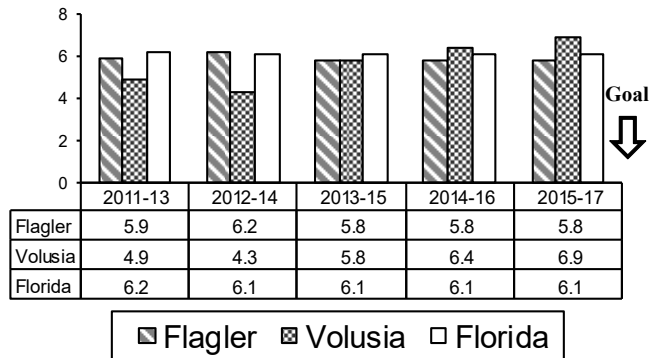


## Infant Mortality

### Infant Mortality Three-Year Rolling Rate, Per 1,000 Population



**This Indicator Measures...** the three-year rolling rate of infant mortality per 1,000 live births in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

**This is Important Because...** infant mortality is the rate at which babies less than one-year old die. It is considered a significant measure of a community's health.

Source: FLHealthCHARTS

Note: The Flagler rate decreased over the reporting period. The Volusia rate decreased until 2013-15 when it began to increase. The three-year rolling rate is an average value of an indicator over three rolling 3-year time periods and were used here to flatten out large fluctuations.

## First Trimester Pregnancy Care

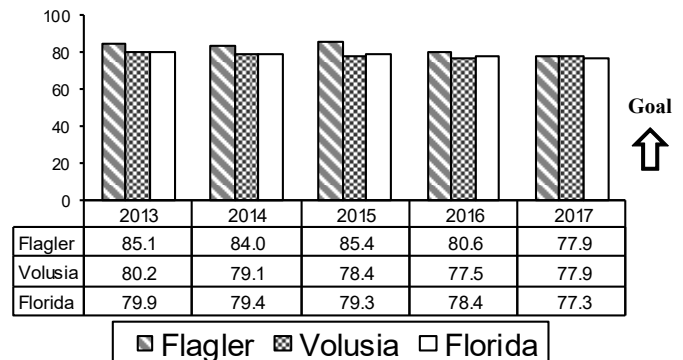
### Percent of Births to Mothers with First Trimester Care

**This Indicator Measures...** the percent of births to mothers with first trimester care in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

**This is Important Because...** the first trimester is considered the most crucial time for the baby's development.

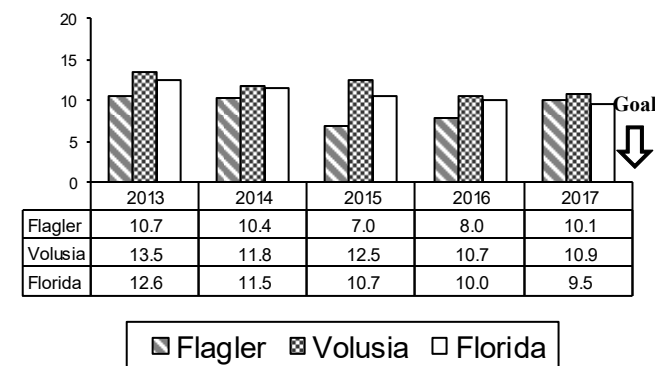
Source: FLHealthCHARTS

Note: After being steady through 2015, the Flagler County rate decreased in 2016. The Volusia County rate fluctuated slightly and decreased over the reporting period.



## Teenage Mothers

### Rate of Births to Mothers, Ages 10-19, Per 1,000 Population



**This Indicator Measures...** the total rate of births to mothers, ages 10-19 per 1,000 of the population in Flagler and Volusia Counties.

**This is Important Because...** statistically teenage mothers are unemployed or under-employed, do not receive and/or complete their education and live in poverty.

Source: FLHealthCHARTS

Note: The Flagler rate fluctuated and ended in 2017 almost where it began in 2013. The Volusia rate decreased over the reporting period. The rate for ages 10-17 is reported on page 26.

Additional note: For information on repeat teen births visit FLHealthCHARTS listed in Data Sources.