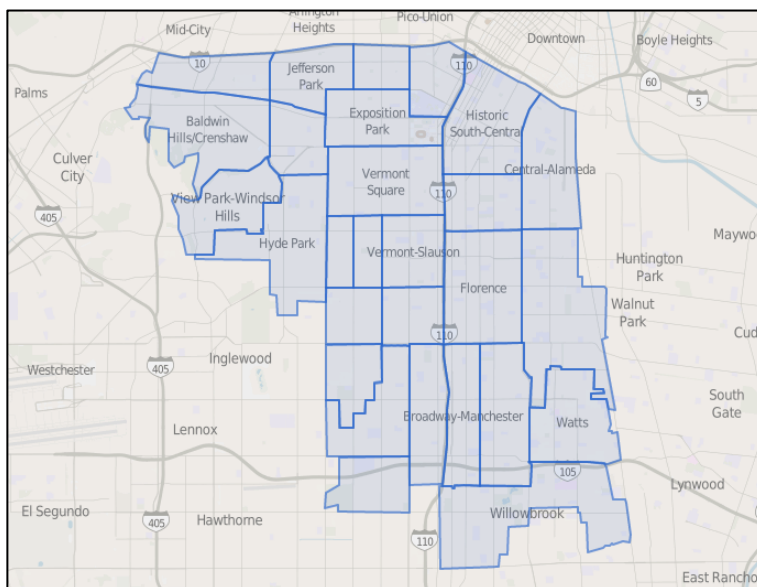


## Profile of the Status of Women and Girls in South Los Angeles

- Many structural, social, and cultural factors contribute to gender inequalities
- Gender inequalities can differentially affect subsets of women (ex. African-American, Latina, female-householders, undocumented immigrants, etc.)
- The consequences of gender inequality can be long lasting and can include cycles of poverty and exploitation
  - 35% of women in South Los Angeles live in poverty
  - 13% of women in South Los Angeles live in deep poverty
  - Los Angeles is a top point of entry for victims of human trafficking
- Young girls can face additional challenges of navigating the foster care system

## South Los Angeles

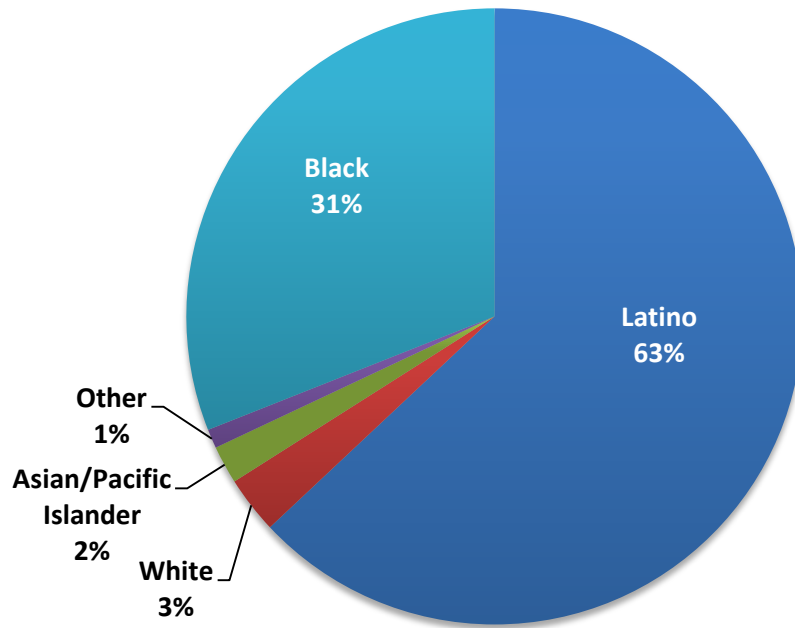


### Representative Zip Codes

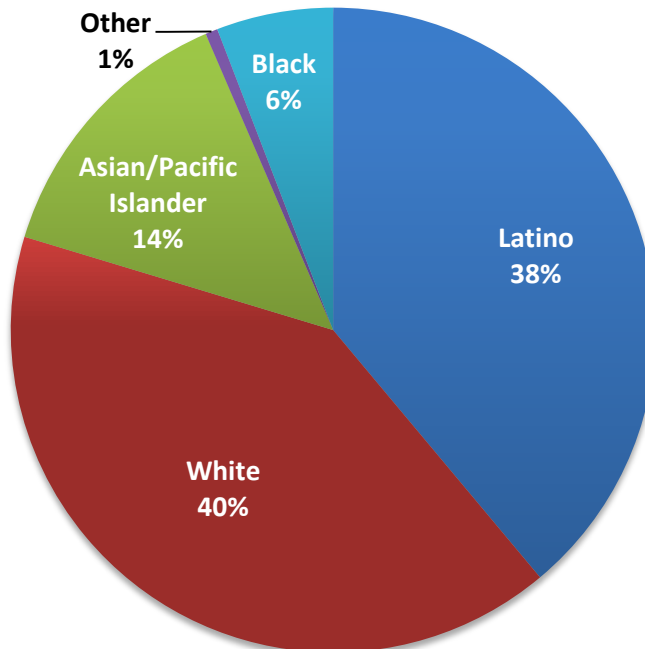
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Data source: Los Angeles Times Mapping L.A. Project

### Racial Demographics South Los Angeles, 2009-2013



### Racial Demographics California, 2009-2013



## Women in Poverty and Unemployment 2009-2013

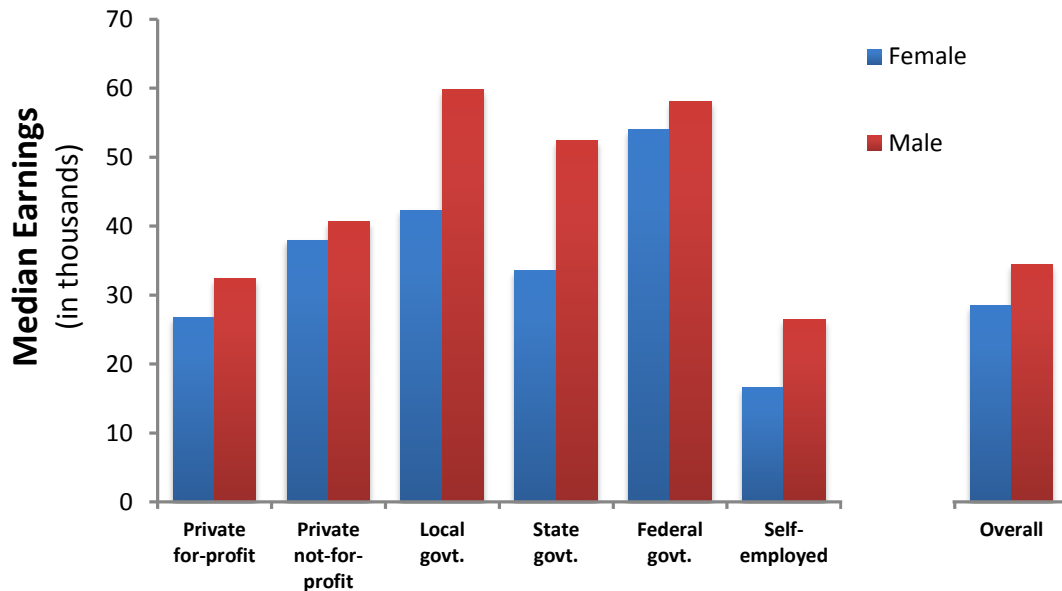
- Unemployed women aged 20-64 years
  - South Los Angeles* 15%
  - California* 11%
  - United States* 9%
  
- Women living below 100% of the poverty level
  - South Los Angeles* 35%
  - California* 17%
  - United States* 17%
  
- Women living below 50% of the poverty level (deep poverty)
  - South Los Angeles* 13%
  - California* 8%
  - United States* 7%

## Poverty Statistics – Female-headed Households 2009-2013

	South Los Angeles		All Los Angeles County		California		United States	
	Total	Percent below poverty level	Total	Percent below poverty level	Total	Percent below poverty level	Total	Percent below poverty level
<b>FAMILIES</b>	62,064	42%	505,284	28%	1,692,750	27%	15,003,337	31%
With related children under 18 years	42,982	52%	308,150	38%	1,071,974	37%	9,925,413	40%
<b>RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN</b>								
Families with a householder who is--								
One race	60,859	42%	491,154	28%	1,633,824	27%	14,642,574	31%
White	10,420	46%	234,111	25%	972,514	25%	9,069,987	27%
Black or African American	31,100	37%	86,658	29%	216,358	32%	4,075,843	37%
American Indian and Alaska Native	211	39%	3,133	31%	17,622	34%	174,781	42%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	377	16%	53,732	16%	170,144	18%	444,805	21%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	84	40%	1,578	22%	6,874	24%	24,267	31%
Some other race	18,667	49%	111,942	39%	250,312	39%	852,891	43%
Two or more races	1,205	45%	14,130	25%	58,926	28%	360,763	36%
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	29,172	48%	254,576	35%	691,093	36%	2,760,995	40%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	526	41%	101,141	15%	566,771	17%	7,353,232	24%
<b>HOUSEHOLDER WORKED</b>	37,343	30%	346,784	20%	1,165,873	20%	10,537,656	24%
Householder worked full-time, year-round	22,130	17%	219,703	10%	712,215	8%	6,646,196	10%
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF</b>								
Less than high school graduate	22,896	55%	138,263	45%	373,348	46%	2,563,093	50%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	13,926	41%	106,361	29%	365,582	31%	4,262,645	34%
Some college, associate's degree	19,264	35%	164,442	22%	622,467	23%	5,492,469	29%
Bachelor's degree or higher	5,978	13%	96,218	10%	331,353	10%	2,685,130	10%
<b>NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18</b>								
No child	19,082	19%	197,134	12%	620,776	11%	5,077,924	12%
1 or 2 children	30,796	47%	242,254	32%	843,013	31%	7,982,687	35%
3 or 4 children	10,458	67%	57,972	58%	202,510	57%	1,743,674	60%
5 or more children	1,728	74%	7,924	67%	26,451	69%	199,052	77%

Data source: America Community Survey, 2013 5-year estimates

## Median Earnings by Type of Employment Los Angeles County, 2009-2013



Data source: America Community Survey, 2013 5-year estimates

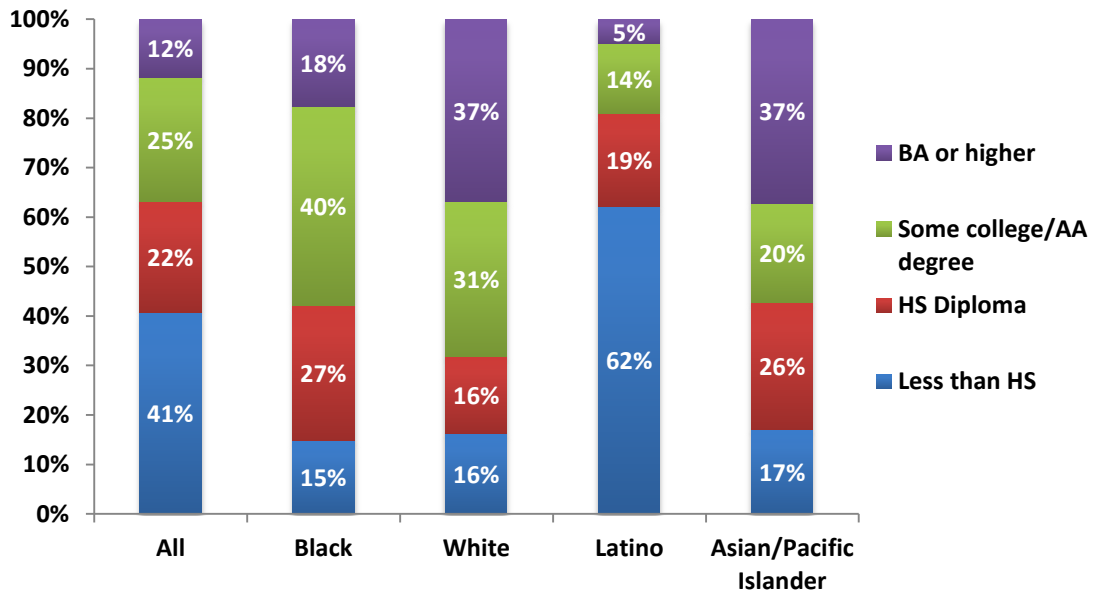
## Homelessness South Los Angeles, 2013

- 7,045 homeless persons were counted during a Jan 2013 Point-in-Time survey

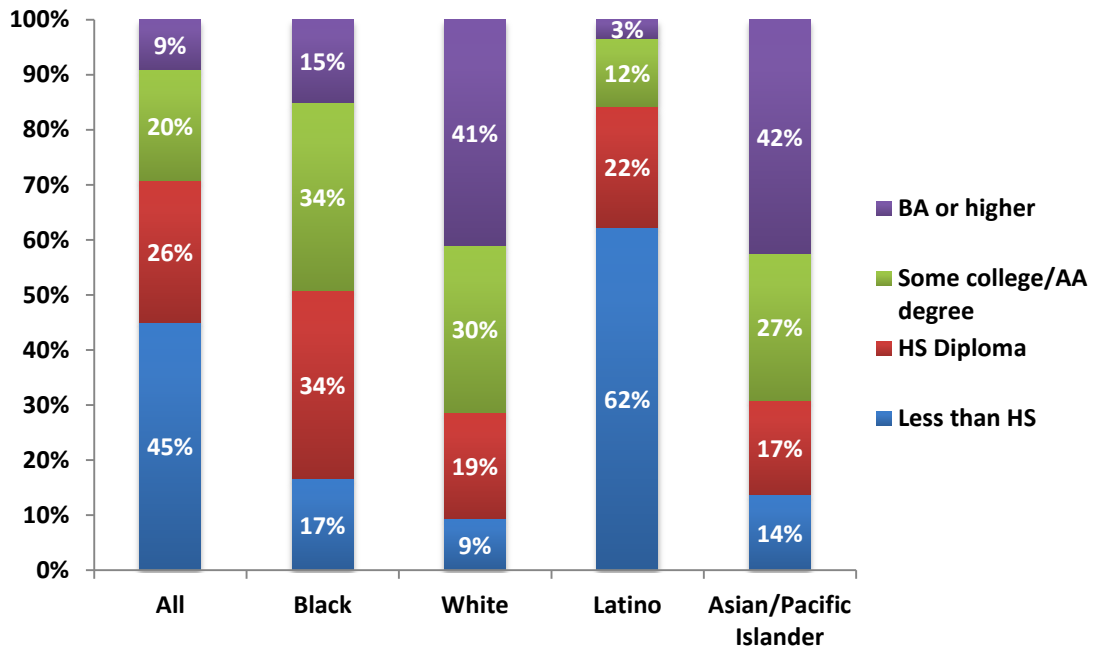
Classification	Sheltered	Unsheltered
Total Persons	2,390	4,655
Total Veterans	239	514
Female Veterans	14	28
Families (at least one child)	366	127
Youth within a family unit	742	184
Unaccompanied Youth	0	283

Data source: Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority

## Educational Attainment of Women (aged 25+) South Los Angeles, 2009-2013



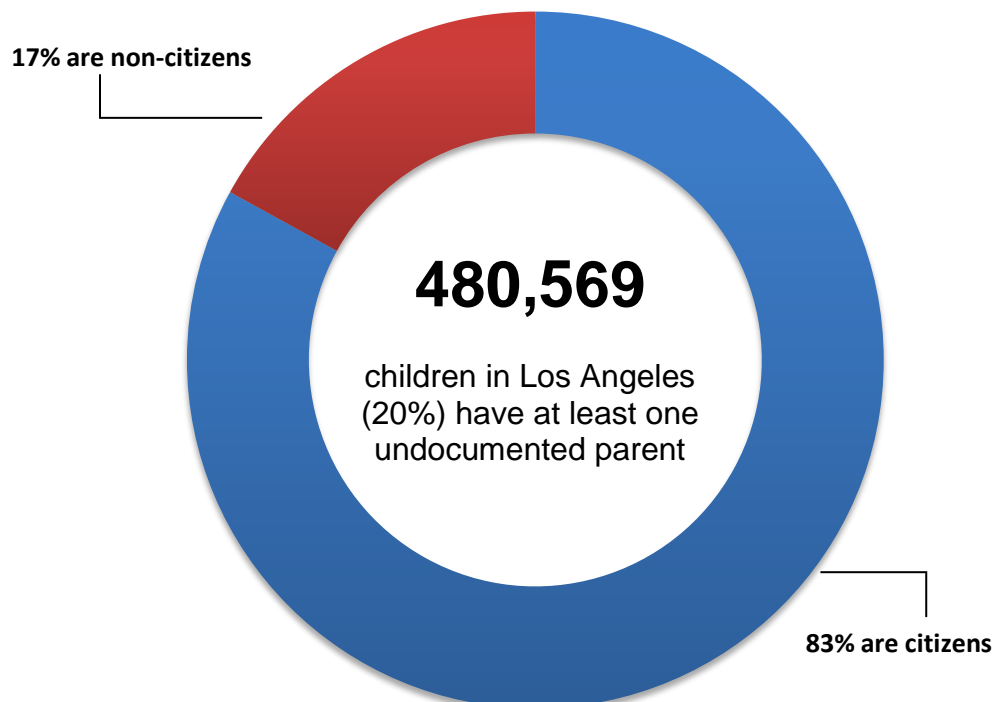
## Educational Attainment of Men (aged 25+) South Los Angeles, 2009-2013



## Undocumented Immigrant Statistics 2009-2011

▪ Californians who are undocumented immigrants	2.6 million
▪ Undocumented immigrants in Los Angeles County (more than any other county in California)	>800,000
▪ Country of origin within Latin America	86%
▪ Attained some post-secondary schooling	10%
▪ Speaks English well	40%
▪ Undocumented immigrants in the workforce	11%
▪ Median annual earnings	\$18,000
▪ Living below 150% of the federal poverty level	56%
▪ Undocumented immigrant women who are employed	84%

## Children with Undocumented Parents 2009-2011



## Human Trafficking Global & National Statistics

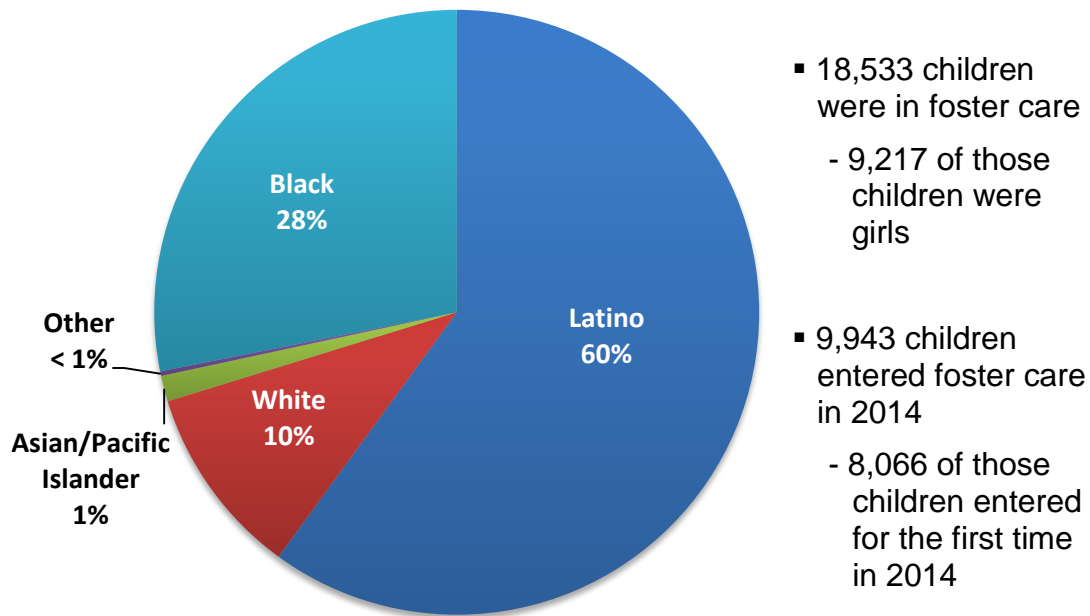
- Global annual revenue from human trafficking \$150 billion
- Proportion from sex exploitation 2/3
- Proportion from labor exploitation 1/3
  
- Labor exploitation victims who are women & girls 55%
- Sex exploitation victims who are women & girls 98%
  
- Cases reported from California to the National Human Trafficking Resource Center in 2014 912
- Cases related to sex exploitation 685
- Cases for female victims 783
  
- FBI estimate of children sold to sex trafficking annually (trafficking remains largely underreported) 100,000

## Human Trafficking Los Angeles Statistics

- Los Angeles is a top point of entry to the U.S. for victims
- Ranks 1<sup>st</sup> in FBI's list of cities with highest incidence of sex exploitation of children
- The Coalition to Abolish Slavery and Trafficking (CAST) was established in LA in 1998
- 75% of the CAST clients served in 2014 were women & girls
- In 2015, there were 998 calls to the CAST hotline reporting trafficking

Ethnic Background of Female Clients Assisted by CAST in Los Angeles	
African-American/African	31%
Latina	26%
Asian-American/Asian	16%
White	9%
Pacific Islander	8%

## Racial Profile of Foster Youth in Los Angeles County, 2015



Data source: California Child Welfare Indicators Project