

## 2021 Obstetric Services Bed Need Projection

OB Area <sup>1</sup>	OB Bed Inventory <sup>2</sup>	Current Utilization Trend				Current and Projected Female Population Ages 15-44				Projected Days of Care	Bed Need Projection			Current Aggregate Utilization <sup>4</sup>		Final Outcome
		2015 OB Days <sup>3</sup>	2016 OB Days <sup>3</sup>	2014+2015 OB Days	Average OB Utilization Rate	Population in 2015	Population in 2016	Population In Both Years	Projected Population in 2021		Gross Need at 75% Occupancy	Net Excess or Surplus	Net Beds Needed	2015	2016	
1	97	15,565	15,960	31,525	9.33%	169,041	168,767	337,808	169,675	15,834	58	39	0	43.96%	45.08%	No Need
2	102	23,582	24,269	47,851	18.94%	125,548	127,076	252,624	137,367	26,019	96	6	0	63.34%	65.19%	No Need
3	765	187,465	194,257	381,722	19.97%	955,388	956,433	1,911,821	975,320	194,736	712	53	0	67.14%	69.57%	No Need
4	77	12,748	13,149	25,897	12.97%	99,812	99,870	199,682	101,829	13,206	49	28	0	45.36%	46.79%	No Need
5	63	14,730	15,079	29,809	11.51%	129,162	129,829	258,991	135,270	15,569	57	6	0	64.06%	65.58%	No Need
6	113	17,220	16,432	33,652	16.89%	99,852	99,346	199,198	98,413	16,626	61	52	0	41.75%	39.84%	No Need
7	121	19,081	19,955	39,036	21.16%	92,300	92,193	184,493	93,111	19,701	72	49	0	43.20%	45.18%	No Need
8	104	15,748	15,550	31,298	21.42%	73,374	72,712	146,086	70,368	15,076	56	48	0	41.49%	40.96%	No Need
9	61	5,543	5,423	10,966	10.43%	52,693	52,464	105,157	52,164	5,440	20	41	0	24.90%	24.36%	No Need
10	81	12,607	12,253	24,860	18.35%	68,001	67,491	135,492	65,908	12,093	45	36	0	42.64%	41.44%	No Need
11	79	12,894	12,500	25,394	15.47%	82,144	82,046	164,190	82,624	12,779	47	32	0	44.72%	43.35%	No Need
12	138	27,684	26,370	54,054	18.16%	148,430	149,172	297,602	154,746	28,107	103	35	0	54.96%	52.35%	No Need
1,801		364,867	371,197	736,064		2,095,745	2,097,399	4,193,144	2,136,795	375,186	1,376	425	0	55.50%	56.47%	

**Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> Effective April 1, 2003, the health planning areas for Obstetric Services were aligned to the twelve (12) State Service Delivery Regions (SSDR) as defined in O.C.G.A. § 50-4-7. The SSDR boundaries replace the previous thirteen health planning areas. The new planning areas were adopted by official action of the Health Strategies Council pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 31-6-20. See DCH Public Notice of March 3, 2003. SSDRs were amended effective July 1, 2005.

<sup>2</sup> Inventory based on approved and existing OB beds as of 3/24/2017. Includes programs who closed OB beds within the last 12-months.

<sup>3</sup> Represents data reported in the Annual Hospital Questionnaire (Perinatal Addendum).

<sup>4</sup> If numeric need for OB beds is projected in a region this need must also be accompanied by Aggregate Utilization of at least 75% in both of the most recent survey years to meet the criteria specified in 111-2-2-.24(3)(a)4 for new or expanded OB beds.

**Sources:**

2015 and 2016 Annual Hospital Questionnaire (Perinatal Addendum), Office of Health Planning  
 2015, 2016, and 2021 Resident Population Projections 2013-2025 (6/24/2016 Release), Governor's Office of Planning and Budget.