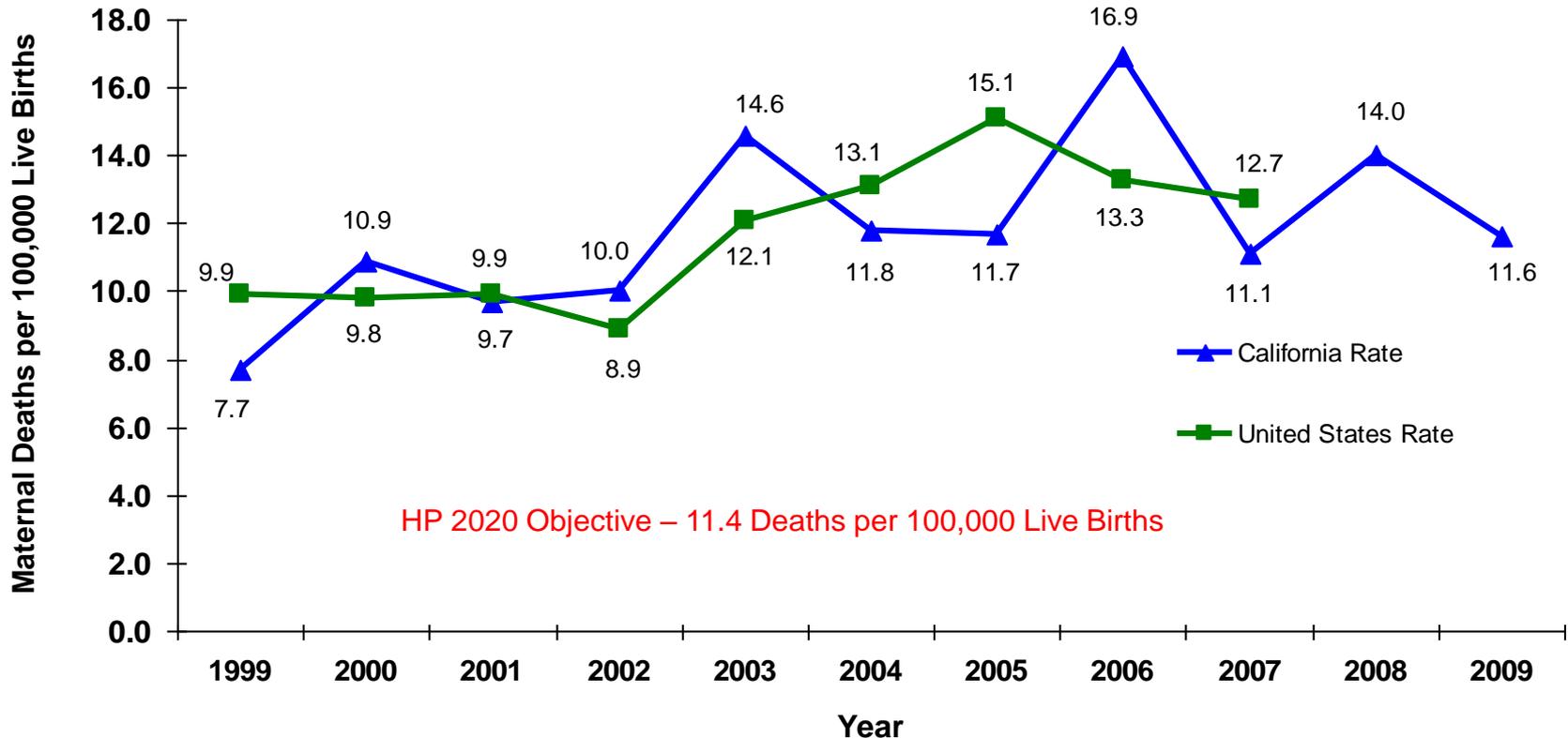


Maternal Mortality Rate, California and United States; 1999-2009



SOURCE: State of California, Department of Public Health, California Birth and Death Statistical Master Files, 1999-2009. Maternal mortality for California (deaths \leq 42 days postpartum) was calculated using ICD-10 cause of death classification (codes A34, O00-O95, O98-O99) for 1999-2009. United States data and HP2020 Objective were calculated using the same methods. U.S. maternal mortality data is published through 2007 only. Produced by California Department of Public Health, Center for Family Health, Maternal, Child and Adolescent Health Division, April, 2012.