

Georgia Department of Community Health
2030 Projected Neonatal Intermediate Care Bed Need

Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. r. 111-2-2-.24(3)(a)2(i) to (v)							(i)		(ii)	(iii)		(iv)	(v)	
Planning Area SSDR	Female Population Ages 15-44			Resident Live Births			Three Year Average Birth Rate	Projected Female Population in Horizon Year 2030	Projected Birth Rate in Horizon Year 2030	Average Neonatal Intermediate Patient Days from 2023 & 2024 AHQs	Projected Neonatal Intermediate Patient Days in 2030	Projected Beds in Horizon Year 2030	Available & Approved Neonatal Interm. Beds from/since the 2024 AHQ	Surplus (Deficit)
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024								
1	177,776	178,802	179,804	10,624	10,657	10,931	0.0601	185,544	11,143	3,419	3,485	12	31	19
2	142,762	144,804	146,846	8,267	8,321	8,866	0.0586	159,509	9,346	7,459	7,863	27	37	10
3	1,030,417	1,037,927	1,045,425	54,988	54,283	54,250	0.0525	1,082,249	56,835	54,901	57,516	197	286	89
4	106,783	107,539	108,292	6,371	6,260	6,327	0.0588	111,850	6,573	3,296	3,423	12	31	19
5	142,276	143,700	145,126	7,634	7,823	8,062	0.0546	152,876	8,340	5,635	5,829	20	33	13
6	102,257	102,452	102,633	5,894	5,762	5,818	0.0569	103,007	5,856	6,361	6,403	22	33	11
7	97,053	97,372	97,695	5,798	5,550	5,618	0.0581	98,226	5,705	4,437	4,506	16	20	4
8	70,700	70,655	70,604	4,278	4,205	4,177	0.0597	70,128	4,189	3,308	3,317	12	24	12
9	52,013	52,130	52,264	3,385	3,444	3,416	0.0655	52,700	3,452	200	202	1	3	2
10	64,724	64,681	64,635	3,975	4,087	4,011	0.0622	63,521	3,952	8,318	8,196	29	26	(3)
11	83,276	83,732	84,193	5,163	5,188	5,287	0.0623	86,334	5,375	1,036	1,053	4	22	18
12	156,482	157,312	158,154	9,624	9,425	9,541	0.0606	162,332	9,834	18,679	19,252	66	63	(3)
Total	2,226,519	2,241,106	2,255,671	126,001	125,005	126,304	0.0561	2,328,276	130,599	117,045	121,044	418	609	191

Neonatal Intermediate Care Aggregate Utilization [Ga. Comp. R. & Regs. r. 111-2-2-.24(3)(a)4]			
SSDR	2023	2024	Meets 80% Standard Each Year?
1	31%	29%	No
2	51%	59%	No
3	54%	51%	No
4	28%	29%	No
5	51%	48%	No
6	53%	51%	No
7	44%	76%	No
8	39%	36%	No
9	18%	17%	No
10	110%	94%	Yes
11	11%	14%	No
12	72%	89%	No
Statewide	52%	54%	

Sources:
Resident Live Births 2022, 2023, and 2024 provided by Department of Public Health.
2022, 2023, 2024, and 2030 Population: Resident Population Projections, 2020-2035, Governor's Office of Planning and Budget (4/1/2023 Release)
Patient Days of Care, AHQ Perinatal Addenda