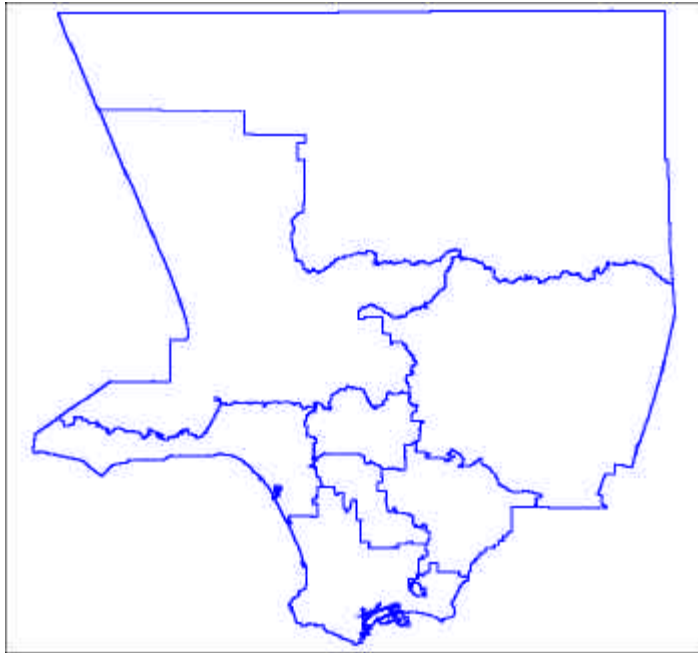


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Live Births by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	156,153	9,763,796	16.0
African American	13,724	846,122	16.2
Asian/PI	15,050	1,200,917	12.5
Hispanic	97,103	4,427,571	21.9
White	29,514	3,222,657	9.2
Other	762	66,529	11.5

Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19 by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	17,143	323,527	53.0
African American	1,968	30,509	64.5
Asian/PI	472	38,836	12.2
Hispanic	13,394	172,932	77.5
White	1,249	78,908	15.8
Other	60	2,342	25.6

Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	10,232	156,163	6.6
African American	1,716	13,724	12.5
Asian/PI	1,021	15,050	6.8
Hispanic	5,558	97,103	5.7
White	1,861	29,514	6.3
Other	76	762	10.0

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	156,153	156,153	100.0
Medi-Cal	73,259	156,153	46.9
Prepaid	48,088	156,153	30.8
Private	29,121	156,153	18.6
No Insurance	3,855	156,153	2.5
No PNC/Other	1,830	156,153	1.2

First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵ by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	132,670	156,153	85.0
African American	11,240	13,724	81.9
Asian/PI	13,374	15,050	88.9
Hispanic	80,373	97,103	82.8
White	27,069	29,514	91.7
Other	614	762	80.6

Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age) by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	841	156,163	5.4
Gender			
Male	465	79,955	5.8
Female	376	76,197	4.9
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	144	13,724	10.5
Asian/PI	56	15,050	3.7
Hispanic	485	97,103	5.0
White	153	29,514	5.2
Other	3	762	3.9

Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks) by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	801	156,964	5.1
Gender			
Male	408	80,363	5.1
Female	383	76,580	5.0
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	121	13,845	8.7
Asian/PI	49	15,057	3.3
Hispanic	476	97,247	4.9
White	146	29,554	4.9
Other	9	765	11.8

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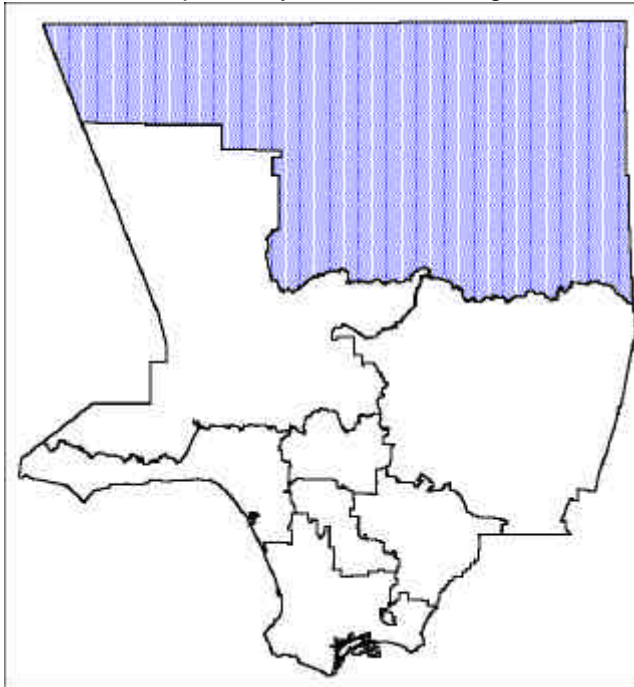
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Source: 1999 birth, death and fetal deaths records from California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics

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Antelope Valley Service Planning Area



Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	4,415	317,159	13.9
African American	635	20,590	30.8
Asian/PI	152	14,045	10.8
Hispanic	1,751	75,325	23.2
White	1,842	202,535	9.1
Other	35	4,664	7.5

Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	652	12,435	52.4
African American	135	829	162.8
Asian/PI	6	502	12.0
Hispanic	299	3,203	93.3
White	209	7,690	27.2
Other	3	211	14.2

Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	346	4,415	7.8
African American	80	635	12.6
Asian/PI	7	152	4.6
Hispanic	122	1,751	7.0
White	135	1,842	7.3
Other	2	35	5.7

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	4,415	4,415	100.0
Medi-Cal	1,966	4,415	44.5
Prepaid	1,607	4,415	36.4
Private	676	4,415	15.3
No Insurance	117	4,415	2.7
No PNC/Other	49	4,415	1.1

First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	3,674	4,415	83.2
African American	518	635	81.6
Asian/PI	133	152	87.5
Hispanic	1,380	1,751	78.8
White	1,616	1,842	87.7
Other	27	35	77.1

Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	22	4,415	5.0
Gender			
Male	16	2,262	7.1
Female	6	2,153	2.8
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	7	635	11.0
Asian/PI	0	152	0.0
Hispanic	10	1,751	5.7
White	5	1,842	2.7
Other	0	35	0.0

Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	29	4,444	6.5
Gender			
Male	16	2,278	7.0
Female	12	2,165	5.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	5	640	7.8
Asian/PI	0	152	0.0
Hispanic	11	1,762	6.2
White	13	1,855	7.0
Other	0	35	0.0

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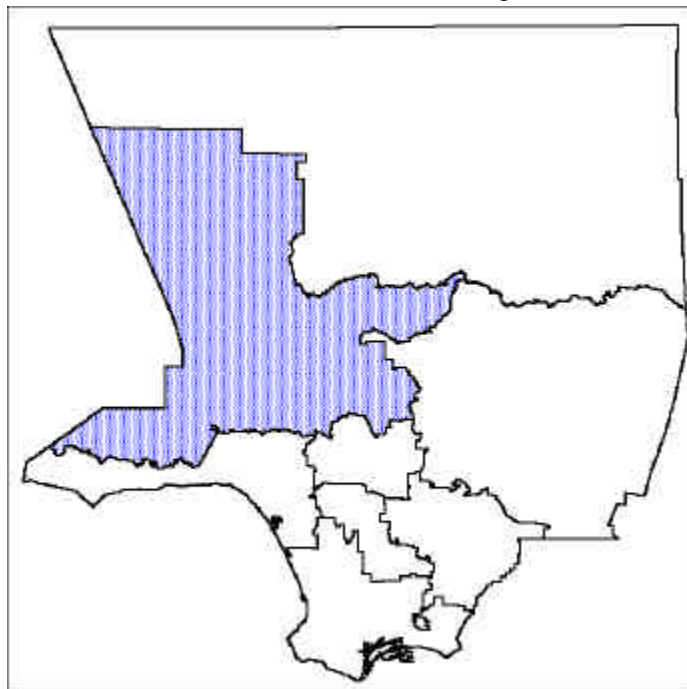
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**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	26,174	29,492	88.7
African American	844	993	85.0
Asian/PI	2,232	2,466	90.5
Hispanic	13,644	15,931	85.6
White	9,301	9,916	93.8
Other	153	186	82.3

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Source: 1999 birth, death and fetal deaths records from California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics

**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	29,492	1,851,113	15.9
African American	993	53,952	18.4
Asian/PI	2,466	183,505	13.4
Hispanic	15,931	672,604	23.7
White	9,916	926,880	10.7
Other	186	14,172	13.1

