

Table IV.A.1(2008) National totals for enrollees and cost of hospitalization and physician service health plans for the private sector; United States, 2008

	Total (in thousands of persons)	Standard error
Total enrollees	72,411	801
Active enrollees	62,741	624
Enrollees through COBRA	2,689	266
Retired enrollees	6,981	573
Enrollees with single coverage	36,716	527
	Total (in millions of dollars)	Standard error
Total costs	548,322	8,002
Employer contribution single coverage	118,931	1,880
Employee contribution single coverage	41,413	1,235
Employer contribution family coverage	261,043	4,792
Employee contribution family coverage	126,935	3,498

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

Notes: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix. Totals may not sum exactly because of rounding.