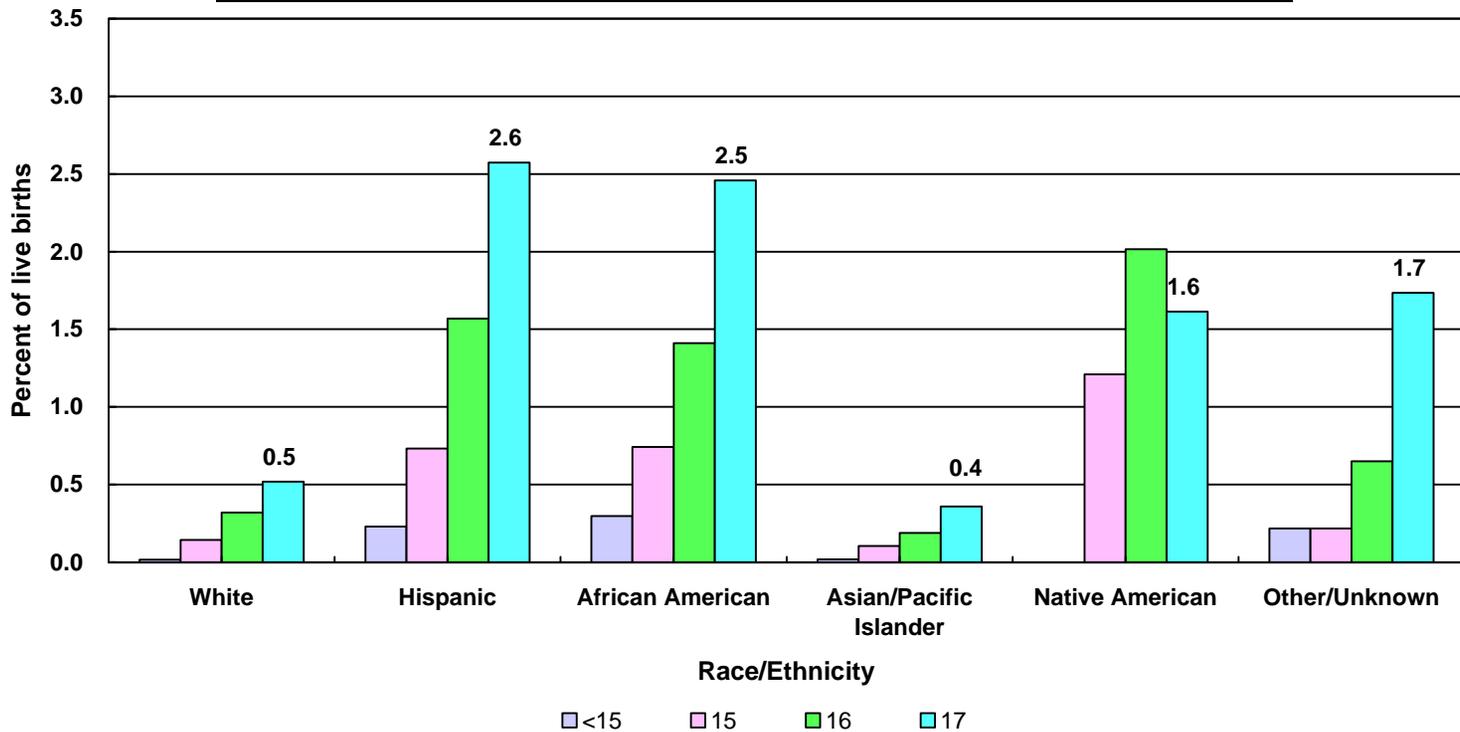


**Percent of Live Births to Mothers Less Than 18 Years Old
by Mother's Race/Ethnicity*
Los Angeles County, 2000**



Age	Race/Ethnicity											
	White		Hispanic		African American		Asian/Pacific Islander		Native American		Other/Unknown	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<15	5	0.0	225	0.2	40	0.3	3	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2
15	42	0.1	716	0.7	100	0.7	17	0.1	3	1.2	1	0.2
16	93	0.3	1,533	1.6	190	1.4	31	0.2	5	2.0	3	0.7
17	151	0.5	2,514	2.6	331	2.5	59	0.4	4	1.6	8	1.7
Total	29,094	100.0	97,719	100.0	13,468	100.0	16,401	100.0	248	100.0	461	100.0

Note: * White, African American, Asian, Pacific Islander, Native American and other races exclude Hispanic ethnicity
Hispanic includes any race category.

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