



The Tallahassee-Leon County
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Quality of Life / Sustainability Segment:
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Title: Teenage Pregnancy & Teen Births

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Indicator:

The reported rate of births to teenage mothers age 15 to 19, per 1,000 females; and the percentage of repeat births to teenage mothers; both Leon County and statewide comparisons.

Analysis:

Leon County has retained a teenage pregnancy rate over 50% lower than the state of Florida's slowly declining rates. Leon County is seeing a falling rate, especially between 2009-2011. These years have also shown lowering rates for the state with a 23% decrease in the past six years.

Source(s):

FloridaCHARTS Reports and FloridaCHARTS School-aged Child and Adolescent Profile,
<http://www.floridacharts.com/charts/>

Chart 1: Teenage Pregnancy, Average 3-Year Rates

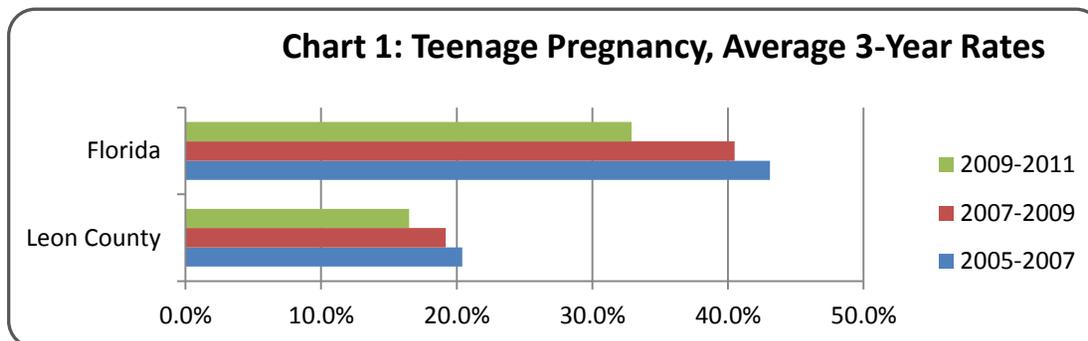


Chart 2: Percentage of Repeat Births, 3-Year Rates

