended by a Midwife	484 (5.8%)	271,663 (7.0%)
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For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		10.5		13.4				13.8	6.1	13.2	11.7	F	17	12.4	F	21
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	8.3	-	19	7.3	-	13
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	88.4	88.6	76.3	76.6	77.9					83.2	85.4	U	10	86.6	U	11
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	50	F	38	50	F	38

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	82.2	83.9	91.5	71.2	89.1	89.1	82.0		63.4	86.8	84.2	U	35	86.5	S	29		
Mammograms (%)	72.5	76.1	84.8	70.7	98.6			80.5	69.0	78.8	73.4	S	34	81.1	S	19		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	35.8	32.8	19.7	54.3				28.5	43.9	41.3	33.2	F	43	39.4	U	37		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	38.1	53.0	49.3		42.8	35.5	42.3		48.1	28.6	33.4	F	34	32.3	F	39		
Overweight (%)										33.3	31.9	F	31	35.9	F	45		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	20.1	F	46	24.7	F	38		
Smoking (%)	25.2	25.3	24.8			31.6	21.7		11.1	21.2	22.8	F	39	25.9	F	49		
Binge Drinking (%)	5.5					8.5	2.7			7.4	4.3	S	12	5.9	S	13		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				68.1	U	34		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Chronic Conditions
Heart Disease Death Rate	99.6	98.8	148.1	147.7	66.2		33.3				95.4	107.9	U	39	104.0	U	37	
Stroke Death Rate	22.4	22.2	35.1	34.9	16.1		15.2				24.1	23.9	F	25	23.6	F	24	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	29.3	29.1	34.5	34.5	12.2						26.9	29.8	F	40	29.7	U	39	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	19.8	19.7	26.6	26.5	11.2						19.5	21.2	U	42	20.4	S	41	
High Blood Pressure (%)		23.7		33.8	25.5	23.3		11.4	34.1	49.7	24.7	22.7	F	16	27.1	F	42	
Diabetes (%)	5.1	8.6						1.7	8.9	11.9	5.9	5.3	F	26	6.3	F	33	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	2.4	S	20	2.2	S	17	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	5.3	U	24	5.9	F	30	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	4.5		16.8								7.7	6.3	F	25	6.3	F	25	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.3	-	15	4.0	-	32	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Poverty (%)	8.9		25.2		12.7		6.4		12.9	8.6	8.6	12.2	12.0	F	25	10.8	F	24
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	69.1	F	36	70.7	F	32
High School Completion (%)	87.7		77.4		78.3		90.0					84.0	86.3	U	20	86.4	U	23

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Ohio	U.S.
Total Population of Women	5,837,629 (52.8%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	4,377,369 (52.8%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	4,962,164 (85.0%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	745,582 (12.8%)	18,309,891
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	14,915 (0.3%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	43,876 (0.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	71,092 (1.2%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age		
0-14	1,197,707 (20.5%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	816,863 (14.0%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	1,686,708 (28.9%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	1,309,605 (22.4%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	710,840 (12.2%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	115,906 (2.0%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
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Households Headed by Single Women	1,366,773 (31.2%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
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Median Earnings for Women	\$26,000	\$25,000
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Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	2,912 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
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Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	264,003 (6.0%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
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Women Residing in Urban Areas	4,740,989 (81.2%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
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Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group

5-17	7,760 (0.8%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	21,171 (0.7%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	13,663 (1.6%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	846,390 (22.1%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
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Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	866,290 (22.7%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
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Births Attended by a Midwife	6,537 (4.3%)	271,663 (7.0%)
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For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Key

Meets Policy

Limited Policy

Weak Policy

No Policy/Harmful Policy

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Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		19.0		17.6	21.2	12.1		21.0	14.1	13.2	22.7	F	47	19.6	F	41
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	9.8	-	25	9.0	-	21
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	82.6	83.8	73.1	73.2	68.7					83.2	78.7	F	44	80.5	F	42
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	54	F	24	54	F	24

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	82.0	83.5	78.7	83.6	72.7	87.1	82.1		65.2	86.8	84.8	U	28	85.6	S	34		
Mammograms (%)	65.5	62.7	67.5	70.3	60.2				72.6	65.4	78.8	70.9	S	44	74.3	S	46	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	29.5	30.4		26.6					27.2	33.0	41.3	24.9	F	51	35.4	F	48	
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	37.7	46.0	48.9	44.2	52.2	34.2	40.6		52.1	28.6	45.4	F	50	34.8	F	44		
Overweight (%)										33.3	31.7	F	29	34.4	F	38		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	23.1	F	42	21.3	F	49		
Smoking (%)	24.5	20.3	26.1	24.1		28.0	24.9		9.5	21.2	21.2	F	29	22.9	F	35		
Binge Drinking (%)	4.5			8.6		6.9	2.8			7.4	4.3	S	12	4.6	S	7		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				59.2	F	50		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	113.1	112.5	162.5	168.0	50.8	84.3	81.3				95.4	114.1	F	43	114.1	F	46	
Stroke Death Rate	27.0	18.3	42.7	28.4	19.2						24.1	27.9	F	41	27.4	F	41	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	30.6	21.5	28.7	20.1	15.6						26.9	29.3	U	39	29.5	U	37	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	19.0	13.1	24.7	15.4	13.4						19.5	19.9	S	28	18.9	S	26	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		22.7		32.9	22.6	30.4		15.2	28.3	40.1	24.7	22.5	F	13	24.1	F	22	
Diabetes (%)		5.2		8.3		12.1		2.9	8.5	11.9	5.9	7.8	F	49	6.0	F	27	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	2.2	S	17	3.8	S	27	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health (per 100,000)																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	6.7	F	39	5.2	U	23	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	4.6		18.4								7.7	6.2	F	23	6.2	F	23	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	2.4	-	2	2.7	-	1	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	78.59		74.48					78.21				78.81	78.49	U	32	78.49	U	32
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	5.1	-	45	4.3	-	43
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	7.5	7.6	14.2	14.3	5.8	8.0						7.2	8.3	F	35	8.1	F	36
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	10.3		29.9		19.4	23.4	16.3		12.3	14.6	13.0	12.2	14.5	F	34	13.2	F	33
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	63.3	F	50	74.1	F	17
High School Completion (%)	85.0		89.4		77.7	78.0	92.1					84.0	82.2	U	32	80.5	F	41

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Services

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Oklahoma	U.S.
Total Population of Women	1,707,187 (52.5%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,288,781 (52.5%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	1,338,602 (78.4%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	135,690 (7.9%)	18,309,891
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	151,119 (8.9%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	36,536 (2.1%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	45,241 (2.7%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	347,977 (20.4%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	210,074 (12.3%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	479,898 (28.1%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	401,482 (23.5%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	244,159 (14.3%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	23,597 (1.4%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	37 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	362,979 (28.2%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women (State Jurisdictions)	\$24,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	2,091 (0.1%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	87,173 (6.8%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	1,035,739 (60.7%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	2,152 (0.7%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	7,074 (0.7%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	1,438 (0.6%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	293,418 (25.5%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	239,706 (20.9%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	2,076 (4.3%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		11.0				28.8		14.8	8.1	13.2	16.4	F	33	15.9	F	34
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	10.1	-	28	9.3	-	23
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	81.2	83.8	76.0	76.1	68.6					83.2	79.9	F	40	80.9	F	39
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	38	F	30	38	F	30

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

Screening	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Mammograms (%)	74.1	85.7	70.1	64.6	91.6				81.2	75.0	78.8	78.7	S	11	82.7	S	15	
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	44.5		49.0	29.3					38.4	52.2	41.3	44.3	S	8	46.6	S	8	
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	18.8	29.9	31.2	24.1	21.3	16.2	21.0		29.6	28.6	20.9	F	3	21.1	F	4		
Overweight (%)										33.3	31.5	F	27	32.5	F	22		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	30.0	F	19	31.4	F	11		
Smoking (%)	20.2	37.2	20.0	33.1		24.6	18.8		10.9	21.2	20.5	F	22	19.4	F	11		
Binge Drinking (%)	7.8			22.4		11.9	5.9			7.4	7.3	F	29	8.2	F	30		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				68.6	U	33		

III. Key Conditions

Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Heart Disease Death Rate
Stroke Death Rate	28.2	28.3	42.5	45.3	16.9	22.8	37.0				24.1	28.9	F	44	28.5	F	43	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	30.4	30.8									26.9	30.3	F	44	29.8	F	42	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	18.9	19.1	22.8	24.5							19.5	19.1	S	18	18.8	S	23	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.7		41.7	20.3			11.0	28.0	44.5	24.7	23.3	F	21	23.1	F	13	
Diabetes (%)		4.2						1.6	6.8	10.1	5.9	4.7	F	18	5.8	F	23	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	1.3	S	9	1.4	S	10	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	3.5	S	9	3.7	S	10	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.6										7.7	4.6	F	13	4.6	F	13	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.6	-	26	4.3	-	46	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

