

**TABLE 2-36. LIVE BIRTHS BY MOTHER'S EDUCATION, CALIFORNIA COUNTIES AND SELECTED CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS, 2006  
(By Place of Residence)**

COUNTY	TOTAL BIRTHS	MOTHER'S EDUCATION IN YEARS COMPLETED								
		8th GRADE OR LESS	9-12 YRS NO DIPLOMA	HIGH SCHOOL GRAD/GED	COLLEGE NO DEGREE	ASSOCIATE DEGREE	BACHELOR'S DEGREE	MASTER'S DEGREE	DOCTORATE OR PROFESSIONAL	UNKNOWN
<b>CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>562,157</b>	<b>56,782</b>	<b>148,212</b>	<b>99,658</b>	<b>87,951</b>	<b>29,413</b>	<b>82,281</b>	<b>29,914</b>	<b>11,393</b>	<b>16,553</b>
ALAMEDA	21,058	1,650	3,245	3,505	3,294	1,011	4,711	2,189	757	696
Berkeley <sup>1</sup>	934	26	57	79	119	34	235	227	142	15
ALPINE	13	-	1	2	6	1	-	3	-	-
AMADOR	274	9	43	77	78	18	34	8	3	4
BUTTE	2,633	141	481	601	686	187	404	95	30	8
CALAVERAS	393	6	84	118	88	28	49	13	4	3
COLUSA	389	63	104	113	62	16	21	7	1	2
CONTRA COSTA	13,565	1,050	2,407	2,151	2,525	810	2,986	963	358	315
DEL NORTE	365	9	81	140	80	23	23	4	1	4
EL DORADO	2,036	78	450	320	378	179	477	97	36	21
FRESNO	16,876	2,348	4,161	4,443	2,981	818	1,501	359	95	170
GLENN	455	60	114	120	103	17	38	2	-	1
HUMBOLDT	1,643	66	377	487	176	144	284	63	13	33
IMPERIAL	3,127	133	965	719	759	142	308	61	20	20
INYO	250	23	65	69	46	12	27	4	3	1
KERN	15,104	1,660	5,345	3,039	2,701	533	1,043	298	46	439
KINGS	2,683	237	1,103	439	520	157	174	46	5	2
LAKE	695	43	236	202	123	39	37	9	1	5
LASSEN	259	3	92	35	68	32	19	8	1	1
LOS ANGELES	151,837	17,579	51,205	21,441	21,161	7,630	20,379	7,748	3,015	1,679
Long Beach <sup>1</sup>	7,873	756	2,599	1,273	1,412	370	914	366	129	54
Pasadena <sup>1</sup>	2,204	172	518	132	251	103	518	263	158	89
MADERA	2,622	652	718	603	376	98	133	25	9	8
MARIN	2,734	265	187	465	101	79	1,006	461	155	15
MARIPOSA	159	4	28	54	36	6	23	3	1	4
MENDOCINO	1,106	73	240	315	248	66	91	19	6	48
MERCED	4,742	802	1,074	1,404	892	195	283	61	15	16
MODOC	80	2	22	27	11	5	9	3	-	1
MONO	192	37	47	32	25	9	29	9	3	1
MONTEREY	7,474	1,908	2,511	814	959	383	645	181	52	21
NAPA	1,754	266	455	339	158	129	271	81	30	25
NEVADA	804	21	216	106	159	71	172	45	11	3
ORANGE	44,231	5,045	12,793	4,781	6,292	2,086	8,367	2,896	1,078	893
PLACER	3,892	151	448	872	659	348	1,025	283	89	17
PLUMAS	172	4	34	50	36	19	25	3	-	1
RIVERSIDE	33,659	3,141	10,120	8,036	5,824	1,549	2,914	1,056	233	786
SACRAMENTO	21,952	1,374	4,672	5,185	3,999	1,362	3,603	943	378	436
SAN BENITO	885	135	322	108	161	47	84	18	3	7
SAN BERNARDINO	34,675	2,610	11,444	8,148	6,157	1,732	3,038	1,079	231	236
SAN DIEGO	46,876	2,470	8,036	8,240	7,826	2,243	7,504	2,593	1,821	6,143
SAN FRANCISCO	8,609	515	1,240	976	866	388	2,695	1,234	621	74
SAN JOAQUIN	11,782	1,405	3,797	2,176	2,192	693	1,085	234	74	126
SAN LUIS OBISPO	2,727	245	530	492	484	227	493	138	40	78
SAN MATEO	9,808	778	1,337	1,084	925	560	2,566	1,062	490	1,006
SANTA BARBARA	6,166	1,199	1,781	826	620	380	808	316	90	146
SANTA CLARA	26,942	1,941	3,305	4,757	2,901	1,787	6,253	3,178	911	1,909
SANTA CRUZ	3,600	630	1,181	341	209	276	571	233	79	80
SHASTA	2,191	30	364	594	716	147	258	46	27	9
SIERRA	14	1	5	2	3	-	3	-	-	-
SISKIYOU	493	22	148	180	18	63	45	10	3	4
SOLANO	5,801	349	886	1,537	1,464	394	863	195	59	54
SONOMA	5,896	738	1,114	1,238	909	389	993	290	85	140
STANISLAUS	8,728	911	2,287	1,919	2,011	455	783	175	51	136
SUTTER	1,577	138	313	468	324	114	172	37	11	-
TEHAMA	818	61	275	202	168	46	51	12	2	1
TRINITY	122	1	31	47	19	8	14	1	1	-
TULARE	8,284	1,439	2,210	2,002	1,569	411	484	126	19	24
TUOLUMNE	495	6	154	157	82	30	52	12	1	1
VENTURA	12,453	1,916	2,307	2,130	2,179	608	1,789	665	184	675
YOLO	2,646	234	711	508	279	124	445	191	136	18
YUBA	1,341	105	310	422	259	89	121	23	5	7

- Represents zero events.

<sup>1</sup> City Health Department numbers are included in their respective county totals.

Note: In 2006 the categories for mother's "education in years completed" were changed on the birth certificate. This table displays nine categories ranging from eight grade or less to doctorate degree/professional degree and unknown. Therefore, the data from these categories are not strictly comparable with prior years' data.  
Source: State of California, Department of Public Health, Birth Records.