

# Factors Influencing Health Care Costs in Arkansas

<b><i>Indicator</i></b>	<b><i>Rate</i></b>
Women who receive first trimester prenatal care	9% <u>below</u> US Average
Births to women under age 18	45% <u>above</u> US Average
Infant Mortality	27% <u>above</u> US Average
Low birth weight infants	15% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from auto accidents	24% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from all accidents	19% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from heart disease	31% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from cancer	25% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from stroke	52% <u>above</u> US Average
Mortality from emphysema	19% <u>above</u> US Average