## 2005 LAMB survey

Domain/Subdomain			Mental Health / General Mental Distress			Mental Health / Postpartum Depression		
Indicator Description			Percentage of women who delivered a live birth having reporting feeling sad, empty or depressed for most of the day for two weeks or longer during their last/most recent pregnancy <sup>1</sup> .			live birth reporting depressive		
			%	95% CI		%	95% CI	
LA County			39.8	37.8	41.9	16.5	14.7	18.3
Race/Ethnicity	White		22.2	19.4	25.0	12.9	10.4	15.4
	Latina		45.6	42.6	48.7	18.3	15.5	21.1
	African-American		49.1	45.6	52.6	15.9	12.9	18.9
	Asian/Pacific Islander		28.3	24.8	31.7	12.5	9.4	15.6
Service Planning Areas	SPA 1	Antelope Valley	41.1	36.3	46.0	14.7	10.8	18.6
	SPA 2	San Fernando	38.1	33.3	42.8	18.7	14.1	23.4
	SPA 3	San Gabriel	37.6	32.2	42.9	11.3	7.6	15.1
	SPA 4	Metro	42.2	36.5	47.9	15.6	10.7	20.5
	SPA 5	West	21.6	17.9	25.4	14.7	10.8	18.6
	SPA 6	South	46.1	39.9	52.3	21.0	14.8	27.1
	SPA 7	East	43.5	37.3	49.6	13.8	9.1	18.6
	SPA 8	South Bay	38.3	33.7	43.0	19.2	14.6	23.9
Supervisorial Districts	First District		45.5	40.5	50.6	12.5	8.8	16.1
	Second District		43.0	38.8	47.3	20.1	15.8	24.5
	Third District		37.5	32.6	42.5	17.9	13.2	22.7
	Fourth District		36.4	32.1	40.8	16.6	12.8	20.4
Sı	Fifth District		33.6	29.5	37.7	15.3	11.5	19.1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Respondents who answered positively to at least one question out of the following ones were coded as "depressed": "For two weeks or longer during your last pregnancy, did you - 1. feel sad, empty or depressed for most of the day, 2. lose interest in most things like work, hobbies and other things you usually enjoyed?".

<sup>2</sup>Question asked: "In the months after your new baby was born would you say that you were...". Respondents who answered "very depressed" and "moderately depressed" were coded as "depressed".

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