firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2009

| Characteristics | Total | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Less than } \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 10-24 employees | $\begin{array}{r} 25-99 \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100-999 \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 1000 or more employees | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Less than } \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 50 or more employees |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| United States | 66.5\% | 18.5\% | 26.2\% | 40.0\% | 55.2\% | 86.6\% | 27.3\% | 75.3\% |
| Industry group ** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agric., fish., forest. | 50.3\% | 5.9\%* | 5.0\%* | 29.8\%* | 37.0\%* | 92.7\% | 12.7\% | 71.1\% |
| Mining and manufacturing | 65.6\% | 14.7\% | 23.2\% | 36.7\% | 58.1\% | 83.9\% | 24.1\% | 72.3\% |
| Construction | 41.0\% | 19.4\% | 30.2\% | 38.3\% | 50.2\% | 81.0\% | 30.7\% | 51.2\% |
| Utilities and transp. | 76.6\% | 12.7\%* | 17.9\%* | 32.9\% | 46.8\% | 91.7\% | 20.6\% | 82.5\% |
| Wholesale trade | 59.0\% | 19.7\% | 22.1\% | 42.3\% | 55.8\% | 84.6\% | 28.4\% | 69.5\% |
| Fin. svs. and real estate | 74.9\% | 22.2\% | 34.1\% | 47.7\% | 59.6\% | 88.2\% | 31.2\% | 81.5\% |
| Retail trade | 75.5\% | 15.0\% | 22.4\% | 34.3\% | 48.0\% | 90.8\% | 25.1\% | 83.5\% |
| Professional services | 67.9\% | 21.0\% | 30.1\% | 47.4\% | 57.7\% | 88.0\% | 30.5\% | 76.3\% |
| Other services | 60.5\% | 16.3\% | 23.8\% | 35.6\% | 52.5\% | 80.7\% | 23.9\% | 69.4\% |
| Ownership |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| For profit, incorporated | 67.5\% | 18.7\% | 25.1\% | 40.6\% | 55.1\% | 86.6\% | 27.5\% | 76.4\% |
| For profit, unincorporated | 62.6\% | 21.1\% | 30.9\% | 41.7\% | 55.2\% | 87.4\% | 28.1\% | 73.6\% |
| Nonprofit | 64.4\% | 11.4\% | 26.8\% | 35.0\% | 55.6\% | 86.1\% | 24.4\% | 70.9\% |
| Age of firm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less than 5 years | 44.3\% | 18.8\% | 22.4\% | 39.8\% | 53.6\% | 88.3\% | 23.7\% | 63.6\% |
| 5-9 years | 43.3\% | 20.6\% | 25.5\% | 36.1\% | 42.3\% | 83.3\% | 26.0\% | 56.2\% |
| 10-19 years | 52.6\% | 19.3\% | 27.9\% | 42.6\% | 59.9\% | 79.2\% | 28.2\% | 66.1\% |
| 20 or more years | 71.2\% | 17.4\% | 26.2\% | 39.9\% | 55.5\% | 87.2\% | 27.8\% | 77.5\% |
| Multi/single status |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 or more locations | 80.6\% | 18.8\%* | 38.2\% | 44.7\% | 59.3\% | 86.9\% | 38.7\% | 81.4\% |
| 1 location only | 37.9\% | 18.5\% | 25.5\% | 39.0\% | 50.1\% | 79.5\% | 26.5\% | 50.1\% |
| Percent full-time employees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less than 25\% | 51.8\% | 12.8\% | 13.9\% | 28.0\% | 32.2\% | 84.2\% | 14.3\% | 62.3\% |
| 25-49 \% | 58.3\% | 7.5\% | 13.2\% | 28.6\% | 51.3\% | 82.5\% | 14.8\% | 68.2\% |
| 50-74 \% | 72.6\% | 19.9\% | 26.8\% | 36.5\% | 55.8\% | 90.7\% | 23.9\% | 81.7\% |
| 75\% or more | 66.9\% | 19.8\% | 28.2\% | 42.5\% | 57.7\% | 86.1\% | 30.1\% | 75.3\% |
| Union presence |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No union employees | 59.7\% | 17.9\% | 25.1\% | 39.0\% | 53.6\% | 84.4\% | 26.4\% | 70.1\% |
| Has union employees | 86.0\% | 28.9\% | 49.0\% | 54.0\% | 67.1\% | 92.9\% | 45.2\% | 88.3\% |
| Unknown | 81.3\% | 25.1\% * | 15.1\%* | 33.4\%* | 60.0\% | 84.6\% | 21.8\% | 82.9\% |
| Percent low wage employees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $50 \%$ or more low wage | 65.3\% | 12.3\% | 13.2\% | 29.3\% | 50.7\% | 85.7\% | 15.8\% | 73.1\% |
| Less than 50\% low wage | 66.8\% | 19.8\% | 28.9\% | 43.1\% | 57.0\% | 87.0\% | 29.9\% | 76.1\% |

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2009 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.
Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.
** Definitions of industry groups and low-wage employees changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to IC data prior to 2000. See Technical Appendix.

