

Table I.D.4(2008) Percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take family coverage 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	31.8%	25.6%	25.4%	26.5%	30.5%	34.9%	26.0%	33.1%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	25.7%	32.8%	26.3% *	16.2% *	36.2%	19.1% *	29.8%	23.5% *
Mining and manufacturing	38.3%	29.2%	27.8%	29.0%	37.8%	41.9%	28.9%	39.5%
Construction	30.8%	29.6%	28.3%	28.1%	35.1%	34.8%	28.6%	33.0%
Utilities and transp.	33.6%	24.6%	30.7%	36.6%	35.1%	33.4%	31.6%	33.8%
Wholesale trade	33.7%	22.8%	25.3%	30.9%	34.9%	37.9%	26.6%	36.1%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	33.3%	25.8%	28.4%	27.4%	29.7%	35.3%	26.6%	34.2%
Retail trade	23.4%	20.7%	26.5%	25.7%	25.5%	22.7%	25.6%	23.0%
Professional services	31.7%	24.0%	22.3%	23.4%	26.8%	38.1%	23.2%	33.8%
Other services	28.0%	27.6%	24.0%	23.5%	23.4%	30.9%	25.5%	28.6%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	32.0%	26.0%	25.0%	27.5%	31.5%	34.6%	26.2%	33.3%
For profit, unincorporated	32.3%	24.3%	28.8%	25.8%	33.1%	36.0%	26.3%	34.2%
Nonprofit	30.3%	26.1%	22.9%	21.7%	25.7%	35.6%	23.4%	31.1%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	27.1%	25.9%	24.5%	26.1%	28.3%	32.9%	25.9%	28.6%
5-9 years	26.5%	26.0%	25.6%	28.4%	26.0%	25.2%	26.3%	26.6%
10-19 years	27.9%	27.9%	26.5%	22.6%	28.1%	34.9%	26.0%	29.3%
20 or more years	30.4%	24.1%	24.9%	27.3%	30.8%	32.9%	25.9%	31.5%
Unknown	36.7%	25.0% *	24.8% *	38.9%	37.8%	36.7%	22.2%	36.8%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	34.0%	17.7%	23.5%	27.3%	32.0%	34.8%	25.2%	34.2%
1 location only	27.2%	25.7%	25.5%	26.3%	28.4%	36.1%	26.0%	28.4%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	26.9%	23.5%	28.1%	23.4%	23.7%	28.2%	28.3%	26.7%
25-49 %	26.1%	29.7%	19.8%	22.0%	22.5%	28.4%	24.4%	26.5%
50-74 %	25.2%	23.9%	24.8%	22.6%	22.7%	26.5%	24.7%	25.4%
75% or more	33.0%	25.8%	25.6%	27.1%	31.8%	36.7%	26.2%	34.6%
Union presence								
No union employees	29.8%	25.2%	25.1%	25.2%	29.5%	33.7%	25.3%	31.3%
Has union employees	36.3%	37.2%	33.5%	41.1%	36.0%	36.0%	38.6%	36.1%
Unknown	36.2%	39.3%	18.4% *	34.5%	32.4%	36.4%	28.4%	36.3%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	24.7%	22.8%	21.1%	19.3%	22.8%	26.9%	21.8%	25.2%
Less than 50% low wage	33.1%	26.0%	25.9%	27.6%	32.0%	36.5%	26.5%	34.6%

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.D.4(2008) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take family coverage 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	0.25%	0.34%	0.79%	0.55%	0.78%	0.36%	0.28%	0.29%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	3.09%	6.24%	11.92% *	9.97% *	6.90%	7.63% *	4.67%	9.01% *
Mining and manufacturing	0.75%	2.32%	2.36%	1.80%	1.73%	0.72%	1.42%	0.89%
Construction	1.20%	1.89%	1.36%	2.46%	1.73%	2.16%	1.36%	1.58%
Utilities and transp.	1.60%	2.86%	5.26%	5.51%	3.66%	1.60%	2.57%	1.64%
Wholesale trade	1.02%	2.77%	1.94%	1.95%	2.59%	1.34%	1.45%	1.26%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	0.82%	1.88%	2.61%	3.00%	1.84%	0.78%	1.70%	0.86%
Retail trade	0.84%	0.90%	1.93%	2.19%	0.94%	0.83%	1.63%	0.74%
Professional services	0.93%	1.19%	1.31%	1.26%	1.42%	1.44%	0.54%	1.08%
Other services	0.58%	1.63%	1.68%	1.72%	1.51%	1.13%	0.60%	0.87%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.24%	0.54%	0.95%	0.63%	0.65%	0.34%	0.41%	0.31%
For profit, unincorporated	0.83%	0.95%	2.02%	1.00%	3.19%	1.24%	0.94%	1.11%
Nonprofit	0.88%	2.13%	3.01%	1.64%	1.49%	1.56%	0.73%	1.01%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	1.10%	1.46%	2.29%	1.90%	3.19%	4.63%	1.05%	2.75%
5-9 years	0.96%	1.40%	2.08%	1.69%	2.93%	3.94%	1.11%	1.56%
10-19 years	0.68%	1.00%	1.98%	1.22%	1.30%	3.21%	0.89%	0.86%
20 or more years	0.25%	0.66%	0.67%	0.69%	0.88%	0.46%	0.31%	0.31%
Unknown	0.66%	7.71% *	7.89% *	7.33%	2.87%	0.69%	3.55%	0.67%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.29%	3.19%	2.09%	0.71%	0.89%	0.35%	1.61%	0.33%
1 location only	0.37%	0.38%	0.88%	0.66%	0.92%	2.02%	0.32%	0.63%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1.33%	3.66%	5.99%	4.11%	3.06%	1.70%	3.74%	1.61%
25-49 %	0.90%	2.30%	3.26%	2.06%	2.14%	1.38%	1.84%	1.03%
50-74 %	0.83%	0.87%	1.33%	1.43%	1.23%	0.96%	0.88%	0.94%
75% or more	0.26%	0.43%	0.81%	0.53%	0.83%	0.40%	0.30%	0.29%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.28%	0.42%	0.69%	0.70%	0.76%	0.40%	0.32%	0.39%
Has union employees	1.12%	3.93%	6.34%	3.69%	2.31%	1.14%	4.24%	1.02%
Unknown	0.97%	9.36%	7.39% *	7.86%	3.67%	0.99%	4.13%	0.98%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	0.91%	1.70%	2.52%	1.31%	1.24%	1.23%	1.46%	1.02%
Less than 50% low wage	0.29%	0.33%	1.01%	0.61%	0.79%	0.50%	0.36%	0.32%

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