

Table I.B.3.b.(1).a(2003) Percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance that are enrolled in health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2003

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	82.9%	80.7%	79.0%	78.6%	82.4%	85.0%	78.9%	83.9%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	82.7%	83.2%	76.1%	76.4%	92.8%	84.5%	80.9%	83.7%
Mining and manufacturing	87.8%	83.1%	80.6%	80.8%	86.0%	91.0%	80.1%	88.9%
Construction	79.6%	84.5%	79.2%	78.8%	80.1%	75.0%	78.2%	81.3%
Utilities and transp.	85.1%	71.9%	75.0%	85.8%	87.3%	85.9%	77.2%	86.2%
Wholesale trade	86.3%	81.5%	84.6%	80.4%	82.6%	91.4%	81.2%	88.1%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	86.6%	78.7%	86.4%	83.1%	87.8%	87.5%	81.8%	87.3%
Retail trade	78.0%	79.3%	75.3%	74.4%	80.3%	78.5%	76.1%	78.6%
Professional services	84.0%	81.0%	79.8%	79.7%	83.6%	86.2%	80.5%	84.9%
Other services	74.1%	79.5%	74.1%	72.5%	71.3%	74.8%	75.7%	73.6%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	82.7%	80.7%	78.9%	79.1%	81.9%	84.5%	78.8%	83.6%
For profit, unincorporated	81.6%	78.7%	79.9%	75.5%	80.1%	86.3%	78.0%	83.3%
Nonprofit	85.2%	86.0%	78.9%	79.6%	84.9%	87.0%	81.6%	85.7%
Unknown	83.1%	83.4%	77.2%	73.4%	83.6%	86.7%	79.6%	84.4%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	79.1%	81.7%	78.9%	76.1%	77.0%	82.0%	79.2%	78.9%
5-9 years	76.1%	79.0%	78.5%	75.8%	72.9%	76.1%	77.4%	75.1%
10-19 years	80.2%	80.0%	77.2%	76.3%	82.1%	86.0%	78.2%	82.0%
20 or more years	82.3%	81.6%	80.1%	79.9%	83.5%	82.9%	79.6%	83.0%
Unknown	87.4%	82.1%	37.0% *	87.2%	87.6%	87.4%	70.0%	87.4%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	84.7%	85.1%	81.5%	82.0%	83.8%	85.1%	82.0%	84.8%
1 location only	79.1%	80.6%	78.7%	77.4%	80.0%	79.7%	78.6%	79.8%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	76.8%	97.6%	83.2%	73.8%	75.4%	75.6%	81.9%	75.3%
25-49 %	76.0%	85.2%	80.3%	73.8%	70.5%	76.8%	78.9%	75.2%
50-74 %	74.8%	79.1%	72.1%	71.2%	72.4%	76.4%	74.4%	74.9%
75% or more	84.1%	80.7%	79.6%	79.6%	84.1%	86.4%	79.4%	85.4%
Union presence								
No union employees	81.6%	80.4%	78.6%	77.7%	81.8%	84.2%	78.6%	82.7%
Has union employees	88.7%	84.5%	87.6%	89.4%	86.4%	89.2%	85.8%	88.9%
Unknown	81.9%	92.8%	72.2%	80.0%	82.9%	81.9%	76.1%	82.0%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	70.7%	78.3%	71.8%	64.9%	70.6%	72.4%	70.7%	70.7%
Less than 50% low wage	83.0%	81.1%	80.0%	81.0%	84.8%	84.3%	80.1%	84.2%
Unknown	86.1%	79.8%	76.9%	81.1%	84.2%	86.4%	79.7%	86.2%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2003 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.B.3.b.(1).a(2003) Standard error for percent of private-sector full-time employees eligible for health insurance that are enrolled in health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2003

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	0.29%	0.83%	0.65%	0.73%	0.56%	0.51%	0.32%	0.33%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	2.38%	2.77%	6.48%	10.67%	17.09%	9.87%	1.91%	4.29%
Mining and manufacturing	0.51%	1.96%	2.54%	1.62%	0.33%	0.82%	0.75%	0.51%
Construction	1.60%	1.53%	1.80%	1.65%	2.24%	6.36%	1.23%	3.29%
Utilities and transp.	2.09%	5.40%	6.75%	2.42%	1.77%	2.67%	3.03%	2.24%
Wholesale trade	1.00%	3.47%	2.01%	2.29%	1.23%	0.89%	2.39%	0.59%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	0.96%	2.22%	2.21%	1.43%	1.42%	1.29%	1.28%	1.04%
Retail trade	1.07%	1.71%	2.66%	1.70%	1.00%	1.63%	1.90%	1.04%
Professional services	0.62%	0.88%	1.13%	1.51%	1.28%	0.66%	0.63%	0.73%
Other services	1.47%	2.31%	2.61%	2.16%	2.08%	2.67%	1.21%	1.93%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.41%	0.96%	0.91%	0.84%	0.85%	0.69%	0.36%	0.52%
For profit, unincorporated	0.79%	1.82%	2.57%	3.70%	1.48%	1.34%	1.90%	1.05%
Nonprofit	0.42%	2.03%	2.33%	2.25%	0.73%	0.88%	1.18%	0.60%
Unknown	1.55%	3.04%	3.02%	2.01%	3.43%	2.40%	2.09%	2.18%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	1.61%	2.08%	2.39%	3.53%	3.16%	3.99%	1.95%	2.42%
5-9 years	1.49%	1.34%	1.41%	1.36%	3.32%	4.03%	0.74%	2.40%
10-19 years	0.69%	1.10%	1.87%	1.84%	1.14%	1.33%	0.96%	0.84%
20 or more years	0.59%	1.25%	0.77%	0.95%	0.35%	1.24%	0.60%	0.66%
Unknown	0.52%	23.24%	11.69% *	14.74%	3.00%	0.52%	15.76%	0.52%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.34%	3.36%	2.05%	0.47%	0.29%	0.45%	0.85%	0.36%
1 location only	0.60%	0.88%	0.65%	0.98%	1.24%	4.17%	0.34%	1.04%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	2.59%	1.12%	4.96%	1.82%	4.43%	5.29%	2.46%	3.66%
25-49 %	1.25%	2.23%	2.20%	2.65%	3.01%	2.46%	1.79%	1.50%
50-74 %	1.20%	1.75%	3.27%	2.40%	2.15%	2.25%	2.46%	1.43%
75% or more	0.37%	0.94%	0.80%	0.76%	0.41%	0.64%	0.28%	0.44%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.41%	0.97%	0.73%	0.77%	0.65%	0.65%	0.42%	0.43%
Has union employees	0.56%	4.93%	3.52%	1.85%	1.27%	0.62%	3.07%	0.54%
Unknown	1.59%	4.84%	10.14%	4.54%	3.48%	1.68%	4.74%	1.65%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	1.35%	2.24%	1.57%	2.10%	2.33%	3.42%	1.52%	1.64%
Less than 50% low wage	0.47%	0.88%	0.64%	0.86%	0.43%	1.46%	0.35%	0.69%
Unknown	0.64%	3.78%	5.33%	4.23%	1.31%	0.63%	1.59%	0.65%

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