Table I.B.2.c(2009) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees working in establishments that offer two or more health insurance plans by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2009

| Characteristics | Total | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Less than } \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 10-24 employees | $\begin{array}{r} 25-99 \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 100-999 \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 1000 or more employees | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Less than } \\ \text { employees } \end{array}$ | 50 or more employees |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| United States | 0.65\% | 0.95\% | 1.34\% | 1.73\% | 1.93\% | 0.58\% | 0.90\% | 0.70\% |
| Industry group ** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Agric., fish., forest. | 9.29\% | 2.81\%* | 2.09\%* | 12.48\%* | 14.58\%* | 12.08\% | 3.51\% | 12.42\% |
| Mining and manufacturing | 1.68\% | 2.27\% | 3.27\% | 4.06\% | 4.48\% | 1.81\% | 2.37\% | 1.87\% |
| Construction | 2.95\% | 3.23\% | 3.64\% | 5.89\% | 7.37\% | 4.89\% | 2.91\% | 3.82\% |
| Utilities and transp. | 0.81\% | 5.88\%* | 5.66\%* | 8.45\% | 7.89\% | 1.02\% | 4.41\% | 1.01\% |
| Wholesale trade | 2.08\% | 4.59\% | 3.81\% | 5.45\% | 5.48\% | 3.31\% | 1.73\% | 2.90\% |
| Fin. svs. and real estate | 1.75\% | 3.87\% | 3.01\% | 4.92\% | 5.48\% | 2.10\% | 2.13\% | 1.93\% |
| Retail trade | 1.68\% | 2.19\% | 3.08\% | 3.54\% | 5.22\% | 0.92\% | 1.73\% | 1.90\% |
| Professional services | 1.63\% | 2.20\% | 2.84\% | 2.44\% | 3.75\% | 1.26\% | 1.91\% | 1.63\% |
| Other services | 1.01\% | 1.22\% | 2.23\% | 2.26\% | 3.13\% | 2.31\% | 1.70\% | 1.32\% |
| Ownership |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| For profit, incorporated | 0.71\% | 1.15\% | 1.44\% | 1.87\% | 2.26\% | 0.67\% | 0.73\% | 0.81\% |
| For profit, unincorporated | 1.29\% | 1.54\% | 3.80\% | 3.06\% | 2.87\% | 2.08\% | 2.29\% | 1.49\% |
| Nonprofit | 1.55\% | 2.32\% | 3.62\% | 2.27\% | 2.94\% | 2.25\% | 1.91\% | 1.61\% |
| Age of firm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less than 5 years | 2.67\% | 2.95\% | 4.69\% | 4.86\% | 6.57\% | 7.16\% | 1.80\% | 3.48\% |
| 5-9 years | 3.29\% | 2.11\% | 3.53\% | 3.73\% | 6.80\% | 5.13\% | 1.43\% | 5.25\% |
| 10-19 years | 1.54\% | 1.37\% | 2.53\% | 3.04\% | 4.23\% | 3.43\% | 1.68\% | 1.83\% |
| 20 or more years | 0.87\% | 0.97\% | 1.92\% | 2.29\% | 2.69\% | 0.72\% | 0.99\% | 0.98\% |
| Multi/single status |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 or more locations | 0.57\% | 7.60\%* | 4.47\% | 2.19\% | 1.64\% | 0.72\% | 2.54\% | 0.58\% |
| 1 location only | 1.05\% | 0.96\% | 1.40\% | 2.04\% | 3.38\% | 5.50\% | 0.97\% | 1.94\% |
| Percent full-time employees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Less than 25\% | 2.94\% | 3.56\% | 3.92\% | 4.79\% | 5.49\% | 2.50\% | 2.55\% | 3.64\% |
| 25-49 \% | 2.65\% | 2.13\% | 3.37\% | 4.23\% | 6.44\% | 2.32\% | 2.85\% | 3.08\% |
| 50-74 \% | 1.85\% | 1.87\% | 3.82\% | 3.82\% | 4.39\% | 1.40\% | 1.81\% | 1.52\% |
| 75\% or more | 0.67\% | 1.12\% | 1.42\% | 1.96\% | 1.94\% | 0.76\% | 0.90\% | 0.70\% |
| Union presence |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| No union employees | 0.81\% | 0.90\% | 1.30\% | 1.77\% | 2.08\% | 0.80\% | 0.98\% | 0.93\% |
| Has union employees | 0.80\% | 4.17\% | 5.90\% | 6.69\% | 4.95\% | 0.99\% | 4.04\% | 0.80\% |
| Unknown | 1.73\% | 11.43\%* | 9.88\%* | 10.50\%* | 3.91\% | 1.59\% | 5.76\% | 1.68\% |
| Percent low wage employees |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $50 \%$ or more low wage | 1.37\% | 1.39\% | 1.96\% | 1.84\% | 3.68\% | 1.36\% | 1.74\% | 1.53\% |
| Less than 50\% low wage | 0.65\% | 1.13\% | 1.58\% | 1.91\% | 1.84\% | 0.77\% | 0.87\% | 0.75\% |

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2009 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.
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