

Table I.C.4.a(2008) Percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2008

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	22.0%	63.0%	46.0%	34.0%	21.4%	8.3%	48.9%	14.2%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	36.2%*	.	.	.	.	.	74.8%	18.0%*
Mining and manufacturing	16.4%	63.0%	44.2%	28.5%	13.8%	7.7%	42.0%	12.1%
Construction	41.7%	65.4%	45.7%	38.9%	32.9%	26.9%*	48.0%	34.5%
Utilities and transp.	11.2%	43.3%	35.6%*	38.6%	17.6%*	3.5%	38.2%	7.8%
Wholesale trade	26.0%	66.2%	42.1%	34.4%	19.3%	9.4%	44.5%	17.3%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	16.0%	69.3%	47.1%	41.5%	21.2%	4.0%	57.1%	8.9%
Retail trade	15.0%	55.1%	38.3%	21.5%	12.7%	8.2%	40.6%	9.2%
Professional services	27.0%	64.2%	50.3%	38.3%	23.5%	12.5%	53.7%	18.4%
Other services	21.9%	60.1%	44.0%	32.5%	25.0%	7.4%	47.7%	14.3%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	20.5%	62.8%	45.1%	32.7%	19.0%	7.4%	47.4%	12.5%
For profit, unincorporated	24.5%	59.7%	39.5%	32.4%	20.9%	8.6%	49.3%	14.4%
Nonprofit	26.9%	75.3%	64.8%	41.7%	28.0%	13.1%	60.9%	21.5%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	32.6%	60.3%	34.4%	19.4%	27.7%	8.2%*	42.7%	17.7%
5-9 years	35.9%	58.5%	40.1%	34.9%	24.0%	5.1%*	48.8%	21.0%
10-19 years	35.4%	61.1%	46.0%	41.0%	24.8%	7.1%	48.7%	24.9%
20 or more years	23.6%	66.2%	48.8%	33.2%	20.4%	9.2%	50.1%	15.9%
Unknown	8.1%	78.6%	49.2%*	39.4%*	18.0%*	7.7%	65.8%	8.0%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	11.0%	43.7%	40.6%	31.1%	16.8%	8.2%	38.8%	10.3%
1 location only	39.8%	63.2%	46.3%	34.7%	27.1%	11.4%	49.7%	27.9%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	27.8%	75.9%	58.6%	32.9%	26.4%	19.4%	61.5%	21.4%
25-49 %	19.9%	65.3%	36.8%	32.3%	20.4%	8.5%*	47.3%	13.1%
50-74 %	18.2%	63.7%	38.2%	30.8%	17.3%	7.1%	48.0%	11.2%
75% or more	22.5%	62.4%	47.0%	34.4%	21.9%	8.1%	48.9%	14.6%
Union presence								
No union employees	24.3%	62.6%	45.0%	33.2%	19.6%	6.1%	48.4%	14.4%
Has union employees	20.1%	72.6%	67.3%	51.1%	34.2%	13.0%	62.3%	17.7%
Unknown	9.8%	84.3%	59.9%	1.7%*	17.3%	8.7%	53.8%	9.0%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	16.5%	60.1%	43.8%	29.8%	16.4%	5.9%	47.7%	10.5%
Less than 50% low wage	23.2%	63.4%	46.3%	34.8%	22.6%	8.8%	49.1%	15.1%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2008 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.C.4.a(2008) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2008

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	0.42%	1.40%	1.56%	1.12%	1.09%	0.42%	1.21%	0.55%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	11.19%*	.	.	.	.	.	10.50%	11.08%*
Mining and manufacturing	0.88%	4.76%	4.18%	3.15%	1.90%	0.75%	3.27%	1.07%
Construction	3.76%	4.60%	3.51%	5.28%	6.19%	9.23%*	4.00%	5.82%
Utilities and transp.	1.21%	10.38%	11.03%*	6.82%	5.37%*	1.04%	4.86%	0.82%
Wholesale trade	2.51%	4.35%	5.45%	6.55%	5.32%	2.54%	3.87%	2.96%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	1.34%	2.74%	5.65%	3.89%	3.48%	0.87%	2.78%	1.42%
Retail trade	2.04%	4.52%	2.82%	3.62%	2.66%	2.19%	2.42%	2.13%
Professional services	0.45%	2.17%	2.00%	1.10%	1.59%	1.11%	2.03%	0.80%
Other services	1.34%	2.34%	3.75%	2.52%	3.94%	0.58%	2.16%	1.59%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.37%	1.91%	1.80%	1.53%	0.88%	0.53%	1.54%	0.55%
For profit, unincorporated	1.10%	2.17%	4.22%	4.52%	2.50%	1.74%	2.39%	1.09%
Nonprofit	1.76%	4.06%	4.04%	2.94%	2.85%	1.60%	3.17%	1.89%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	1.78%	2.61%	4.56%	4.80%	7.65%	6.93%*	2.65%	3.97%
5-9 years	1.96%	2.86%	4.53%	4.53%	3.59%	2.84%*	2.58%	2.31%
10-19 years	1.50%	2.70%	3.41%	2.51%	2.48%	1.50%	1.77%	2.71%
20 or more years	0.96%	1.91%	2.82%	1.41%	1.56%	0.66%	1.27%	1.03%
Unknown	0.76%	20.80%	16.45%*	12.65%*	5.49%*	0.71%	12.57%	0.75%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.54%	8.68%	7.08%	3.07%	1.47%	0.46%	3.39%	0.47%
1 location only	0.98%	1.35%	1.58%	1.17%	1.70%	3.05%	1.27%	1.49%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	3.34%	4.82%	8.83%	3.68%	6.04%	4.46%	3.45%	3.77%
25-49 %	1.77%	4.54%	6.62%	5.21%	4.06%	2.60%*	3.16%	1.75%
50-74 %	1.56%	3.64%	3.98%	3.76%	3.76%	0.75%	3.51%	1.05%
75% or more	0.37%	1.47%	1.47%	1.03%	1.14%	0.64%	1.05%	0.64%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.42%	1.37%	1.57%	1.20%	0.98%	0.38%	1.22%	0.67%
Has union employees	1.57%	8.69%	9.77%	5.71%	4.46%	1.28%	5.78%	1.66%
Unknown	1.10%	15.65%	15.40%	1.17%*	5.14%	1.11%	12.24%	1.02%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	0.85%	3.36%	4.14%	3.18%	1.50%	0.52%	2.68%	0.91%
Less than 50% low wage	0.42%	1.84%	1.50%	1.19%	1.31%	0.53%	1.21%	0.57%

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