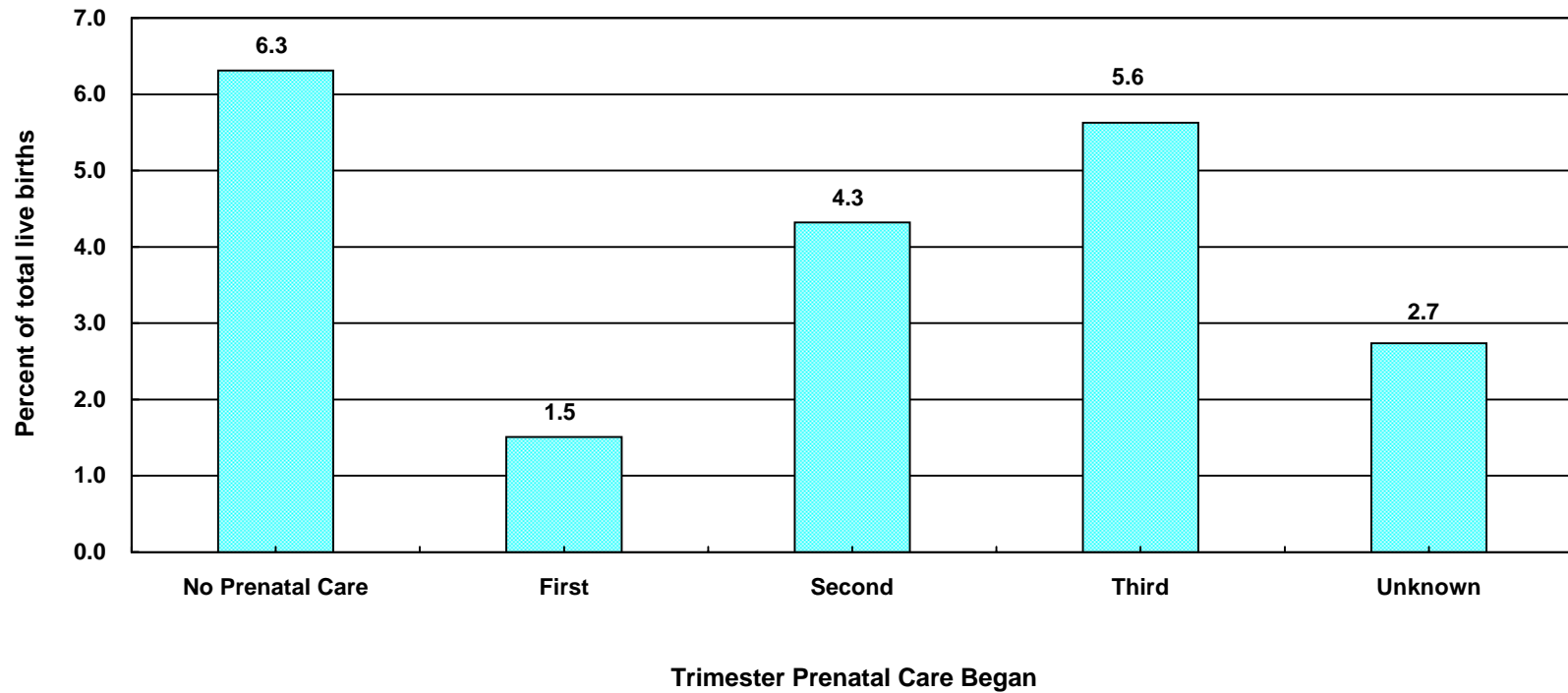


**Live Births to Mothers Less Than 17 Years Old as
Percent of Total Live Births by Trimester Prenatal Care (PNC) Began*
Los Angeles County, 2000**



	Trimester Prenatal Care Began									
	No Prenatal Care		First		Second		Third		Unknown	
Age	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
< 17	46	6.3	2,042	1.5	694	4.3	161	5.6	65	2.7
Total	729	100.00	135,356	100.00	16,069	100.00	2,862	100.00	2,375	100.00

Note: Total live births in Los Angeles County in 2000 was 157,391

* 'Trimester Prenatal Care Began' excludes the prenatal care experiences of all women whose pregnancies did not result in a live birth.

'PNC' = Prenatal Care

Source: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 2000