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	2,401	57,868	41.5
African American	102	1,823	56.0
Asian/PI	59	5,972	9.9
Hispanic	1,960	25,674	76.3
White	267	23,928	11.2
Other	13	471	27.6

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,839	29,492	6.2
African American	82	993	8.3
Asian/PI	190	2,466	7.7
Hispanic	891	15,931	5.6
White	654	9,916	6.6
Other	22	186	11.8

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	29,492	29,492	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,472	29,492	38.9
Prepaid	9,435	29,492	32.0
Private	7,693	29,492	26.1
No Insurance	617	29,492	2.1
No PNC/Other	275	29,492	0.9

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	147	29,492	5.0
Gender			
Male	74	15,131	4.9
Female	73	14,360	5.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	12	993	12.1
Asian/PI	12	2,466	4.9
Hispanic	85	15,931	5.3
White	38	9,916	3.8
Other	0	186	0.0

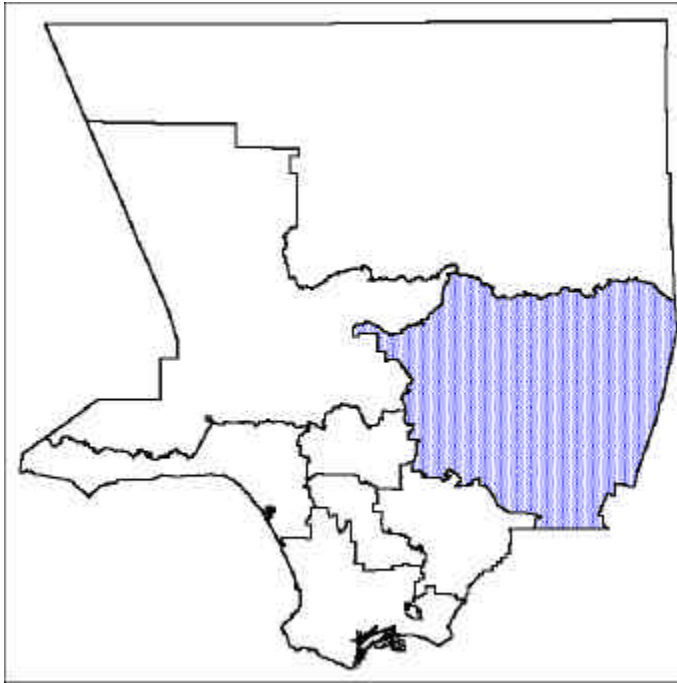
**Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	140	29,632	4.7
Gender			
Male	63	15,194	4.1
Female	76	14,436	5.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	5	998	5.0
Asian/PI	7	2,473	2.8
Hispanic	80	16,011	5.0
White	48	9,964	4.8
Other	0	186	0.0

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San Gabriel Service Planning Area



Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	27,341	1,823,603	15.0
African American	1,150	91,959	12.5
Asian/PI	5,142	347,979	14.8
Hispanic	16,514	790,120	20.9
White	4,408	582,431	7.6
Other	127	11,114	11.4

Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	2,769	62,933	44.0
African American	164	3,538	46.4
Asian/PI	107	11,948	9.0
Hispanic	2,251	31,345	71.8
White	235	15,726	14.9
Other	12	376	31.9

Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,655	27,341	6.1
African American	134	1,150	11.7
Asian/PI	310	5,142	6.0
Hispanic	938	16,514	5.7
White	257	4,408	5.8
Other	16	127	12.6

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	27,341	27,341	100.0
Medi-Cal	10,094	27,341	36.9
Prepaid	10,146	27,341	37.1
Private	5,873	27,341	21.5
No Insurance	851	27,341	3.1
No PNC/Other	377	27,341	1.4

First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	23,544	27,341	86.1
African American	937	1,150	81.5
Asian/PI	4,706	5,142	91.5
Hispanic	13,867	16,514	84.0
White	3,940	4,408	89.4
Other	94	127	74.0

Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	134	27,341	4.9
Gender			
Male	73	13,919	5.2
Female	61	13,422	4.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	14	1,150	12.2
Asian/PI	12	5,142	2.3
Hispanic	88	16,514	5.3
White	20	4,408	4.5
Other	0	127	0.0

