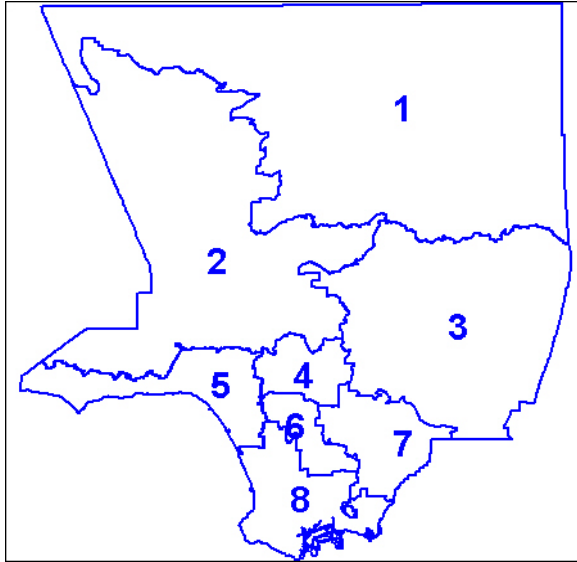


# **Special Reports**

County of Los Angeles - Department of Public Health  
 Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health Programs  
**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	147,684	10,418,695	14.2
African American	11,016	946,994	11.6
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	16,667	1,395,074	11.9
Hispanic	92,643	4,926,007	18.8
Native American	170	26,837	6.3
White	24,238	3,123,783	7.8
Two or More Races	1,747	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19 by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	14,111	398,593	35.4
African American	1,449	41,347	35.0
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	232	43,472	5.3
Hispanic	11,625	222,004	52.4
Native American	15	1,005	14.9
White	588	90,765	6.5
Two or More Races	136	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	10,800	147,684	7.3
African American	1,488	11,016	13.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	1,292	16,667	7.8
Hispanic	5,894	92,643	6.4
Native American	15	170	8.8
White	1,851	24,238	7.6
Two or More Races	133	1,747	7.6

**Source of Payment for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	147,254	147,254	100.0
Medi-Cal	79,031	147,254	53.7
Other Govt Prog	2,180	147,254	1.5
Private Insurance	57,380	147,254	39.0
Self Pay	3,256	147,254	2.2
Other/Unknown	5,407	147,254	3.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup> by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	123,251	147,684	83.5
African American	8,432	11,016	76.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	14,127	16,667	84.8
Hispanic	76,807	92,643	82.9
Native American	139	170	81.8
White	21,414	24,238	88.3
Two or More Races	1,419	1,747	81.2

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	742	147,684	5.0
Gender			
Male	423	75,650	5.6
Female	319	72,031	4.4
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	134	11,016	12.2
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	55	16,667	3.3
Hispanic	434	92,643	4.7
Native American	<5	170	N/C
White	99	24,238	4.1
Two or More Races	17	1,747	9.7

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more) by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	733	148,417	4.9
Gender			
Male	341	75,991	4.5
Female	386	72,417	5.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	110	11,126	9.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	60	16,727	3.6
Hispanic	429	93,072	4.6
Native American	<5	170	N/C
White	127	24,365	5.2
Two or More Races	<5	1,750	N/C

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- <sup>2</sup> The number of live births to mothers ages 15-19 at delivery per 1,000 adolescent females ages 15-19
- <sup>3</sup> Asian/Pi is Asian and Pacific Islander
- <sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams
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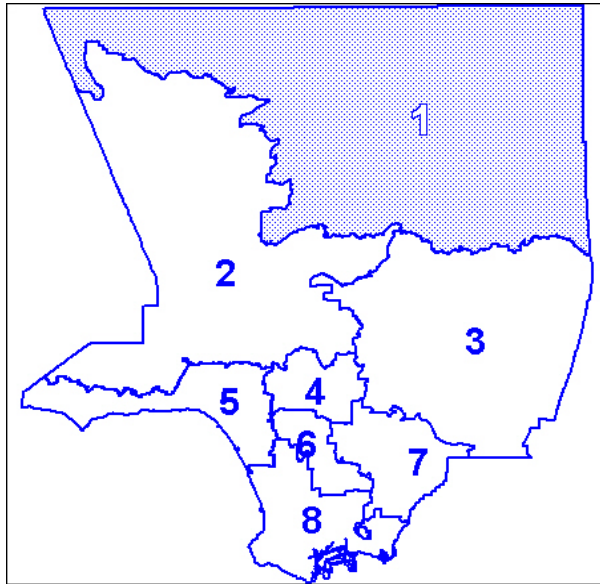
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**Antelope Valley Service Planning Area (SPA 1), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	6,087	366,568	16.6
African American	1,001	50,486	19.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	172	13,617	12.6
Hispanic	3,422	129,814	26.4
Native American	24	2,168	11.1
White	1,313	170,483	7.7
Two or More Races	133	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	816	17,454	46.8
African American	176	2,783	63.2
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	512	N/C
Hispanic	510	6,811	74.9
Native American	<5	87	N/C
White	105	7,261	14.5
Two or More Races	19	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	532	6,087	8.7
African American	159	1,001	15.9
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	12	172	7.0
Hispanic	259	3,422	7.6
Native American	<5	24	N/C
White	92	1,313	7.0
Two or More Races	9	133	6.8

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	6,042	6,042	100.0
Medi-Cal	3,520	6,042	58.3
Other Govt Prog	96	6,042	1.6
Private Insurance	2,222	6,042	36.8
Self Pay	123	6,042	2.0
Other/Unknown	81	6,042	1.3

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	4,029	6,087	66.2
African American	625	1,001	62.4
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	127	172	73.8
Hispanic	2,178	3,422	63.6
Native American	16	24	66.7
White	985	1,313	75.0
Two or More Races	85	133	63.9

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	39	6,087	6.4
Gender			
Male	25	3,086	8.1
Female	14	3,001	4.7
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	16	1,001	16.0
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	172	N/C
Hispanic	18	3,422	5.3
Native American	<5	24	N/C
White	<5	1,313	N/C
Two or More Races	<5	133	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	33	6,120	5.4
Gender			
Male	13	3,099	4.2
Female	20	3,021	6.6
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	12	1,013	11.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	172	N/C
Hispanic	16	3,438	4.7
Native American	<5	24	N/C
White	5	1,318	3.8
Two or More Races	<5	133	N/C

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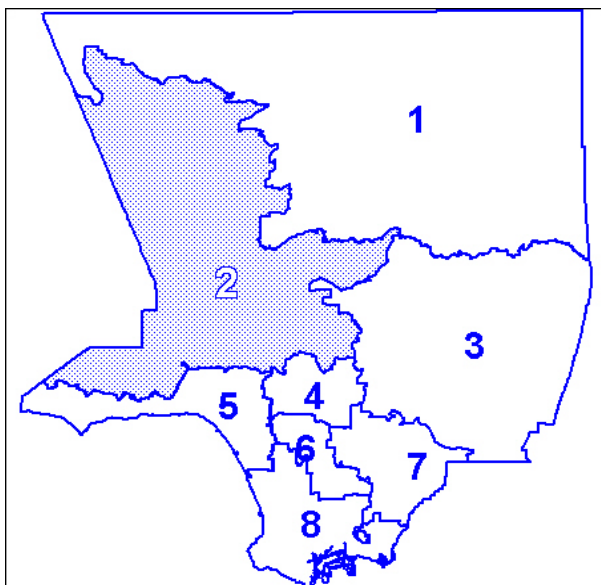
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**San Fernando Service Planning Area (SPA 2), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	28,229	2,188,507	12.9
African American	786	76,721	10.2
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,824	231,648	12.2
Hispanic	15,718	846,974	18.6
Native American	33	5,909	5.6
White	8,228	1,027,255	8.0
Two or More Races	319	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	2,029	78,929	25.7
African American	46	3,161	14.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	23	7,137	3.2
Hispanic	1,805	37,144	48.6
Native American	<5	222	N/C
White	111	31,265	3.6
Two or More Races	12	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	2,117	28,229	7.5
African American	107	786	13.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	246	2,824	8.7
Hispanic	1,021	15,718	6.5
Native American	5	33	15.2
White	685	8,228	8.3
Two or More Races	22	319	6.9

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	28,169	28,169	100.0
Medi-Cal	13,542	28,169	48.1
Other Govt Prog	42	28,169	0.1
Private Insurance	12,568	28,169	44.6
Self Pay	386	28,169	1.4
Other/Unknown	1,631	28,169	5.8

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	24,881	28,229	88.1
African American	681	786	86.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,529	2,824	89.6
Hispanic	13,555	15,718	86.2
Native American	28	33	84.8
White	7,535	8,228	91.6
Two or More Races	283	319	88.7

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	134	28,229	4.7
Gender			
Male	77	14,493	5.3
Female	57	13,736	4.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	12	786	15.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	8	2,824	2.8
Hispanic	72	15,718	4.6
Native American	<5	33	N/C
White	41	8,228	5.0
Two or More Races	<5	319	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	147	28,376	5.2
Gender			
Male	76	14,569	5.2
Female	69	13,805	5.0
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	6	792	7.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	9	2,833	3.2
Hispanic	90	15,808	5.7
Native American	<5	33	N/C
White	41	8,269	5.0
Two or More Races	<5	319	N/C

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Footnotes:

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<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

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<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

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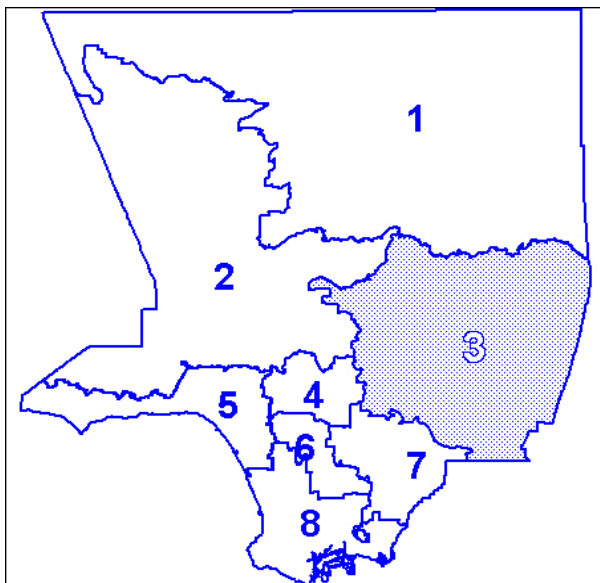
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**San Gabriel Service Planning Area (SPA 3), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	24,927	1,885,410	13.2
African American	678	84,096	8.1
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	5,812	469,732	12.4
Hispanic	15,027	856,235	17.6
Native American	34	4,364	7.8
White	3,011	470,983	6.4
Two or More Races	214	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	2,126	72,507	29.3
African American	85	3,875	21.9
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	45	14,849	3.0
Hispanic	1,861	39,015	47.7
Native American	<5	166	N/C
White	112	14,602	7.7
Two or More Races	14	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,694	24,927	6.8
African American	91	678	13.4
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	408	5,812	7.0
Hispanic	916	15,027	6.1
Native American	7	34	20.6
White	237	3,011	7.9
Two or More Races	21	214	9.8

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	24,843	24,843	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,488	24,843	46.2
Other Govt Prog	115	24,843	0.5
Private Insurance	11,157	24,843	44.9
Self Pay	1,174	24,843	4.7
Other/Unknown	909	24,843	3.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	20,657	24,927	82.9
African American	524	678	77.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	4,780	5,812	82.2
Hispanic	12,475	15,027	83.0
Native American	31	34	91.2
White	2,580	3,011	85.7
Two or More Races	174	214	81.3

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	113	24,927	4.5
Gender			
Male	71	12,889	5.5
Female	42	12,038	3.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	12	678	17.7
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	18	5,812	3.1
Hispanic	67	15,027	4.5
Native American	<5	34	N/C
White	12	3,011	4.0
Two or More Races	<5	214	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	96	25,023	3.8
Gender			
Male	42	12,931	3.2
Female	54	12,092	4.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	6	684	8.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	17	5,829	2.9
Hispanic	60	15,087	4.0
Native American	<5	34	N/C
White	13	3,024	4.3
Two or More Races	<5	214	N/C

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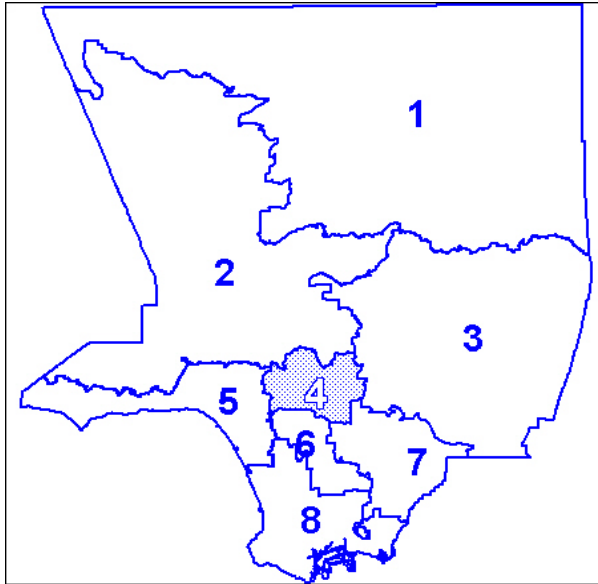
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**Metro Service Planning Area (SPA 4), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	15,994	1,273,510	12.6
African American	485	71,486	6.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,188	212,140	10.3
Hispanic	10,758	717,614	15.0
Native American	10	3,415	2.9
White	2,259	268,855	8.4
Two or More Races	141	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	1,458	41,218	35.4
African American	49	1,849	26.5
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	24	5,170	4.6
Hispanic	1,341	29,633	45.3
Native American	<5	122	N/C
White	30	4,444	6.8
Two or More Races	6	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,079	15,994	6.7
African American	64	485	13.2
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	137	2,188	6.3
Hispanic	683	10,758	6.3
Native American	<5	10	N/C
White	162	2,259	7.2
Two or More Races	12	141	8.5

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	15,947	15,947	100.0
Medi-Cal	10,082	15,947	63.2
Other Govt Prog	46	15,947	0.3
Private Insurance	5,338	15,947	33.5
Self Pay	377	15,947	2.4
Other/Unknown	104	15,947	0.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	13,400	15,994	83.8
African American	355	485	73.2
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	1,870	2,188	85.5
Hispanic	8,968	10,758	83.4
Native American	6	10	60.0
White	1,960	2,259	86.8
Two or More Races	118	141	83.7

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	77	15,994	4.8
Gender			
Male	44	8,183	5.4
Female	33	7,811	4.2
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	8	485	16.5
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	7	2,188	3.2
Hispanic	55	10,758	5.1
Native American	<5	10	N/C
White	7	2,259	3.1
Two or More Races	<5	141	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	65	16,059	4.0
Gender			
Male	32	8,215	3.9
Female	32	7,843	4.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	<5	488	N/C
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	9	2,197	4.1
Hispanic	43	10,801	4.0
Native American	<5	10	N/C
White	9	2,268	4.0
Two or More Races	<5	141	N/C

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<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

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<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

<sup>7</sup> The number of infant deaths occurring at less than 365 days of age per 1,000 live births

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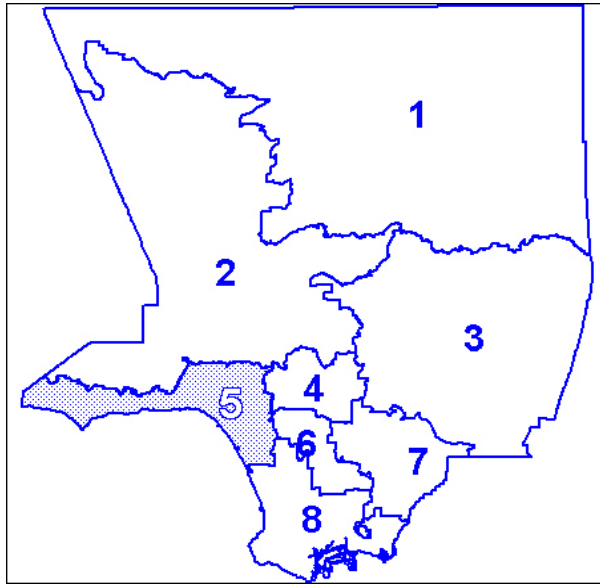
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**West Service Planning Area (SPA 5), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	6,968	646,036	10.8
African American	336	42,242	8.0
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	1,133	82,852	13.7
Hispanic	1,416	113,175	12.5
Native American	<5	1,317	N/C
White	3,702	406,450	9.1
Two or More Races	192	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19**  
**by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	147	18,767	7.8
African American	18	1,408	12.8
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	<5	2,691	N/C
Hispanic	110	4,335	25.4
Native American	<5	41	N/C
White	12	10,292	1.2
Two or More Races	<5	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	516	6,968	7.4
African American	34	336	10.1
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	84	1,133	7.4
Hispanic	78	1,416	5.5
Native American	<5	1	N/C
White	289	3,702	7.8
Two or More Races	10	192	5.2

**Source of Payment**  
**for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	6,964	6,964	100.0
Medi-Cal	1,204	6,964	17.3
Other Govt Prog	20	6,964	0.3
Private Insurance	5,477	6,964	78.6
Self Pay	143	6,964	2.1
Other/Unknown	120	6,964	1.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>**  
**by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	6,098	6,968	87.5
African American	266	336	79.2
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	1,014	1,133	89.5
Hispanic	1,198	1,416	84.6
Native American	<5	1	N/C
White	3,306	3,702	89.3
Two or More Races	165	192	85.9

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	31	6,968	4.4
Gender			
Male	20	3,586	5.6
Female	11	3,381	3.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	<5	336	N/C
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	<5	1,133	N/C
Hispanic	9	1,416	6.4
Native American	<5	1	N/C
White	14	3,702	3.8
Two or More Races	<5	192	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)**  
**by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	27	6,995	3.9
Gender			
Male	9	3,595	2.5
Female	18	3,399	5.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	<5	338	N/C
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	<5	1,137	N/C
Hispanic	<5	1,419	N/C
Native American	<5	1	N/C
White	17	3,719	4.6
Two or More Races	<5	193	N/C

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Footnotes:

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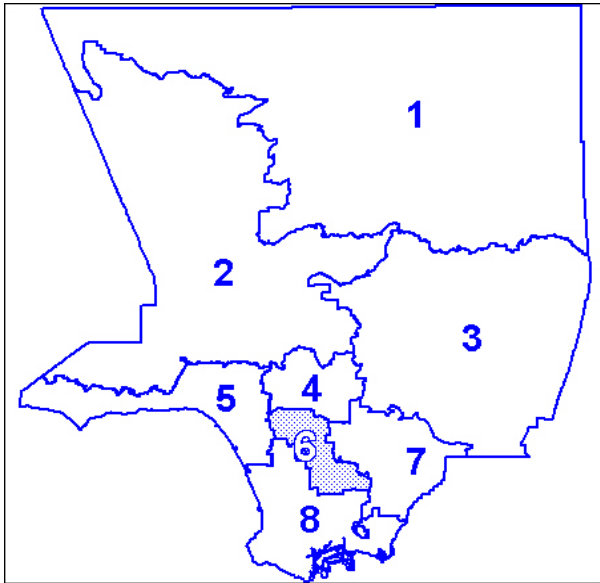
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**South Service Planning Area (SPA 6), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	22,372	1,054,469	21.2
African American	4,502	338,574	13.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	176	17,964	9.8
Hispanic	17,212	671,570	25.6
Native American	8	1,465	5.5
White	218	24,896	8.8
Two or More Races	160	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19 by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	3,291	49,252	66.8
African American	736	14,875	49.5
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	9	710	12.7
Hispanic	2,488	32,311	77.0
Native American	<5	71	N/C
White	19	1,285	14.8
Two or More Races	29	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,843	22,372	8.2
African American	639	4,502	14.2
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	14	176	8.0
Hispanic	1,145	17,212	6.7
Native American	<5	8	N/C
White	17	218	7.8
Two or More Races	21	160	13.1

**Source of Payment for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	22,310	22,310	100.0
Medi-Cal	16,711	22,310	74.9
Other Govt Prog	1,051	22,310	4.7
Private Insurance	3,812	22,310	17.1
Self Pay	282	22,310	1.3
Other/Unknown	454	22,310	2.0

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup> by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	17,977	22,372	80.4
African American	3,389	4,502	75.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	124	176	70.5
Hispanic	14,113	17,212	82.0
Native American	5	8	62.5
White	164	218	75.2
Two or More Races	117	160	73.1

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	135	22,372	6.0
Gender			
Male	74	11,346	6.5
Female	61	11,026	5.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	48	4,502	10.7
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	176	N/C
Hispanic	78	17,212	4.5
Native American	<5	8	N/C
White	<5	218	N/C
Two or More Races	<5	160	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more) by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	144	22,516	6.4
Gender			
Male	73	11,419	6.4
Female	70	11,096	6.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	53	4,555	11.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	178	N/C
Hispanic	83	17,295	4.8
Native American	<5	8	N/C
White	<5	222	N/C
Two or More Races	<5	161	N/C

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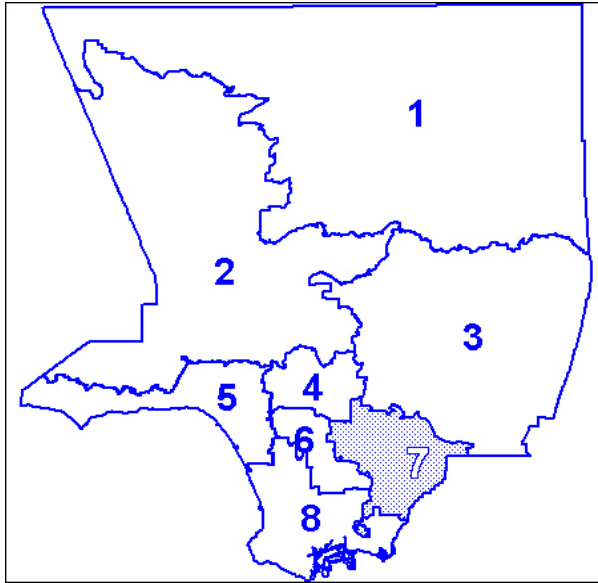
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**East Service Planning Area (SPA 7), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	20,834	1,384,324	15.0
African American	468	37,229	12.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	1,245	122,029	10.2
Hispanic	17,353	976,556	17.8
Native American	33	3,757	8.8
White	1,535	244,753	6.3
Two or More Races	136	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19**  
**by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	2,276	58,086	39.2
African American	40	1,927	20.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	31	4,068	7.6
Hispanic	2,084	44,268	47.1
Native American	<5	125	N/C
White	102	7,698	13.3
Two or More Races	14	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,358	20,834	6.5
African American	58	468	12.4
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	117	1,245	9.4
Hispanic	1,068	17,353	6.2
Native American	<5	33	N/C
White	104	1,535	6.8
Two or More Races	<5	136	N/C

**Source of Payment**  
**for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	20,777	20,777	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,847	20,777	57.0
Other Govt Prog	510	20,777	2.5
Private Insurance	7,982	20,777	38.4
Self Pay	326	20,777	1.6
Other/Unknown	112	20,777	0.5

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>**  
**by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	17,629	20,834	84.6
African American	399	468	85.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	1,069	1,245	85.9
Hispanic	14,640	17,353	84.4
Native American	29	33	87.9
White	1,330	1,535	86.6
Two or More Races	107	136	78.7

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	100	20,834	4.8
Gender			
Male	49	10,739	4.6
Female	51	10,093	5.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	<5	468	N/C
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	8	1,245	6.4
Hispanic	80	17,353	4.6
Native American	<5	33	N/C
White	7	1,535	4.6
Two or More Races	<5	136	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)**  
**by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	98	20,932	4.7
Gender			
Male	45	10,784	4.2
Female	52	10,145	5.1
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	6	474	12.7
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	<5	1,247	N/C
Hispanic	81	17,434	4.6
Native American	<5	33	N/C
White	9	1,544	5.8
Two or More Races	<5	136	N/C

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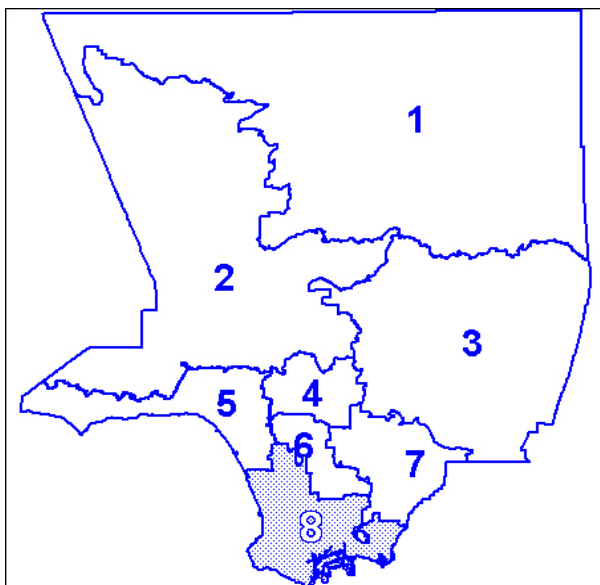
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**South Bay - Long Beach Service Planning Area (SPA 8), Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	21,892	1,619,871	13.5
African American	2,723	246,160	11.1
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	3,080	245,092	12.6
Hispanic	11,546	614,069	18.8
Native American	27	4,442	6.1
White	3,890	510,108	7.6
Two or More Races	440	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	1,927	62,380	30.9
African American	294	11,469	25.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	93	8,335	11.2
Hispanic	1,396	28,487	49.0
Native American	<5	171	N/C
White	94	13,918	6.8
Two or More Races	40	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,617	21,892	7.4
African American	330	2,723	12.1
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	267	3,080	8.7
Hispanic	707	11,546	6.1
Native American	<5	27	N/C
White	255	3,890	6.6
Two or More Races	33	440	7.5

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	21,830	21,830	100.0
Medi-Cal	10,468	21,830	48.0
Other Govt Prog	288	21,830	1.3
Private Insurance	8,719	21,830	39.9
Self Pay	433	21,830	2.0
Other/Unknown	1,922	21,830	8.8

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	18,318	21,892	83.7
African American	2,168	2,723	79.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,592	3,080	84.2
Hispanic	9,536	11,546	82.6
Native American	23	27	85.2
White	3,496	3,890	89.9
Two or More Races	363	440	82.5

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	107	21,892	4.9
Gender			
Male	61	11,131	5.5
Female	46	10,761	4.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	29	2,723	10.7
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	12	3,080	3.9
Hispanic	52	11,546	4.5
Native American	<5	27	N/C
White	8	3,890	2.1
Two or More Races	6	440	13.6

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	119	22,011	5.4
Gender			
Male	50	11,181	4.5
Female	68	10,829	6.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	22	2,745	8.0
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	16	3,096	5.2
Hispanic	51	11,597	4.4
Native American	<5	27	N/C
White	28	3,918	7.1
Two or More Races	<5	441	N/C

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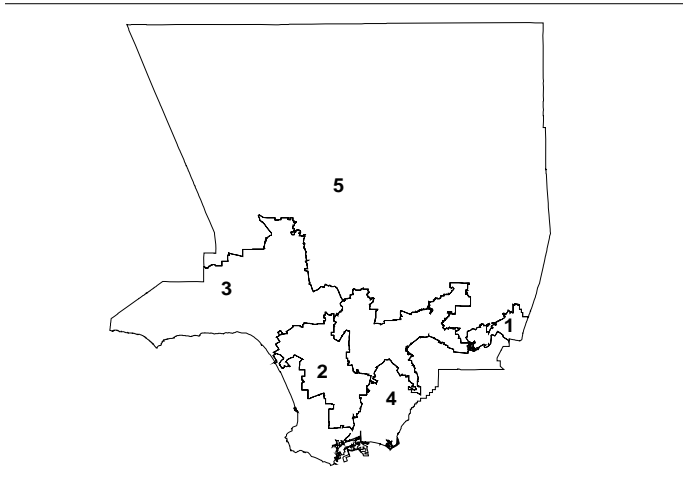
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# **Special Reports**

County of Los Angeles - Department of Public Health  
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**  
**Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	147,684	10,418,695	14.2
African American	11,016	946,994	11.6
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	16,667	1,395,074	11.9
Hispanic	92,643	4,926,007	18.8
Native American	170	26,837	6.3
White	24,238	3,123,783	7.8
Two or More Races	1,747	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	14,111	398,593	35.4
African American	1,449	41,347	35.0
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	232	43,472	5.3
Hispanic	11,625	222,004	52.4
Native American	15	1,005	14.9
White	588	90,765	6.5
Two or More Races	136	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	10,800	147,684	7.3
African American	1,488	11,016	13.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	1,292	16,667	7.8
Hispanic	5,894	92,643	6.4
Native American	15	170	8.8
White	1,851	24,238	7.6
Two or More Races	133	1,747	7.6

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	147,254	147,254	100.0
Medi-Cal	79,031	147,254	53.7
Other Govt Prog	2,180	147,254	1.5
Private Insurance	57,380	147,254	39.0
Self Pay	3,256	147,254	2.2
Other/Unknown	5,407	147,254	3.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	123,251	147,684	83.5
African American	8,432	11,016	76.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	14,127	16,667	84.8
Hispanic	76,807	92,643	82.9
Native American	139	170	81.8
White	21,414	24,238	88.3
Two or More Races	1,419	1,747	81.2

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	742	147,684	5.0
Gender			
Male	423	75,650	5.6
Female	319	72,031	4.4
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	134	11,016	12.2
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	55	16,667	3.3
Hispanic	434	92,643	4.7
Native American	<5	170	N/C
White	99	24,238	4.1
Two or More Races	17	1,747	9.7

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	733	148,417	4.9
Gender			
Male	341	75,991	4.5
Female	386	72,417	5.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	110	11,126	9.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	60	16,727	3.6
Hispanic	429	93,072	4.6
Native American	<5	170	N/C
White	127	24,365	5.2
Two or More Races	<5	1,750	N/C

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Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> The number of live births per 1,000 total population

<sup>2</sup> The number of live births to mothers ages 15-19 at delivery per 1,000 adolescent females ages 15-19

<sup>3</sup> Asian/Pi is Asian and Pacific Islander

<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 430)

<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

<sup>7</sup> The number of infant deaths occurring at less than 365 days of age per 1,000 live births

<sup>8</sup> The number of fetal deaths of 20 weeks or more gestation per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths

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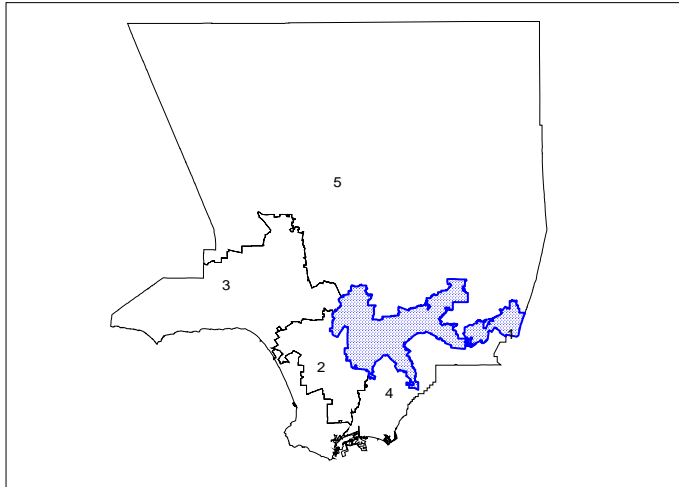
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**First Supervisorial District - Gloria Molina, Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	32,347	2,103,553	15.4
African American	413	47,412	8.7
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,908	276,737	10.5
Hispanic	27,309	1,598,189	17.1
Native American	35	5,292	6.6
White	1,423	175,923	8.1
Two or More Races	114	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	3,804	86,771	43.8
African American	58	1,816	31.9
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	44	8,292	5.3
Hispanic	3,599	71,688	50.2
Native American	<5	203	N/C
White	84	4,772	17.6
Two or More Races	6	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	2,083	32,347	6.4
African American	55	413	13.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	217	2,908	7.5
Hispanic	1,676	27,309	6.1
Native American	5	35	14.3
White	102	1,423	7.2
Two or More Races	10	114	8.8

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	32,235	32,235	100.0
Medi-Cal	21,246	32,235	65.9
Other Govt Prog	450	32,235	1.4
Private Insurance	9,562	32,235	29.7
Self Pay	618	32,235	1.9
Other/Unknown	359	32,235	1.1

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	27,002	32,347	83.5
African American	297	413	71.9
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,386	2,908	82.0
Hispanic	22,871	27,309	83.7
Native American	30	35	85.7
White	1,214	1,423	85.3
Two or More Races	93	114	81.6

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	163	32,347	5.0
Gender			
Male	90	16,615	5.4
Female	73	15,730	4.6
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	9	413	21.8
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	11	2,908	3.8
Hispanic	129	27,309	4.7
Native American	<5	35	N/C
White	11	1,423	7.7
Two or More Races	<5	114	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	143	32,490	4.4
Gender			
Male	61	16,676	3.7
Female	82	15,812	5.2
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	6	419	14.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	9	2,917	3.1
Hispanic	121	27,430	4.4
Native American	<5	35	N/C
White	7	1,430	4.9
Two or More Races	<5	114	N/C

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Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> The number of live births per 1,000 total population

<sup>2</sup> The number of live births to mothers ages 15-19 at delivery per 1,000 adolescent females ages 15-19

<sup>3</sup> Racial/ethnic categorization has been revised in this report; data from previous year reports may not be comparable. Asian/PI is Asian and Pacific Islander

<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 112)

<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

<sup>7</sup> The number of infant deaths occurring at less than 365 days of age per 1,000 live births

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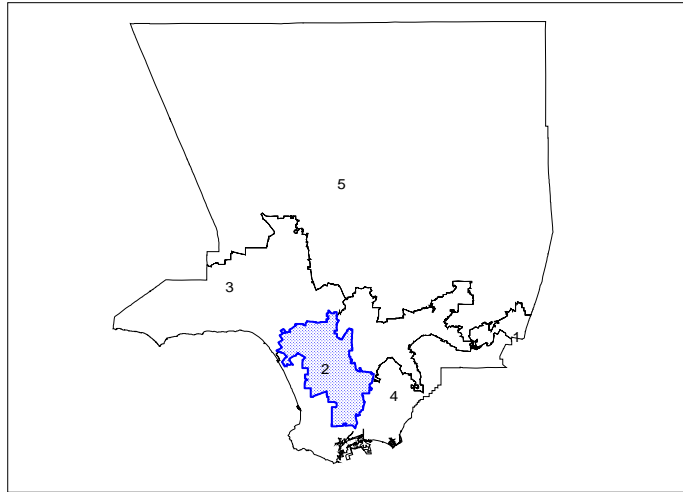
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**Second Supervisorial District - Mark Ridley-Thomas, Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	35,845	2,087,264	17.2
African American	6,282	555,259	11.3
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,415	201,854	12.0
Hispanic	24,384	1,109,610	22.0
Native American	14	3,827	3.7
White	2,096	216,714	9.7
Two or More Races	410	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	4,300	84,620	50.8
African American	887	23,665	37.5
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	32	5,103	6.3
Hispanic	3,273	50,514	64.8
Native American	<5	156	N/C
White	46	5,182	8.9
Two or More Races	46	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	2,855	35,845	8.0
African American	853	6,282	13.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	162	2,415	6.7
Hispanic	1,604	24,384	6.6
Native American	<5	14	N/C
White	170	2,096	8.1
Two or More Races	40	410	9.8

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	35,762	35,762	100.0
Medi-Cal	23,624	35,762	66.1
Other Govt Prog	1,176	35,762	3.3
Private Insurance	9,068	35,762	25.4
Self Pay	586	35,762	1.6
Other/Unknown	1,308	35,762	3.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	29,121	35,845	81.2
African American	4,768	6,282	75.9
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	2,022	2,415	83.7
Hispanic	20,051	24,384	82.2
Native American	9	14	64.3
White	1,770	2,096	84.4
Two or More Races	317	410	77.3

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	204	35,845	5.7
Gender			
Male	110	18,216	6.0
Female	94	17,629	5.3
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	69	6,282	11.0
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	5	2,415	2.1
Hispanic	116	24,384	4.8
Native American	<5	14	N/C
White	9	2,096	4.3
Two or More Races	<5	410	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	195	36,040	5.4
Gender			
Male	101	18,317	5.5
Female	93	17,722	5.2
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	61	6,343	9.6
Asian/PI <sup>3</sup>	13	2,428	5.4
Hispanic	107	24,491	4.4
Native American	<5	14	N/C
White	11	2,107	5.2
Two or More Races	<5	412	N/C

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Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> The number of live births per 1,000 total population

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<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 83)

<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

<sup>7</sup> The number of infant deaths occurring at less than 365 days of age per 1,000 live births

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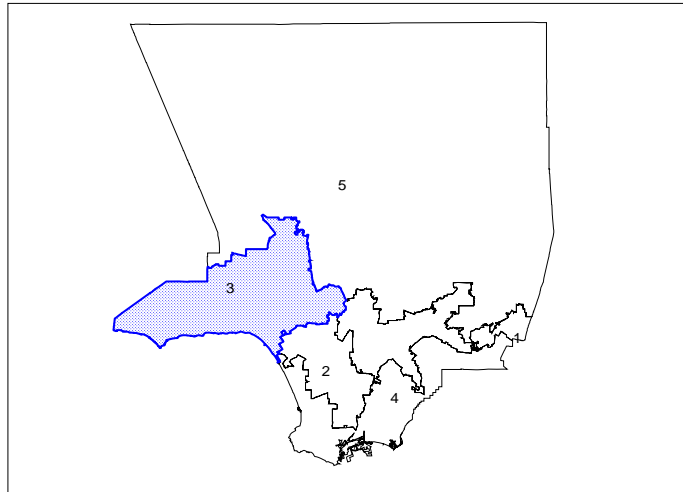
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**Third Supervisorial District - Zev Yaroslavsky, Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	25,486	2,070,592	12.3
African American	759	80,745	9.4
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	2,311	202,655	11.4
Hispanic	14,197	799,980	17.7
Native American	26	4,816	5.4
White	7,599	982,396	7.7
Two or More Races	306	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	1,886	68,685	27.5
African American	48	3,116	15.4
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	19	6,220	3.1
Hispanic	1,704	34,785	49.0
Native American	<5	145	N/C
White	79	24,419	3.2
Two or More Races	8	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,865	25,486	7.3
African American	103	759	13.6
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	187	2,311	8.1
Hispanic	914	14,197	6.4
Native American	<5	26	N/C
White	612	7,599	8.1

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	25,429	25,429	100.0
Medi-Cal	12,395	25,429	48.7
Other Govt Prog	31	25,429	0.1
Private Insurance	11,421	25,429	44.9
Self Pay	398	25,429	1.6
Other/Unknown	1,184	25,429	4.7

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	22,304	25,486	87.5
African American	651	759	85.8
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	2,064	2,311	89.3
Hispanic	12,202	14,197	85.9
Native American	23	26	88.5
White	6,859	7,599	90.3
Two or More Races	267	306	87.3

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	127	25,486	5.0
Gender			
Male	72	13,142	5.5
Female	55	12,343	4.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	16	759	21.1
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	8	2,311	3.5
Hispanic	73	14,197	5.1
Native American	<5	26	N/C
White	26	7,599	3.4
Two or More Races	<5	306	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	139	25,625	5.4
Gender			
Male	64	13,206	4.8
Female	72	12,415	5.8
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	5	764	6.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	14	2,325	6.0
Hispanic	78	14,275	5.5
Native American	<5	26	N/C
White	39	7,638	5.1
Two or More Races	<5	307	N/C

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Footnotes:

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<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 57)

<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

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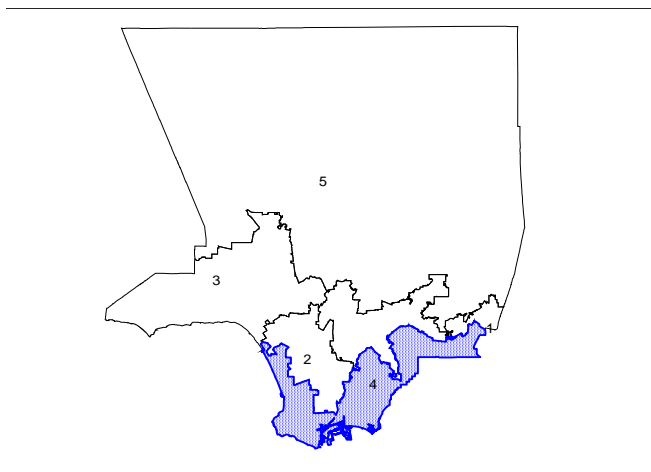
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**Fourth Supervisorial District - Don Knabe, Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	27,775	2,028,274	13.7
African American	1,849	135,819	13.6
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	4,579	362,397	12.6
Hispanic	15,344	801,062	19.2
Native American	47	5,976	7.9
White	5,292	723,020	7.3
Two or More Races	473	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	2,329	77,931	29.9
African American	214	6,698	31.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	106	12,806	8.3
Hispanic	1,803	37,065	48.6
Native American	<5	223	N/C
White	157	21,139	7.4
Two or More Races	39	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	1,901	27,775	6.8
African American	221	1,849	12.0
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	376	4,579	8.2
Hispanic	915	15,344	6.0
Native American	<5	47	N/C
White	338	5,292	6.4

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	27,690	27,690	100.0
Medi-Cal	11,938	27,690	43.1
Other Govt Prog	343	27,690	1.2
Private Insurance	13,208	27,690	47.7
Self Pay	955	27,690	3.4
Other/Unknown	1,246	27,690	4.5

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	23,550	27,775	84.8
African American	1,519	1,849	82.2
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	3,896	4,579	85.1
Hispanic	12,800	15,344	83.4
Native American	41	47	87.2
White	4,753	5,292	89.8

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	112	27,775	4.0
Gender			
Male	66	14,214	4.6
Female	46	13,561	3.4
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	14	1,849	7.6
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	22	4,579	4.8
Hispanic	58	15,344	3.8
Native American	<5	47	N/C
White	12	5,292	2.3
Two or More Races	6	473	12.7

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	140	27,915	5.0
Gender			
Male	63	14,277	4.4
Female	75	13,636	5.5
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	22	1,871	11.8
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	15	4,594	3.3
Hispanic	69	15,413	4.5
Native American	<5	47	N/C
White	33	5,325	6.2
Two or More Races	<5	473	N/C

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Footnotes:

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<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 85)

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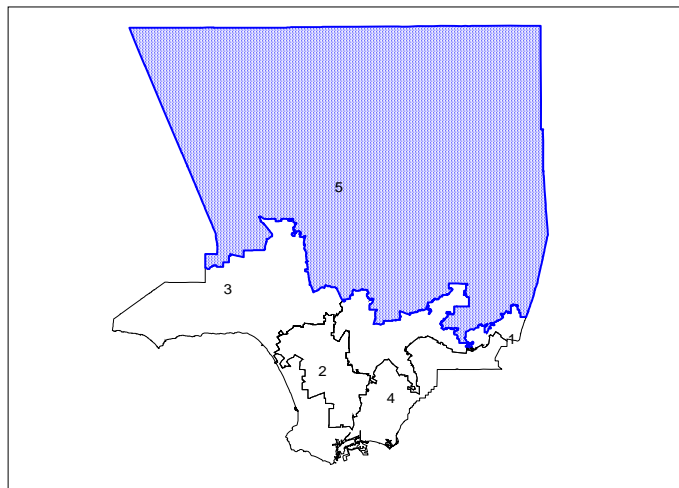
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**Selected Perinatal Health Indicators**

**Fifth Supervisorial District - Michael Antonovich, Los Angeles County, 2008**



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

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total	25,850	2,129,012	12.1
African American	1,676	127,759	13.1
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	4,417	351,431	12.6
Hispanic	11,218	617,166	18.2
Native American	48	6,926	6.9
White	7,746	1,025,730	7.6
Two or More Races	432	N/A	N/C

**Live Births Among Teen Girls Ages 15-19  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Population	Rate <sup>2</sup>
Total	1,751	80,586	21.7
African American	237	6,052	39.2
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	30	11,051	2.7
Hispanic	1,216	27,952	43.5
Native American	6	278	21.6
White	219	35,253	6.2
Two or More Races	37	N/A	N/C

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

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	2,052	25,850	7.9
African American	250	1,676	14.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	343	4,417	7.8
Hispanic	768	11,218	6.8
Native American	5	48	10.4
White	619	7,746	8.0

**Source of Payment  
for Prenatal Care<sup>5</sup>**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
Total	25,766	25,766	100.0
Medi-Cal	9,659	25,766	37.5
Other Govt Prog	168	25,766	0.7
Private Insurance	14,016	25,766	54.4
Self Pay	687	25,766	2.7
Other/Unknown	1,236	25,766	4.8

**First Trimester Onset of Prenatal Care<sup>6</sup>  
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births	Percent
First Trimester Care	21,012	25,850	81.3
African American	1,172	1,676	69.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	3,737	4,417	84.6
Hispanic	8,739	11,218	77.9
Native American	36	48	75.0
White	6,760	7,746	87.3
Two or More Races	340	432	78.7

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

	Number	Live Births	Rate <sup>7</sup>
Total	130	25,850	5.0
Gender			
Male	83	13,266	6.3
Female	47	12,584	3.7
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	25	1,676	14.9
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	9	4,417	2.0
Hispanic	55	11,218	4.9
Native American	<5	48	N/C
White	39	7,746	5.0
Two or More Races	<5	432	N/C

**Fetal Deaths (20 weeks or more)  
by Gender and Race/Ethnicity**

	Number	Live Births + Fetal Deaths	Rate <sup>8</sup>
Total	112	25,962	4.3
Gender			
Male	51	13,317	3.8
Female	61	12,645	4.8
Race/Ethnicity			
African American	16	1,692	9.5
Asian/Pi <sup>3</sup>	8	4,425	1.8
Hispanic	52	11,270	4.6
Native American	<5	48	N/C
White	36	7,782	4.6
Two or More Races	<5	432	N/C

Sum of race/ethnic totals may not add up to Supervisorial District total due to records with unspecified race/ethnicity.

Sum of gender totals may not add up to Supervisorial District total due to records that do not specify gender.

N/A: Population estimates for "Two or More Races" category not available. N/C: Rates not calculated.

Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> The number of live births per 1,000 total population

<sup>2</sup> The number of live births to mothers ages 15-19 at delivery per 1,000 adolescent females ages 15-19

<sup>3</sup> Racial/ethnic categorization has been revised in this report; data from previous year reports may not be comparable. Asian/Pi is Asian and Pacific Islander

<sup>4</sup> Live births weighing less than 2,500 grams

<sup>5</sup> This Analysis excludes those with no prenatal care (n = 84)

<sup>6</sup> The percent of live born infants whose mothers received prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy

<sup>7</sup> The number of infant deaths occurring at less than 365 days of age per 1,000 live births

<sup>8</sup> The number of fetal deaths of 20 weeks or more gestation per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths

Source: California Department of Public Health, Center for Health Statistics, OHIR Vital Statistics Section, 2008

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Note: Numbers fewer than 5 are shown as "<5". Rates are not calculated (N/C) if number is fewer than five.

The mothers' residential zip codes were used to allocate live births, infant and fetal deaths to corresponding Supervisorial Districts. Supervisorial District corresponding to each zip code (published in 2001) was designated using the zip code centroids. Published statistics based on other corresponding tables may vary when compared.