



Midwifery Integration State Scoring (MISS) System Report Card

Montana

State Rank: # 8

Integration Score: 51/100

51 out of a possible 100

Place of birth

more than 96% hospital

2.2% home

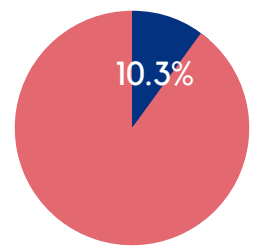
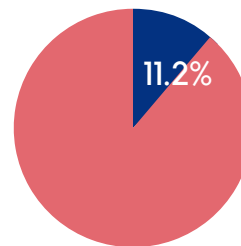
1.7% birth center

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

Births attended by midwives

Montana

U.S. Average



CPM includes Direct Entry Midwives where applicable

Outcome	Montana	US average	Outcome	Montana	US average
Cesarean	31.4%	32.2%	Spontaneous vaginal birth	48.3%	49.2%
Induction	24.6%	23.2%	VBAC	11.7%	11.3%
Premature birth	9.3%	9.6%	Breastfeeding at birth	88.2%	80.3%
Low birth weight	7.4%	8.0%	Breastfeeding at six months **	26.7%	24.9%
Neonatal mortality *	2.9/1000	4.0/1000			



for more information, visit birthplacelab.org

Outcomes based on 2014 CDC data except:

* 2013 CDC data

** 2014 National Immunization Survey

