

# Mississippi State Department of Health

Birth Defects Registry Reporting Form  
Genetics Services  
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Jackson, MS 39215-1700  
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The physician must report every birth defect case the first time the patient is seen. A reporting form is required when reporting a suspected or diagnosed birth defect. If the patient is seen for another birth defect on another occasion, that defect shall also be reported.

## 1. Patient's Information

**Patient's name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI Suffix Date of Birth  
**Sex:** \_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female **Race:** \_\_\_ American Indian \_\_\_ Asian \_\_\_ Black \_\_\_ Hispanic \_\_\_ White \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Specify  
**Admission date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Discharge date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Medical Record #:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Mississippi Resident at Birth:** \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

## 2. Birth Information (If Known)

**Delivery status:** \_\_\_ Fetal Death \_\_\_ Live Birth \_\_\_ Stillborn  
**Birth Multiplicity:** \_\_\_ Single \_\_\_ Twin \_\_\_ More than two **Birth Weight** \_\_\_\_\_ **Head Circumference** \_\_\_\_\_  
Grams Time of Birth  
**Birth Facility:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Current Medical Provider:** \_\_\_\_\_

## 3. Birth Mother (or Other Responsible Party if Mother Unknown)

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last Relationship to patient  
**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ **County:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
**Caregiver Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(If different from above) First Middle Last

## 4. Diagnosis (ICD 10 and brief description)

Categorical Criteria for Reporting: Structural, Functional, Developmental  
(Includes CNS abnormalities), Related to Congenital Infection

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## 5. Contact Information

**Hospital:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Reporting Physician:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date reported:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Submitter's name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Submitter's phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Hospital staff to contact if additional information is needed*

## Additional Information

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## 6. Death Information (If applicable)

**Death Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Confidential Information

**BIRTH DEFECTS REGISTRY REPORTING FORM**  
**FORM No. 272**

**PURPOSE**

This form is designed for documentation and reporting of all infants and children with birth defects from birth to 21 years of age to the State's Birth Defects Registry.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. Patient's Information**

Last - Enter last name at birth, along with new last name (if name has changed since birth).

First - Enter first name (if known).

Middle - Enter middle name (if known).

Suffix - Enter suffix (if known).

Date of Birth - Enter infant's date of birth.

Sex - Check Male or Female.

Race - Check race.

Admission Date - Enter month, day and year of hospital admission.

Discharge date - Enter month, day and year infant was discharged from hospital.

Medical Record - Enter number assigned to the record by the facility to track medical records.

Mississippi Resident Birth - Check whether infant's mother was a Mississippi resident at birth.

**2. Birth Information (If Known)**

Delivery Status - Check fetal delivery status.

Birth Multiplicity - Check if a single birth, a twin or more than two.

Birth Weight - Enter infant's weight at birth in grams.

Head Circumference (at Birth) - Enter infant's head circumference at birth.

Birth Facility - Enter name of hospital where infant was born.

Current Medical Provider - Enter name of pediatrician or primary care provider.

### **3. Birth Mother (or Other Responsible Party if Mother Unknown)**

Name - Enter first name, middle name and last name.

Relationship to Patient - Enter relationship to infant.

Address - Enter address (street name and house or apartment number, or P.O. Box)

City/State/Zip - Enter city, state and zip code.

County - Enter county where mother lives.

Mother's Date of Birth - Enter month, day and year of mother's birth.

Caregiver Name - Enter name of caregiver if different from birth mother.

### **4. Diagnosis**

Enter ICD code that corresponds to the condition and a brief description of diagnosis/defect.

### **5. Contact Information**

Hospital - Enter name of hospital submitting the report.

Reporting Physician - Enter name of the physician reporting birth defect.

Date reported - Enter date of report.

Submitted by Name/Phone - Enter name of person submitting report and complete telephone number.

### **6. Death Information**

Date - Enter date of death (if applicable).

### **OFFICE MECHANICS AND FILING**

The completed forms are sent to:

Genetic Services/Birth Defects Surveillance Registry  
Mississippi State Department of Health  
P.O. Box 1700  
Jackson, MS 39215-1700

The information is entered into the Birth Defects Surveillance Registry (BDSR).  
The form is shredded after data is entered.