Overall Health	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.4	-	19	3.7	-	32
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	5.4	5.3	10.4	10.2	6.1		5.1					7.2	6.1	S	8	5.5	S	4
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	12.7		4.1		25.8	38.6	16.9		18.1	8.6	9.4	12.2	11.5	F	20	13.6	F	38
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	69.6	F	35	67.7	F	46
High School Completion (%)	89.2					72.0						84.0	86.0	U	21	87.9	U	14

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Oregon	U.S.
Total Population of Women	1,720,273 (51.0%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	1,276,166 (51.0%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)
Women by Race		
	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	1,482,101 (86.2%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	34,978 (2.0%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	29,029 (1.7%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	67,568 (3.9%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	106,596 (6.2%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)
Women by Age		
0-14	393,815 (22.9%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	191,531 (11.1%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	516,373 (30.0%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	406,671 (23.6%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	189,153 (11.0%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	22,731 (1.3%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)
Median Age of Women	35 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	379,011 (29.7%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$25,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	523 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	66,572 (5.2%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	1,255,686 (73.0%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group		
5-17	3,986 (1.6%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	10,674 (1.2%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	2,918 (1.3%)	609,391 (3.3%)
Women with Some College or Associate Degree	356,618 (31.4%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	285,651 (25.2%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	5,870 (13.4%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		8.3		14.1	11.9			10.8	5.7	13.2	12.0	F	19	9.6	U	8
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	5.6	-	7	4.7	-	4
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	87.6	88.5	71.6	71.6	73.9					83.2	84.2	U	16	85.2	U	17
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	37	F	32	37	F	32

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	80.2	84.0	72.0	95.1	75.6	88.1	81.5		60.5	86.8	83.8	U	37	85.5	S	36		
Mammograms (%)	71.8	79.4	62.8	44.6	82.4			79.1	72.4	78.8	77.3	S	17	78.7	S	28		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	35.4	33.1	45.7					31.5	40.6	41.3	35.1	F	37	37.9	U	42		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	29.9	45.2	38.2	21.4	28.4	25.4	35.2		44.2	28.6	35.9	F	40	24.9	F	12		
Overweight (%)										33.3	33.9	F	41	32.5	F	22		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	27.1	F	28	28.5	F	19		
Smoking (%)	23.6	30.0	26.2	35.6		29.2	23.2		9.5	21.2	23.5	F	43	23.3	F	39		
Binge Drinking (%)	7.8	4.8				11.7	3.6			7.4	6.8	F	26	6.8	F	21		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				71.4	S	24		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	98.5	98.7	142.1	143.5	65.6		40.6			95.4	105.3	U	35	101.9	U	36		
Stroke Death Rate	21.7	21.6	35.2	35.5	20.8		21.6			24.1	23.1	F	21	22.8	F	21		
Lung Cancer Death Rate	25.4	25.6	37.5	38.0	8.7		9.2			26.9	25.8	S	20	26.3	S	23		
Breast Cancer Death Rate	20.1	20.2	27.1	27.5	13.2		9.0			19.5	21.6	U	44	20.6	S	43		
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		19.8		33.3	24.9	14.3		9.2	29.2	43.6	24.7	22.5	F	13	23.9	F	20	
Diabetes (%)		4.7		7.9			17.0	1.7	6.5	12.8	5.9	6.0	F	38	7.4	F	44	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)										8.7	7.7	S	36	8.4	S	39		
Arthritis (%) (National Only)										21.8								
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)										20.0								
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)										5.5	5.9	F	30	6.5	F	38		
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)										49.2								
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)	3.9		20.5							7.7	6.4	F	28	6.4	F	28		
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days										3.8	3.1	-	11	3.9	-	30		
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)										55.0								

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.28		73.02					73.78				78.81	78.66	U	28	78.66	U	28
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days										3.5	3.8	-	33	3.1	-	10		
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	6.2	6.0	15.8	15.7	8.7		5.0			7.2	7.8	F	31	7.5	U	30		
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	7.7		28.1		29.6	55.8	30.5		13.2	7.7	9.1	12.2	11.9	F	24	10.7	F	22
Wage Gap (%)										73.5	71.2	F	25	71.5	F	27		
High School Completion (%)	87.4		77.4		78.3		90.0			84.0	86.3	U	20	86.4	U	23		

