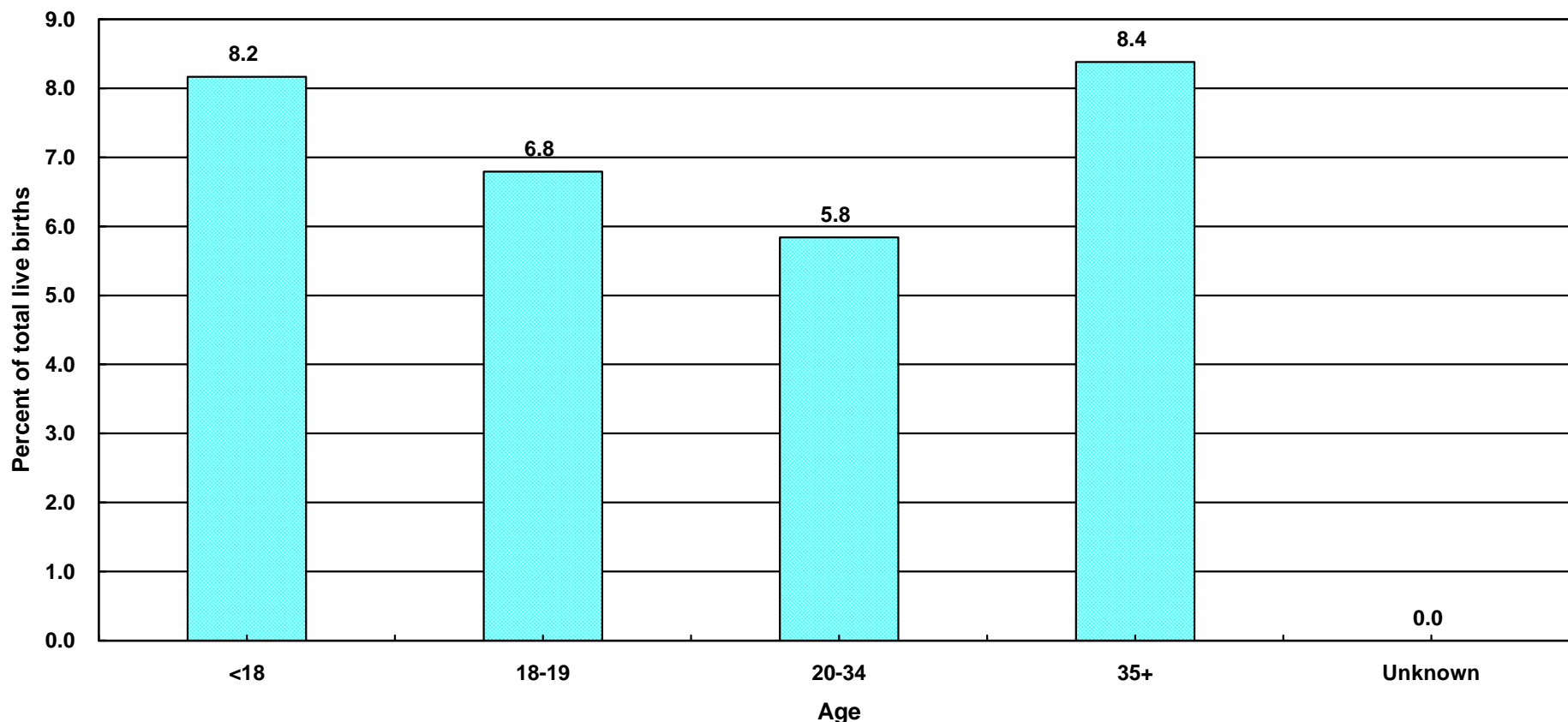


Low Birthweight Live Births, as Percent of Total Live Births, by Mother's Age Los Angeles County, 2000



| | Age | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| | < 18 | | 18 - 19 | | 20 - 34 | | 35+ | | Unknown | |
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Birthweight | | | | | | | | | | |
| <2,500 grams | 496 | 8.2 | 734 | 6.8 | 6,723 | 5.8 | 2,127 | 8.4 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Total | 6,075 | 100.0 | 10,807 | 100.0 | 115,111 | 100.0 | 25,385 | 100.0 | 13 | 100.0 |

Year 2010 Objective: Reduce low birthweight to an incidence of no more than 5 percent of live births.

Note: Low birthweight is defined as weight less than 2,500 grams at birth.

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