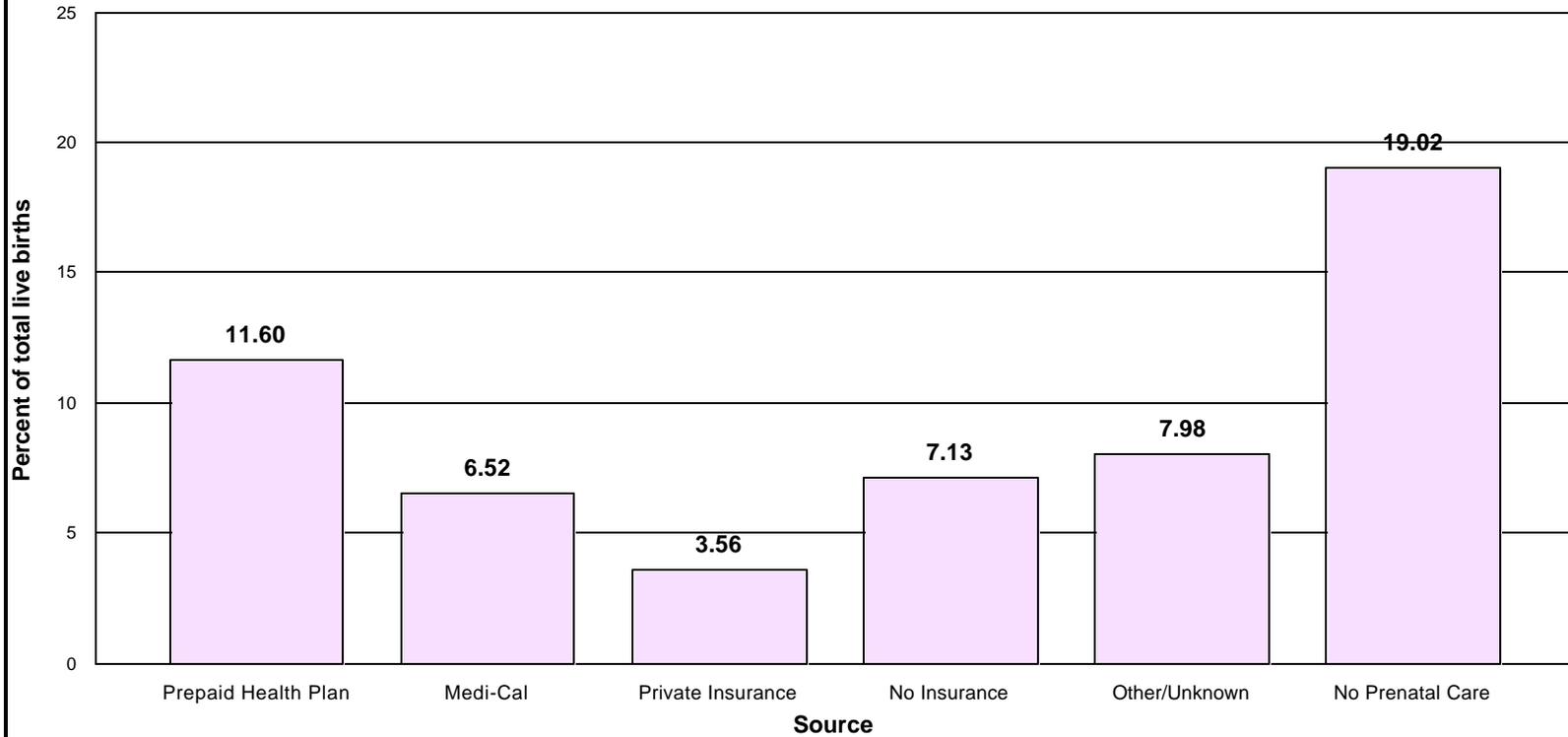


### Low Birthweight Live Births, as Percent of Total Live Births, by Payment Source for Prenatal Care

Los Angeles County, 1998



	Source of Payment											
	Prepaid Health Plan		Medi-Cal		Private Insurance		No Insurance		Other/Unknown		No Prenatal Care	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>&lt;2,500 grams</b>	3,162	11.60	4,857	6.52	1,793	3.56	306	7.13	91	7.98	199	19.02
<b>Total</b>	27,248	100.00	74,468	100.00	50,411	100.00	4,291	100.00	1,140	100.00	1,046	100.00

Year 2000 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: 1998 birth records from the California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics