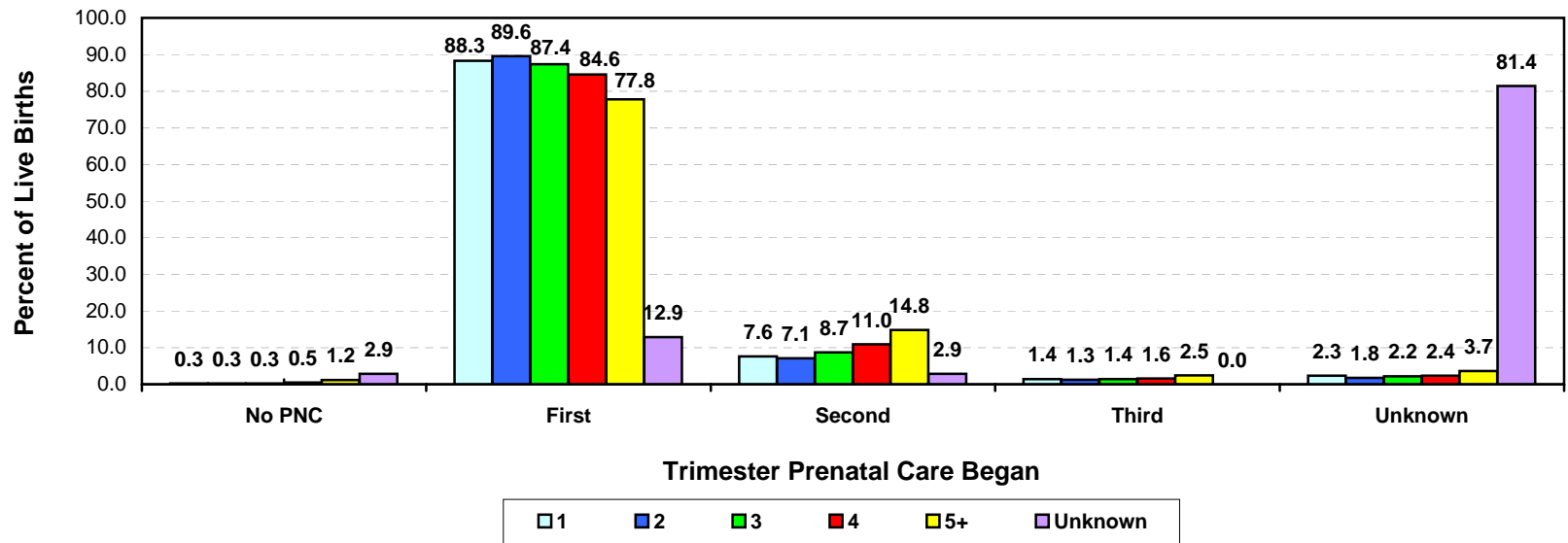


**Percent of Live Births for Mother's Trimester Prenatal Care (PNC) Began  
by Parity  
Los Angeles County, 2002**



Trimester	Parity											
	1		2		3		4		5+		Unknown	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No PNC	160	0.3	124	0.3	77	0.3	58	0.5	94	1.2	4	2.9
First	50,339	88.3	42,482	89.6	23,655	87.4	10,028	84.6	5,971	77.8	18	12.9
Second	4,342	7.6	3,367	7.1	2,368	8.7	1,298	11.0	1,138	14.8	4	2.9
Third	826	1.4	601	1.3	383	1.4	187	1.6	192	2.5	0	0.0
Unknown	1,335	2.3	853	1.8	586	2.2	282	2.4	281	3.7	114	81.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>57,002</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>47,427</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27,069</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>11,853</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7,676</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Year 2010 Objective: Increase the proportion of pregnant women who receive prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy to 90 percent of live births.

Note: "Trimester Prenatal Care (PNC) Began" excludes the prenatal care experiences of all women whose pregnancies did not result in a live birth.

Parity = number of pregnancies resulting in live births to a woman. Number of total live births is used as a proxy for parity.

Source: California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics, 2002.