



# HEALTHY MOTHERS, HEALTHY BABIES

Coalition of Georgia

Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia is a non-partisan 501(c) 3 and does not support or oppose any candidate for federal, state or local elected office.

- Support the extension of pregnancy Medicaid from six months to one year postpartum.
- Support legislation to protect pregnant and postpartum employees in the workplace and provide appropriate workplace accommodations.
- Ensure adequate funding to the Department of Public Health’s Maternal & Child Health Section.
- Support increasing the state tobacco product excise tax on both tobacco and tobacco alternative products.

## House District 49

### Maternal & Infant Health (2015-2019)

**11.2%**

Of Infants  
Born  
Premature

**10.8%**

Of Infants  
Born Low  
Birthweight

**6.7**

Infant Deaths  
Per 1,000 Live  
Births

**23.2%**

Of Mothers Did  
Not Receive  
Adequate  
Prenatal Care

## State of Georgia

### Maternal & Infant Health (2015-2019)

**11.3%**

Of Infants  
Born  
Premature

**9.9%**

Of Infants  
Born Low  
Birthweight

**7.3**

Infant Deaths  
Per 1,000 Live  
Births

**19.2%**

Of Mothers Did  
Not Receive  
Adequate  
Prenatal Care

Statistics based on county-level data for each district.

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