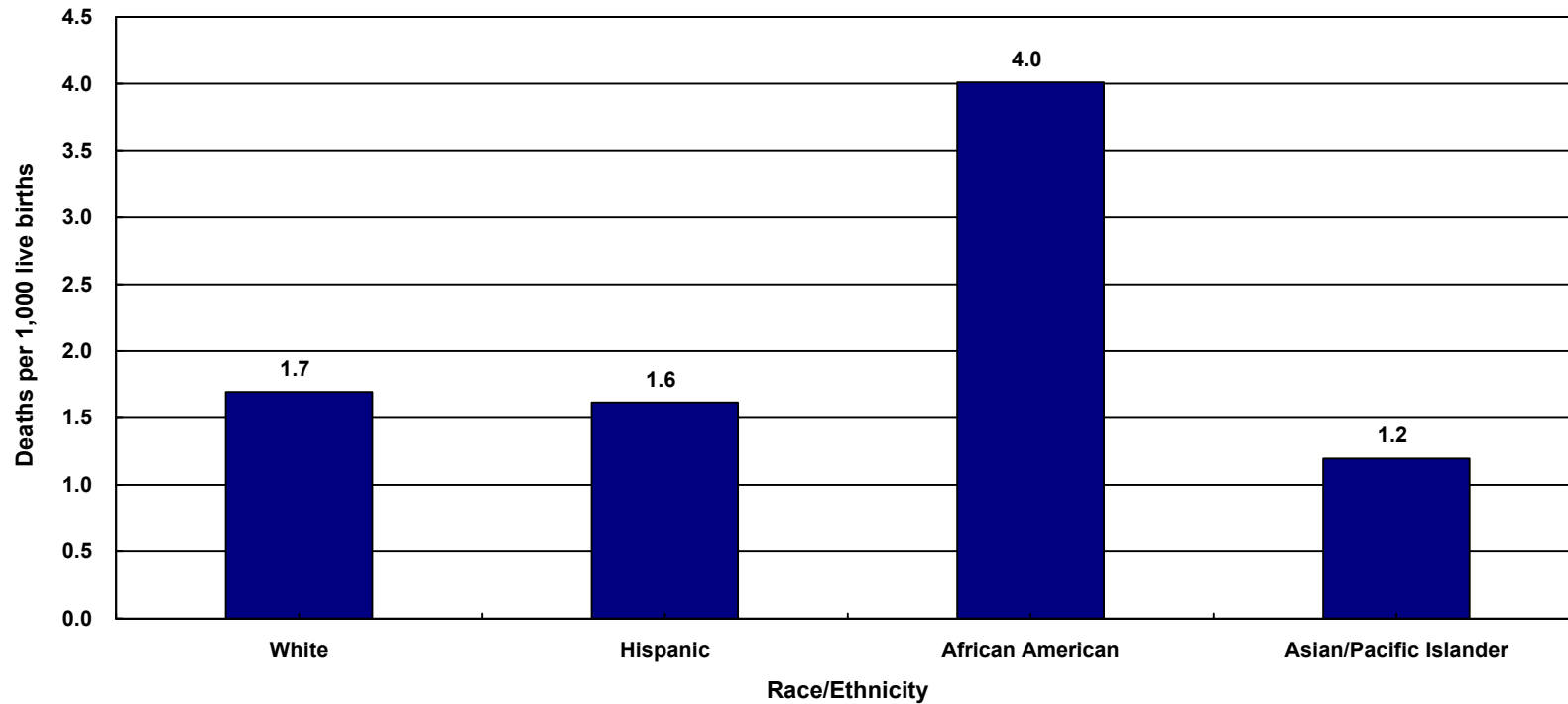


**Post-Neonatal Mortality Rate by Race/Ethnicity\***  
**Los Angeles County, 1999**



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Race/Ethnicity	Post-neonatal Mortality		95 % Confidence Interval	
	Number	Rate	Lower	Upper
White	50	1.7	1.2	2.2
Hispanic	157	1.6	1.4	1.9
African American	55	4.0	3.0	5.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	18	1.2	0.6	1.7
Native American	0	nc	nc	nc
Other/Unknown	0	nc	nc	nc
<b>Total</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.0</b>

Total Live Births
29,514
97,103
13,724
15,050
270
492
<b>156,153</b>

\* White, African American, Asian, Native American and other race exclude Hispanic ethnicity  
 Hispanic includes any race category  
 Filipino is included in Asian  
 nc Rates are not calculated if fewer than five deaths.

**Year 2000 Objective:** Reduce the post-neonatal mortality rate to no more than 2.5 per 1,000 live births.

**Note:** Post-neonatal mortality rate is defined as deaths occurring between ages 28 and 364 days per 1,000 live births

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