

**Table 3.12** Results of purposeful selection of covariates as applied to modeling low birth weight (LOW),  $n = 189$ .

	Estimate	SE	$z$	P	95% CI
LWTKG	-0.037	0.0153	-2.41	0.016	(-0.0668, -0.0068)
RACE2	1.264	0.5293	2.39	0.017	(0.2263, 2.3012)
RACE3	0.864	0.4351	1.99	0.047	(0.0114, 1.7169)
SMOKE	0.876	0.4007	2.19	0.029	(0.0907, 1.6615)
PTLD	1.231	0.4463	2.76	0.006	(0.3568, 2.1061)
HT	1.767	0.7084	2.49	0.013	(0.3790, 3.1559)
Constant	0.095	0.9571	0.10	0.921	(-1.7812, 1.9704)