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
<i>Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance</i>		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
<i>Health Support Services</i>		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
<i>Access to Specific Services</i>		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
<i>Screening</i>		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
<i>Prevention</i>		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions (Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Pennsylvania	U.S.
Total Population of Women	6,060,380 (52.8%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	4,721,000 (52.8%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	5,089,107 (84.0%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	678,025 (11.2%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	14,129 (0.2%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	107,401 (1.8%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	171,719 (2.8%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	1,091,429 (18.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	787,586 (13.0%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	1,745,518 (28.8%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	1,451,463 (24.0%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	873,158 (14.4%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	111,225 (1.8%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	39 years	35 years
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Households Headed by Single Women	1,417,531 (30.0%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
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Median Earnings for Women	\$25,000	\$25,000
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Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	1,517 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
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Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	272,746 (5.8%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
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Women Residing in Urban Areas	5,137,932 (84.8%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)
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Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	15,562 (1.4%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	37,566 (1.0%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	24,195 (2.2%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	748,724 (17.9%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
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Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	874,880 (20.9%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
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Births Attended by a Midwife	9,519 (6.6%)	271,663 (7.0%)
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For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite

Status Indicators

I. Women's Access to Health Care Service

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	U.S. Data	2000			2001		
											State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank
Women Without Health Insurance (%)		7.5		16.5	7.9			8.8	6.1	13.2	9.8	U	7	9.6	U	8
People in Medically Underserved Areas (%)										9.5	9.6	-	24	9.4	-	24
First Trimester Prenatal Care (%)	92.4	93.6	83.2	83.7	86.1					83.2	89.6	U	2	91.3	S	1
Women in County Without Abortion Provider (%)*										32	37	F	33	37	F	33

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	50-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Pap Smears (%)	82.5	85.8	78.9	70.9	79.2	88.9	84.6		62.1	86.8	85.2	S	21	88.5	S	12		
Mammograms (%)	80.1	78.3	68.9	77.7	82.2			83.7	80.6	78.8	81.2	S	5	86.7	S	2		
Colorectal Cancer Screening (%)	41.5		34.4					36.6	47.3	41.3	38.6	U	24	46.6	S	8		
Prevention																		
No Leisure-Time Physical Activity (%)	29.1	30.5	39.6	45.7	45.1	28.0	27.2		44.2	28.6	32.9	F	33	30.6	F	32		
Overweight (%)										33.3	28.0	F	12	29.9	F	13		
Eating Five Fruits and Vegetables a Day (%)										26.9	28.1	F	26	34.9	F	5		
Smoking (%)	23.9	24.8	11.4			27.8	21.0		11.0	21.2	21.3	F	30	23.0	F	36		
Binge Drinking (%)	9.6		5.5			14.7	4.1			7.4	9.1	F	43	8.2	F	30		
Annual Dental Visits (%)										0.0				75.7	S	7		

III. Key Conditions

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank	
																		Key Causes of Death For Women (per 100,000)
Heart Disease Death Rate	86.2	86.1	130.9	151.5	35.2						95.4	90.3	S	25	87.2	S	25	
Stroke Death Rate	18.6	18.3	27.6	32.6							24.1	20.0	S	4	18.9	S	3	
Lung Cancer Death Rate	31.5	31.7	33.8	40.6							26.9	32.1	F	46	31.2	F	45	
Breast Cancer Death Rate	21.2	21.2									19.5	21.3	U	43	21.0	U	44	
Chronic Conditions																		
High Blood Pressure (%)		21.8		28.3	21.6	50.0		9.1	29.0	51.0	24.7	24.3	F	30	24.1	F	22	
Diabetes (%)		4.8		13.9				1.6	7.2	12.6	5.9	5.9	F	35	5.2	F	12	
AIDS Rate (per 100,000)											8.7	8.4	S	40	5.3	S	31	
Arthritis (%) (National Only)											21.8							
Osteoporosis (%) (National Only)											20.0							
Reproductive Health																		
Chlamydia (%)											5.5	2.5	S	2	10.5	F	49	
Unintended Pregnancies (%) (National Only)											49.2							
Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 100,000)											7.7	4.3	F	10	4.3	F	10	
Mental Health																		
Days Mental Health Was "Not Good" in Past 30 Days											3.8	3.5	-	23	3.8	-	24	
Violence Against Women																		
Violence Experienced Over Lifetime (%) (National Only)											55.0							

