

16. VITAL STATISTICS BY MONTH AND BY RESIDENCE – 2008

PERIOD	Rural			Urban			TOTAL		
	Live Birth	Death	Infant Death	Live Birth	Death	Infant Death	Live Birth	Death	Infant Death
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
January	215	182	0	3175	713	95	3390	895	95
February	245	288	4	2898	764	91	3143	1052	95
March	223	186	1	3292	651	99	3515	837	100
April	235	268	1	3484	578	90	3719	846	91
May	284	207	0	3923	778	128	4207	985	128
June	286	256	3	2931	744	133	3217	1000	136
July	320	211	0	4232	689	127	4552	900	127
August	302	204	7	3570	715	144	3872	919	151
September	305	217	2	3736	776	110	4041	993	112
October	196	198	0	4131	777	122	4327	975	122
November	265	192	0	3652	759	109	3917	951	109
December	347	310	2	4937	856	107	5284	1166	109
TOTAL	3223	2719	20	43961	8800	1355	47184	11519	1375

Source: Local Administration Department, Puducherry.

The CRS System is functioning successfully in the U.T of Puducherry. Under the Civil Registration System, the birth rate for 2008 stands at 38.55, death rate 9.41 and the infant mortality rate is 29.14. The birth rate, death rate and Infant Mortality Rate estimated under CRS system is higher when compared with the rates under SRS System. This is due to improvement of health facilities in the Union Territory and people from adjacent areas also avail the medical facilities in the Union Territory.