





**Delaware**  
**Birth Defects Counts and Prevalence 2014 - 2018 (Prevalence per 10,000 Live Births)**

Defect	Maternal Age (Years)		Total*	Notes
	Less than 35	35+		
Gastroschisis	23	0	23	
	<i>5.0</i>	<i>0.0</i>	<i>4.2</i>	
Trisomy 13	5	3	8	
	<i>1.1</i>	<i>3.4</i>	<i>1.5</i>	
Trisomy 18	2	8	10	
	<i>0.4</i>	<i>9.1</i>	<i>1.8</i>	
Trisomy 21 (Down syndrome)	46	51	97	
	<i>10.1</i>	<i>57.8</i>	<i>17.8</i>	
<b>Total live births</b>	<b>45,647</b>	<b>8,827</b>	<b>54,474</b>	

**Notes**

1. Data for this condition include atrial septal fenestrations and exclude atrial septal defects that self-close (not present after a month), which are considered patent foramen ovals.
2. Data for this condition include Pierre Robin anomalies with cleft palate.
3. Data for this condition, for the 2015 cohort and beyond, exclude talipes (varus, calcaneovarus, valgus, calcaneovalgus) or other varus/valgus deformities of feet.
4. Data for this condition include only cases involving surgical intervention. Data for this condition include male and unknown gender cases only. Prevalence is calculated per 10,000 male live births.
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6. Data for this condition include female and unknown gender cases only. Prevalence is calculated per 10,000 female live births.
7. Data for this condition include probable cases only if the defect was found prenatally and the fetus died without a confirmatory autopsy.

**General comments**

\*Data for totals include unknown and/or other.

-Data for all heart defects require an echocardiogram report.