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	White	White (Non-Hispanic)	Black	Black (Non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian/Pacific Islander	Other than White	18-44	45-64	65+	U.S. Data	State Overall Data	State Grade	State Rank	2001 State Overall Data	2001 State Grade	2001 State Rank
Life Expectancy (years)	79.97											78.81	79.77	U	14	79.77	U	14
Days Activities Were Limited in Past 30 Days												3.5	3.7	-	27	3.2	-	14
Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000)	5.9	4.8	11.9	9.8	9.4							7.2	7.1	U	19	6.5	S	10
Economic Security and Education																		
Poverty (%)	8.0		22.9		45.0		16.0		10.7	8.0	13.0	12.2	12.3	F	26	10.5	F	18
Wage Gap (%)												73.5	72.6	F	19	68.6	F	44
High School Completion (%)	82.6		70.9		52.7		64.4					84.0	78.3	F	44	80.4	F	43

*This indicator is graded against a state-specific benchmark.

Policy Indicators

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
I. Women's Access to Health Care Services		
Eligibility and Outreach for Publicly Funded Health Insurance		
Medicaid Eligibility by Income*		
Methods to Expand Medicaid Coverage and Outreach*		
Other State Insurance for Adults		
Health Support Services		
Safety Net Services		
Family and Medical Support*		
Patients' Protections in Managed Care*		
Linguistic Access		
Access to Specific Services		
Pharmaceutical*		
Long-Term Care*		
Mental Health*		
Diabetes-Related Services		
Breast and Cervical Cancer Treatment*		
Family Planning*		
Maternity Stays/Infertility Treatment*		
Abortion Access*		
Violence Against Women*		

II. Addressing Wellness and Prevention

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Screening		
Pap Smears		
Chlamydia Screening		
Mammograms		
Osteoporosis Screening		
Colorectal Cancer Screening		
Prevention		
Exercise		
Nutrition*		
Smoking*		
Diabetes Control Program		
Arthritis Program		
Osteoporosis Public Education		
Sexuality and STD/HIV Education in Public Schools*		

III. Key Conditions

(Policies addressing key conditions are contained in Sections I, II and IV.)

IV. Living in a Healthy Community

	2000 Strength of Policy	2001 Strength of Policy
Economic Security*		
Discrimination*		
Gun Control*		
Environment*		

Demographics

	Rhode Island	U.S.
Total Population of Women	499,555 (52.6%)	139,566,690 (52.0%)
Population of Women Age 18 and Over	382,379 (52.6%)	104,364,420 (52.0%)

Women by Race	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
White (non-Hispanic)	424,277 (84.9%)	98,476,381 (70.6%)
Black (non-Hispanic)	25,891 (5.2%)	18,309,891 (13.1%)
American Indian/Alaskan Native (non-Hispanic)	2,166 (0.4%)	1,201,634 (0.9%)
Asian/Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	21,509 (4.3%)	5,489,427 (3.9%)
Hispanic	25,713 (5.1%)	16,089,357 (11.5%)

Women by Age	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
0-14	99,881 (20.0%)	29,423,068 (21.1%)
15-24	61,493 (12.3%)	18,915,463 (13.6%)
25-44	145,156 (29.1%)	42,015,502 (30.1%)
45-64	104,148 (20.8%)	30,511,208 (21.9%)
65-84	80,532 (16.1%)	16,625,430 (11.9%)
85 and over	8,345 (1.7%)	2,076,018 (1.5%)

Median Age of Women	38 years	35 years
Households Headed by Single Women	125,182 (32.7%)	30,786,026 (29.5%)
Median Earnings for Women	\$28,000	\$25,000
Women Prisoners (State Jurisdictions)	235 (0.0%)	74,941 (0.1%)
Women with Disabilities Affecting Workforce Participation	19,385 (5.1%)	5,639,925 (5.4%)
Women Residing in Urban Areas	457,912 (91.7%)	112,183,204 (80.4%)

Women Living in Linguistic Isolation by Age Group	Number (Percent)	Number (Percent)
5-17	3,921 (5.1%)	852,018 (3.9%)
18-64	10,713 (3.4%)	2,349,620 (3.0%)
65 and over	4,748 (5.1%)	609,391 (3.3%)

Women with Some College or Associate Degree	71,467 (21.1%)	23,542,977 (25.8%)
Women with a Bachelor's Degree or Higher	79,453 (23.5%)	21,308,346 (23.4%)
Births Attended by a Midwife	1,482 (11.9%)	271,663 (7.0%)

For further explanation, see p. 13.

*Composite