Fetal Deaths (> = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	131	27,472	4.8
Gender			
Male	76	13,995	5.4
Female	54	13,476	4.0
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	5	1,155	4.3
Asian/PI	8	5,150	1.6
Hispanic	82	16,596	4.9
White	32	4,440	7.2
Other	4	131	30.5

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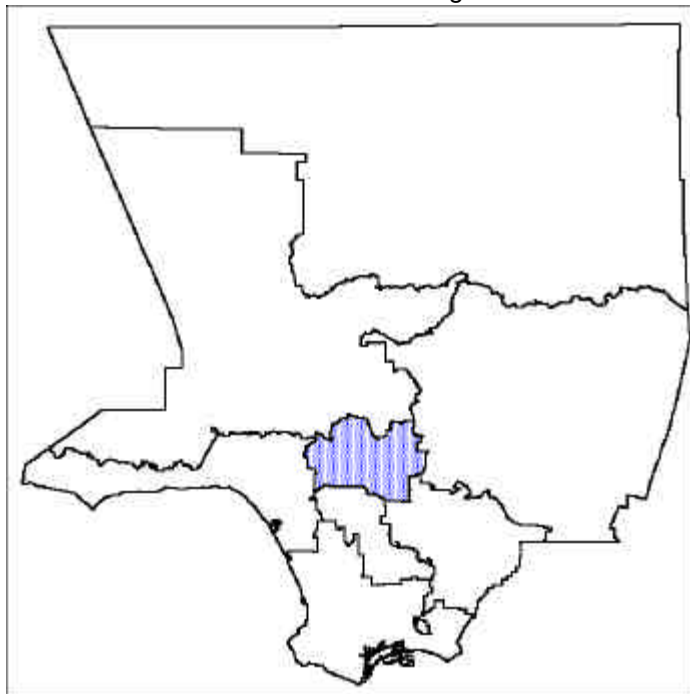
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Metro Service Planning Area



**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	15,350	18,236	84.2
African American	649	790	82.2
Asian/PI	1,773	2,020	87.8
Hispanic	11,178	13,487	82.9
White	1,697	1,875	90.5
Other	53	64	82.8

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Source: 1999 birth, death and fetal deaths records from California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics

**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	18,236	1,291,781	14.1
African American	790	62,820	12.6
Asian/PI	2,020	208,745	9.7
Hispanic	13,487	794,169	17.0
White	1,875	219,742	8.5
Other	64	6,305	10.2

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	2,094	39,092	53.6
African American	103	1,547	66.6
Asian/PI	49	5,687	8.6
Hispanic	1,875	28,269	66.3
White	64	3,383	18.9
Other	3	206	14.6

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,159	18,236	6.4
African American	102	790	12.9
Asian/PI	156	2,020	7.7
Hispanic	781	13,487	5.8
White	117	1,875	6.2
Other	3	64	4.7

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	18,236	18,236	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,395	18,236	62.5
Prepaid	3,775	18,236	20.7
Private	2,480	18,236	13.6
No Insurance	378	18,236	2.1
No PNC/Other	208	18,236	1.1

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	96	18,236	5.3
Gender			
Male	50	9,295	5.4
Female	46	8,941	5.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	10	790	12.7
Asian/PI	7	2,020	3.5
Hispanic	67	13,487	5.0
White	12	1,875	6.4
Other	0	64	0.0

**Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

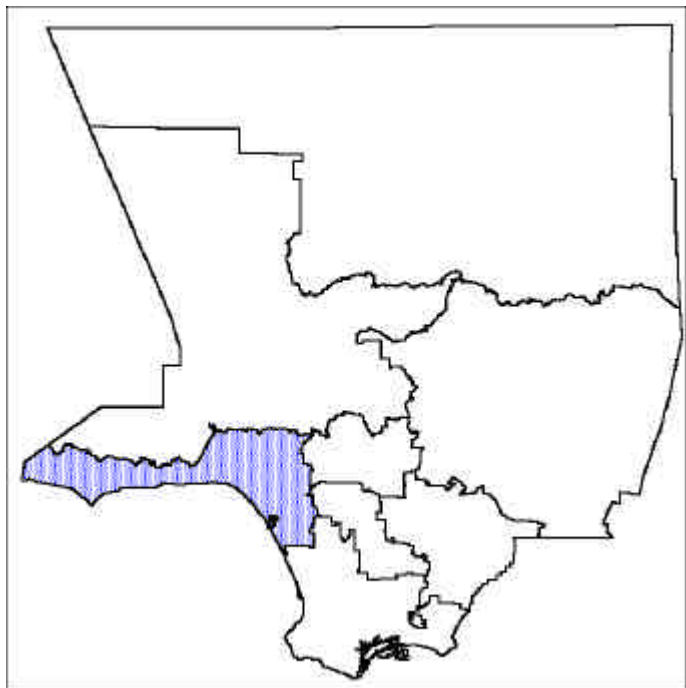
	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	96	18,332	5.2
Gender			
Male	34	9,329	3.6
Female	59	9,000	6.6
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	6	796	7.5
Asian/PI	8	2,028	3.9
Hispanic	75	13,562	5.5
White	6	1,881	3.2
Other	1	65	15.4

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West Service Planning Area



**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	6,244	6,810	91.7
African American	486	541	89.8
Asian/PI	668	734	91.0
Hispanic	1,529	1,766	86.6
White	3,495	3,695	94.6
Other	66	74	89.2

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**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	6,810	576,882	11.8
African American	541	33,924	15.9
Asian/PI	734	67,976	10.8
Hispanic	1,766	118,204	14.9
White	3,695	352,166	10.5
Other	74	4,612	16.0

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	249	11,679	21.3
African American	38	934	40.7
Asian/PI	10	1,370	7.3
Hispanic	175	3,391	51.6
White	25	5,834	4.3
Other	1	150	6.7

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	459	6,810	6.7
African American	58	541	10.7
Asian/PI	56	734	7.6
Hispanic	91	1,766	5.2
White	249	3,695	6.7
Other	5	74	6.8

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	6,810	6,810	100.0
Medi-Cal	1,430	6,810	21.0
Prepaid	2,383	6,810	35.0
Private	2,809	6,810	41.2
No Insurance	154	6,810	2.3
No PNC/Other	34	6,810	0.5

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	40	6,810	5.9
Gender			
Male	22	3,524	6.2
Female	18	3,286	5.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	2	541	3.7
Asian/PI	4	734	5.4
Hispanic	10	1,766	5.7
White	24	3,695	6.5
Other	0	74	0.0

**Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks)
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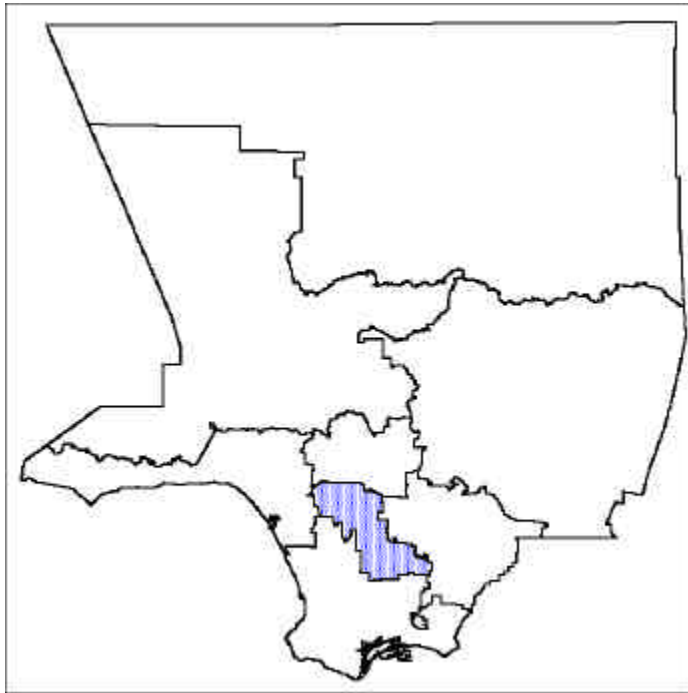
	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	43	6,853	6.3
Gender			
Male	21	3,545	5.9
Female	22	3,308	6.7
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	7	548	12.8
Asian/PI	4	738	5.4
Hispanic	11	1,777	6.2
White	21	3,716	5.7
Other	0	74	0.0

