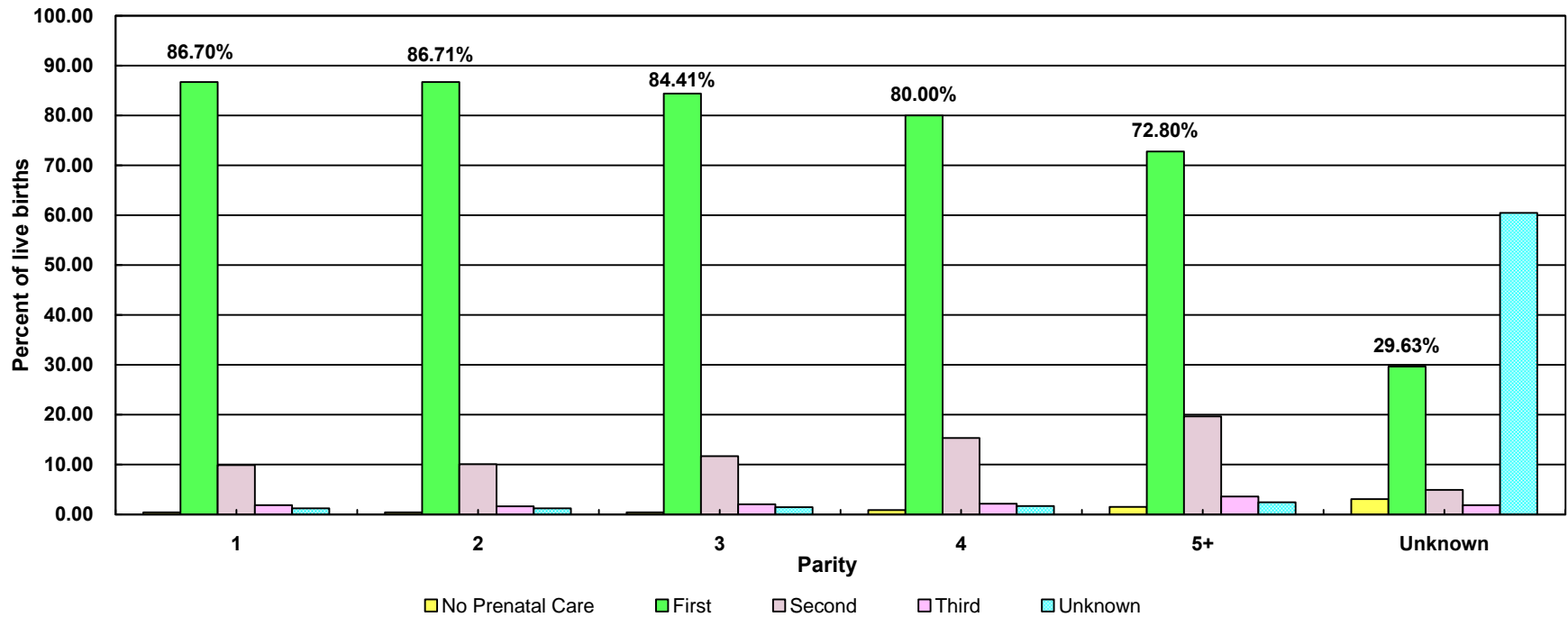


Percent of Live Births for Mother's Trimester Prenatal Care Began by Parity
Los Angeles County, 1999



| Live Births | Parity | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| | 1 | | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5+ | | Unknown | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| No PNC | 230 | 0.39 | 206 | 0.42 | 116 | 0.42 | 106 | 0.88 | 130 | 1.53 | 5 | 3.09 |
| First | 51,002 | 86.70 | 42,259 | 86.71 | 23,539 | 84.41 | 9,638 | 80.00 | 6,184 | 72.80 | 48 | 29.63 |
| Second | 5,806 | 9.87 | 4,893 | 10.04 | 3,262 | 11.70 | 1,845 | 15.31 | 1,668 | 19.64 | 8 | 4.94 |
| Third | 1,078 | 1.83 | 794 | 1.63 | 565 | 2.03 | 258 | 2.14 | 306 | 3.60 | 3 | 1.85 |
| Unknown | 711 | 1.21 | 583 | 1.20 | 405 | 1.45 | 201 | 1.67 | 206 | 2.43 | 98 | 60.49 |
| Total | 58,827 | 100.00 | 48,735 | 100.00 | 27,887 | 100.00 | 12,048 | 100.00 | 8,494 | 100.00 | 162 | 100.00 |

Year 2000 Objective: Increase to at least 90 percent the proportion of all pregnant women who receive prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy.

Note: Trimester Prenatal Care Began' (based on natality statistics) excludes the prenatal care experiences of all women whose pregnancies did not result in a live birth.

PNC = 'Prenatal Care'

Parity = number of pregnancies resulting in live births to a woman

Source: 1999 birth records from the California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics