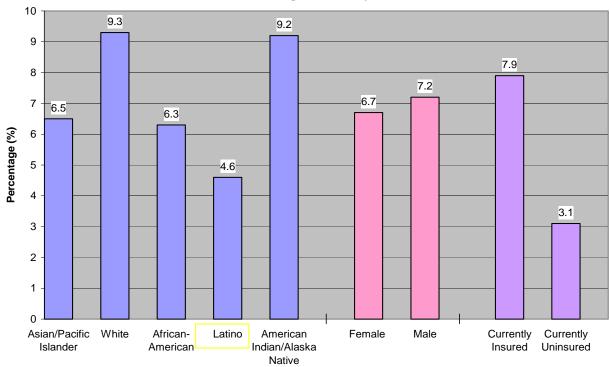
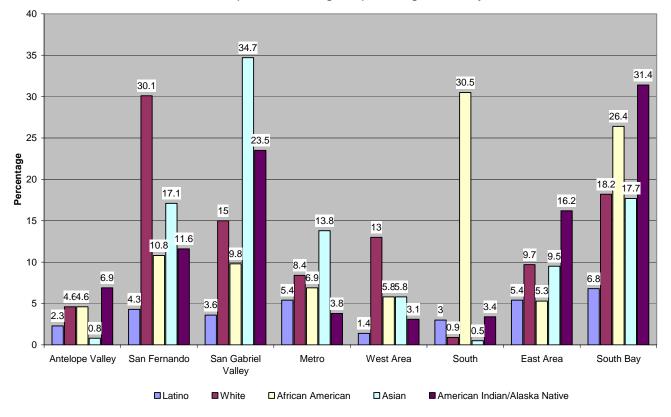
Cardiovascular Disease in LA County's Latino Population



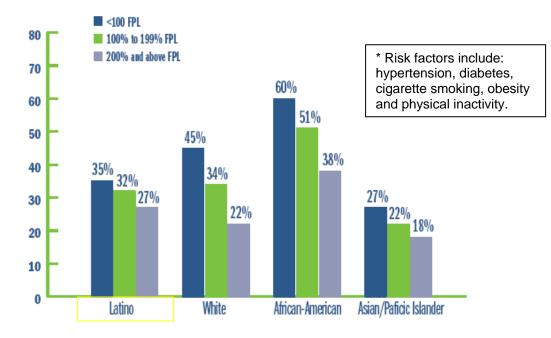
Percentage of People That Have Ever Been Diagnosed with Heart Disease Los Angeles County, 2003

> Individuals Ever Diagnosed with Heart Disease by Race/Ethnicity and SPA (Service Planning Area), Los Angeles County, 2003



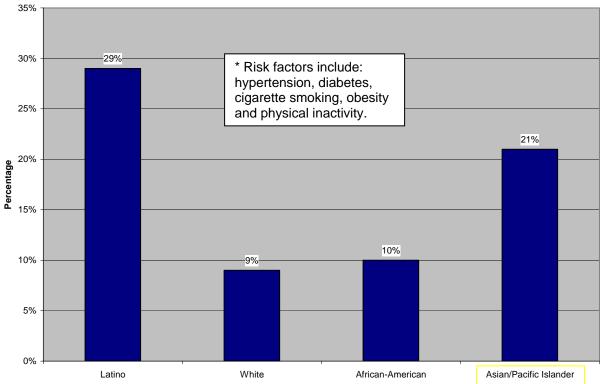
Source: California Health Interview Survey, 2003 AskCHIS: <u>www.chis.ucla.edu</u>

Percent of Adult (18+ years) with Two or More Risk Factors* for Cardiovascular Disease by Federal Poverty Level (FPL) in LA County, 2002-2003



• Latinos with two or more risk factors were more likely to be uninsured (29%) and not have a regular source of health (20%) than were other groups. (LADHS)





Percentage of Adults (18+) with Two or More Risk Factors* for Cardiovascular Disease Who Have Not Had Any Health Care Visits Within The Past Year, LA County, 2002-2003 25% * Risk factors include: hypertension, diabetes, 21% cigarette smoking, obesity 20% 20% and physical inactivity. 15% 13% Percentage 11% 10% 5% 0% Latino White African-American Asian/Pacific Islander Source (3 graphs above and info): Los Angeles County Dept of Health Services, Public Health, Many County Adults are at Risk for Heart Disease and Stroke, LA Health: July 2005. http://lapublichealth.org/ha/reports/habriefs/CardiovascularDiseas7CFEA.pdf (pages 2-3) Coronary Heart Disease Mortality by Race/Ethnicity, Los Angeles County, 1991-2000 500 400Rate / 100,000 300 African American Latino White 200 Asian/PI 100 0 1991 1992 1995 1996 1997 1998 1993 19941999 2000 Years

- There is a decline of heart disease in all ethnicity groups due to advancements in medical and surgical treatment as well and changes in lifestyle behaviors.
- Source: Los Angeles County Department of Health Services, Public Health, Recent Health Trends in Los Angeles County, Office of Health Assessment and Epidemiology: June 2002. <u>http://search.ladhs.org/wwwfiles/ph/hae/ha/healthtrends9.pdf</u> (page 3)