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South Service Planning Area



**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	17,511	21,883	80.0
African American	4,336	5,421	80.0
Asian/PI	118	153	77.1
Hispanic	12,809	15,996	80.1
White	186	231	80.5
Other	62	82	75.6

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**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	21,883	1,011,445	21.6
African American	5,421	361,835	15.0
Asian/PI	153	22,054	6.9
Hispanic	15,996	594,665	26.9
White	231	29,220	7.9
Other	82	3,671	22.3

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	3,650	41,308	88.4
African American	937	13,532	69.2
Asian/PI	21	606	34.7
Hispanic	2,653	26,422	100.4
White	23	606	38.0
Other	16	142	112.7

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,737	21,883	7.9
African American	752	5,421	13.9
Asian/PI	10	153	6.5
Hispanic	951	15,996	5.9
White	14	231	6.1
Other	10	82	12.2

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	21,883	21,883	100.0
Medi-Cal	15,163	21,883	69.3
Prepaid	4,528	21,883	20.7
Private	1,381	21,883	6.3
No Insurance	521	21,883	2.4
No PNC/Other	290	21,883	1.3

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	147	21,883	6.7
Gender			
Male	75	11,129	6.7
Female	72	10,754	6.7
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	55	5,421	10.1
Asian/PI	0	153	0.0
Hispanic	89	15,996	5.6
White	3	231	13.0
Other	0	82	0.0

**Fetal Deaths (> = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

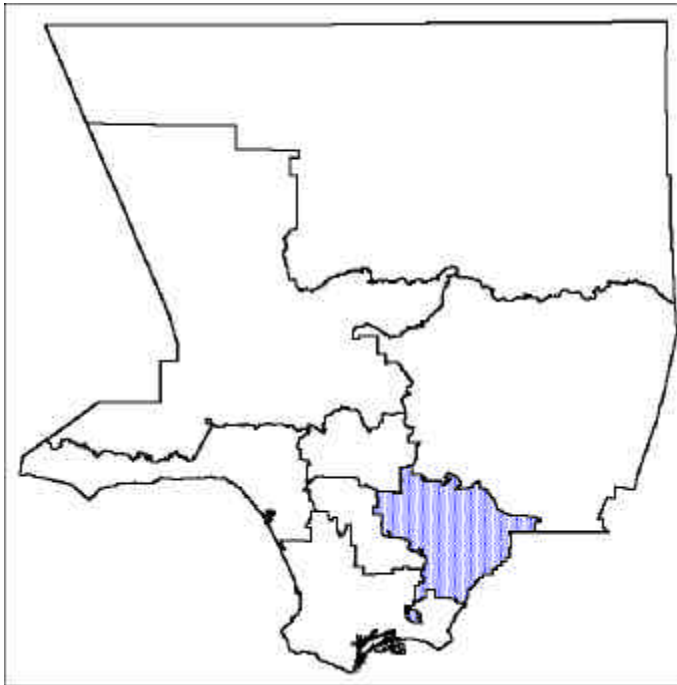
	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	122	22,005	5.5
Gender			
Male	70	11,199	6.3
Female	51	10,805	4.7
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	49	5,470	9.0
Asian/PI	3	156	19.2
Hispanic	68	16,064	4.2
White	1	232	4.3
Other	1	83	12.0

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East Service Planning Area



**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	19,567	23,408	83.6
African American	499	564	88.5
Asian/PI	1,117	1,265	88.3
Hispanic	15,892	19,258	82.5
White	2,009	2,260	88.9
Other	50	61	82.0

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**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	23,408	1,373,693	17.0
African American	564	25,852	21.8
Asian/PI	1,265	113,873	11.1
Hispanic	19,258	885,660	21.7
White	2,260	339,149	6.7
Other	61	9,159	6.7

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	2,842	49,729	57.1
African American	60	915	65.6
Asian/PI	38	3,929	9.7
Hispanic	2,545	35,060	72.6
White	194	9,474	20.5
Other	5	351	14.2

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,377	23,408	5.9
African American	55	564	9.8
Asian/PI	89	1,265	7.0
Hispanic	1,088	19,258	5.6
White	138	2,260	6.1
Other	7	61	11.5

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	23,408	23,408	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,447	23,408	48.9
Prepaid	7,765	23,408	33.2
Private	3,325	23,408	14.2
No Insurance	615	23,408	2.6
No PNC/Other	256	23,408	1.1

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	108	23,408	4.6
Gender			
Male	65	12,040	5.4
Female	43	11,368	3.8
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	5	564	8.9
Asian/PI	6	1,265	4.7
Hispanic	82	19,258	4.3
White	15	2,260	6.6
Other	0	61	0.0

**Fetal Deaths (> = 20wks)
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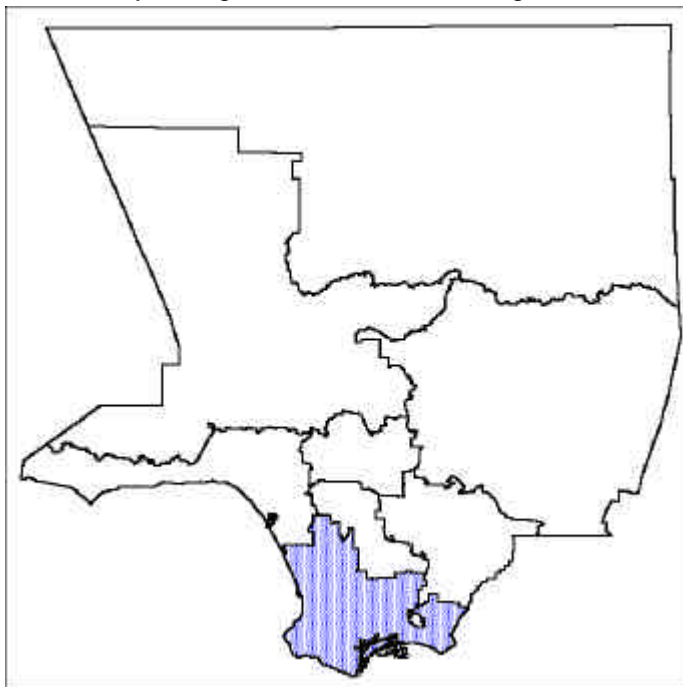
	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	113	23,521	4.8
Gender			
Male	68	12,108	5.6
Female	45	11,413	3.9
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	7	571	12.3
Asian/PI	9	1,274	7.1
Hispanic	92	19,350	4.8
White	5	2,265	2.2
Other	0	61	0.0

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South Bay - Long Beach Service Planning Area



**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care (PNC)⁵
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	20,193	24,028	84.0
African American	2,933	3,575	82.0
Asian/PI	2,595	3,076	84.4
Hispanic	9,818	12,068	81.4
White	4,742	5,182	91.5
Other	105	127	82.7

**Live Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ¹
Total	24,028	1,518,120	15.8
African American	3,575	195,190	18.3
Asian/PI	3,076	242,740	12.7
Hispanic	12,068	496,824	24.3
White	5,182	570,534	9.1
Other	127	12,832	9.9

**Teen Births to Mothers aged 15-19
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate ²
Total	2,401	48,483	49.5
African American	422	7,391	57.1
Asian/PI	175	8,822	19.8
Hispanic	1,583	19,568	80.9
White	215	12,267	17.5
Other	6	435	13.8

**Low Birthweight(LBW)⁴ Births
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,625	24,028	6.8
African American	446	3,575	12.5
Asian/PI	198	3,076	6.4
Hispanic	679	12,068	5.6
White	292	5,182	5.6
Other	10	127	7.9

Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	24,028	24,028	100.0
Medi-Cal	10,002	24,028	41.6
Prepaid	8,286	24,028	34.5
Private	4,827	24,028	20.1
No Insurance	595	24,028	2.5
No PNC/Other	318	24,028	1.3

**Infant Deaths (< 365 days of age)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Rate ⁶
Total	139	24,028	5.8
Gender			
Male	85	12,384	6.9
Female	54	11,644	4.6
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	33	3,575	9.2
Asian/PI	15	3,076	4.9
Hispanic	53	12,068	4.4
White	35	5,182	6.8
Other	3	127	23.6

**Fetal Deaths (> or = 20wks)
by Gender* and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate ⁷
Total	124	24,152	5.1
Gender			
Male	57	12,441	4.6
Female	64	11,708	5.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	35	3,610	9.7
Asian/PI	10	3,086	3.2
Hispanic	57	12,125	4.7
White	19	5,201	3.7
Other	3	130	23.1

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