Low Birth Weight (< 2500) (Singleton Births)

- Most recent data (2012): 4.6 per 100 births, including 1,120 newborns.
- Trend over time: 2000-06: rising; 2006-12: falling

### Low birth weight (< 2500) (singleton births), King County, 2008-2012 average

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Low birth weight (< 2500) (singleton births)  
King County, 2008-2012 average

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Low birth weight (< 2500) (singleton births) by comparison areas

There is no Healthy People 2020 Objective for low birth weight (< 2500) (singleton births).

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- United States: N/A
- WA State: 4.6 (2012)
- King County: 4.6 (2012)

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