

TITLE V INDICATOR TEMPLATES

INDICATOR: Distribution of births by race/ethnicity, 1997

DEFINITION: The proportion of total live births for selected race/ethnic groups

NUMERATOR: Number of live births, by race/ethnicity, by place of residence, in a calendar year

DENOMINATOR: Total number of live births, by place of residence, in a calendar year

HEALTHY PEOPLE 2000 OBJECTIVE: None

RISK FACTORS: Not applicable

| | 1997 California | | | | 1997 LA County | | | |
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| | Live Births | | 95% Confidence Interval | | Live Births | | 95% Confidence Interval | |
| Race/Ethnicity | Number | Percent | Lower | Upper | Number | Percent | Lower | Upper |
| TOTAL | 524,174 | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% | 162,036 | 100.00% | 100.00% | 100.00% |
| Asian | 53,855 | 10.27% | 10.19% | 10.36% | 14,943 | 9.22% | 9.08% | 9.36% |
| African American | 35,957 | 6.86% | 6.79% | 6.93% | 14,530 | 8.97% | 8.83% | 9.11% |
| Hispanic | 248,795 | 47.46% | 47.33% | 47.60% | 100,228 | 61.86% | 61.62% | 62.09% |
| Native Am. | 2,587 | 0.49% | 0.47% | 0.51% | 304 | 0.19% | 0.17% | 0.21% |
| Pacific Islander | 2,818 | 0.54% | 0.52% | 0.56% | 611 | 0.38% | 0.35% | 0.41% |
| White | 176,598 | 33.69% | 33.56% | 33.82% | 31,072 | 19.18% | 18.98% | 19.37% |
| Other | 287 | 0.05% | 0.05% | 0.06% | 107 | 0.07% | 0.05% | 0.08% |
| Unknown | 3,261 | 0.62% | 0.60% | 0.64% | 241 | 0.15% | 0.13% | 0.17% |

| Live Births 1997 | |
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| DENOMINATOR: Total Live Births | |
| California | LA County |
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Source: 1997 birth records from California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics