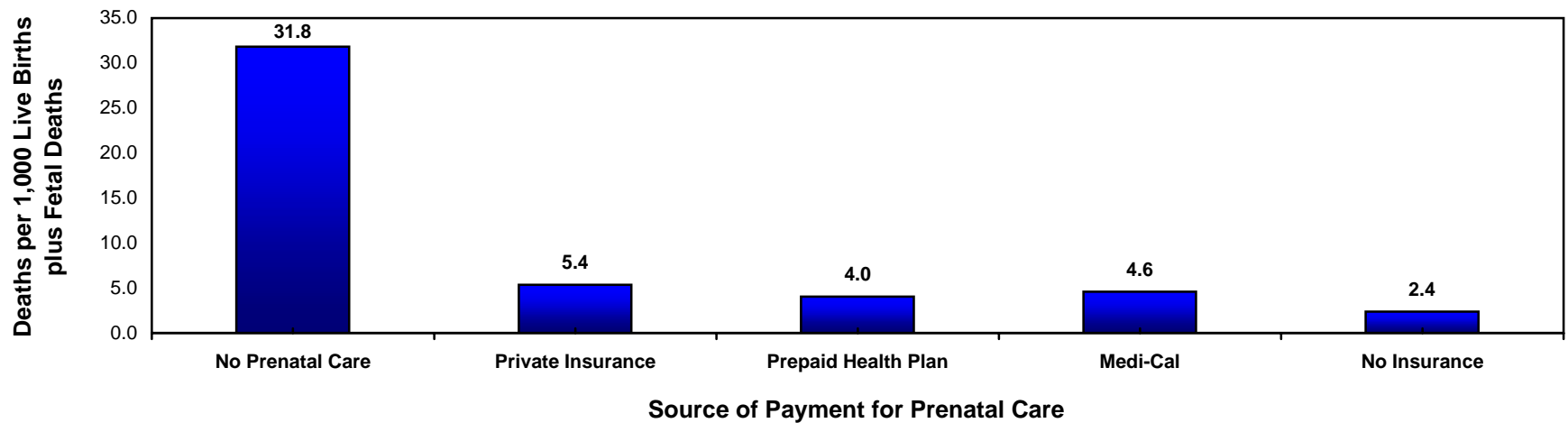
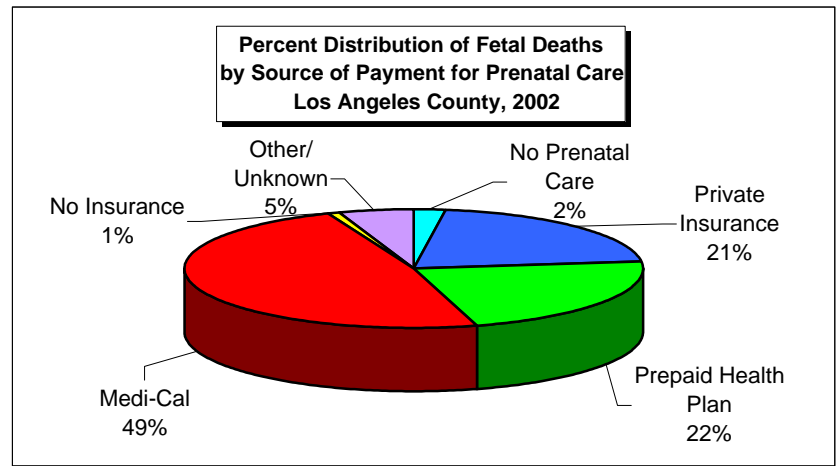


**Fetal Mortality Rate by Source of Payment for Prenatal Care (PNC)  
Los Angeles County, 2002**



Los Angeles County, 2002				
Source of Payment for Prenatal Care	Fetal Mortality		95% Confidence Interval	
	Deaths	Rate	Lower	Upper
No Prenatal Care	17	31.8	21.2	42.4
Private Insurance	154	5.4	4.8	6.0
Prepaid Health Plan	166	4.0	3.6	4.5
Medi-Cal	357	4.6	4.2	4.9
No Insurance	6	2.4	1.0	3.7
Other/Unknown	40	35.7	27.9	43.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>4.6</b>	<b>5.1</b>

Total Live Births plus Fetal Deaths
534
28,704
41,142
77,875
2,530
1,122
<b>151,907</b>



Year 2010 Objective: Reduce fetal mortality (20 or more weeks of gestation) rate to no more than 4.1 per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths.  
 Note: Fetal mortality rate is defined as deaths occurring at 20 weeks or more gestation per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths.  
 Source: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 2002.