

Table VII.B.2.a.(1)(2003) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance that are enrolled in health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2003

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **		
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%	Unknown
United States	80.3%	83.6%	70.1%	59.8%	63.0%	81.4%	83.8%
New England:							
Connecticut	79.2%	81.0%	75.4%	63.1%	56.4%	79.2%	84.3%
Maine	76.2%	81.2%	75.1%	39.1%	57.9%	81.1%	76.2%
Massachusetts	79.0%	82.4%	74.3%	61.9%	45.9%	77.6%	85.4%
New Hampshire	78.1%	80.3%	73.5%	62.2%	67.3%	76.5%	84.2%
Rhode Island	81.2%	82.0%	76.5%	80.0%	60.6%	82.5%	88.6%
Vermont	73.4%	75.1%	74.7%	57.6%	56.5%	76.4%	72.1%
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	76.2%	80.0%	67.3%	60.1%	53.6%	76.5%	81.9%
New York	79.9%	85.6%	63.8%	49.6%	55.9%	81.6%	83.5%
Pennsylvania	80.5%	85.4%	73.4%	55.1%	68.6%	82.6%	81.4%
East North Central:							
Illinois	81.7%	83.4%	74.5%	64.3%	65.9%	80.8%	87.0%
Indiana	80.3%	84.3%	74.1%	47.9%	55.8%	81.5%	84.7%
Michigan	82.3%	84.2%	75.8%	69.4%	67.3%	80.9%	88.7%
Ohio	80.0%	84.3%	63.8%	58.6%	64.2%	79.0%	85.2%
Wisconsin	74.5%	74.9%	70.9%	75.3%	58.1%	77.5%	74.4%
West North Central:							
Iowa	77.5%	81.4%	69.9%	55.9%	62.1%	77.0%	86.1%
Kansas	78.0%	80.9%	67.5%	56.8%	61.7%	80.4%	82.6%
Minnesota	80.6%	83.9%	76.3%	63.5%	49.6%	82.7%	82.6%
Missouri	81.1%	83.9%	71.3%	56.3%	58.7%	85.5%	80.4%
Nebraska	76.1%	78.1%	67.2%	72.5%	60.0%	76.0%	83.6%
North Dakota	78.8%	84.4%	60.6%	74.8%	68.4%	77.6%	86.1%
South Dakota	79.3%	80.5%	76.0%	72.3%	65.8%	81.6%	81.4%
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	83.7%	86.4%	68.3%	62.7%	64.5%	82.9%	87.0%
District of Columbia	83.9%	86.2%	69.7%	65.3%	56.5%	82.9%	90.4%
Florida	79.1%	84.2%	57.1%	70.1%	53.3%	79.7%	86.3%
Georgia	81.1%	84.9%	79.7%	41.2%	62.7%	82.5%	84.7%
Maryland	76.5%	79.9%	67.8%	51.4%	50.5%	76.1%	82.9%
North Carolina	83.2%	87.1%	63.2%	59.9%	67.7%	86.0%	83.6%
South Carolina	83.8%	86.7%	70.8%	66.7%	70.1%	83.7%	89.5%
Virginia	76.3%	82.2%	66.8%	45.7%	71.2%	78.2%	74.8%
West Virginia	82.1%	85.3%	68.1%	55.0%	71.5%	84.0%	85.2%

East South Central:

Alabama	76.3%	78.9%	55.6%	69.2%	66.3%	77.3%	80.8%
Kentucky	81.1%	84.1%	74.9%	68.2%	69.9%	83.8%	83.4%
Mississippi	82.5%	84.4%	82.7%	55.6%	75.4%	82.3%	87.2%
Tennessee	79.7%	83.3%	53.0%	69.6%	59.6%	79.7%	85.4%

West South Central:

Arkansas	78.3%	79.6%	80.8%	67.1%	56.2%	82.2%	83.4%
Louisiana	75.5%	81.2%	56.2%	54.8%	57.4%	78.7%	80.1%
Oklahoma	83.0%	85.7%	79.7%	53.0%	68.6%	83.1%	86.8%
Texas	82.4%	84.6%	75.1%	62.4%	67.4%	84.0%	86.1%

Mountain:

Arizona	78.9%	81.8%	69.4%	57.5%	53.7%	77.7%	86.8%
Colorado	74.9%	80.6%	70.4%	35.1% *	74.5%	79.8%	69.0%
Idaho	83.2%	86.0%	75.6%	77.2%	66.8%	85.6%	85.4%
Montana	83.2%	85.6%	71.5%	83.4%	71.6%	83.0%	90.5%
Nevada	81.7%	83.8%	73.2%	66.5%	75.1%	81.0%	84.0%
New Mexico	76.5%	81.2%	63.0%	49.5%	51.2%	79.9%	84.2%
Utah	79.7%	82.3%	74.8%	62.2%	75.3%	79.6%	81.8%
Wyoming	83.3%	85.3%	75.2%	67.0%	73.5%	83.2%	86.5%

Pacific:

Alaska	86.0%	89.0%	75.1%	63.0%	61.6%	86.4%	90.0%
California	82.2%	83.7%	75.9%	67.8%	69.5%	83.8%	83.0%
Hawaii	86.0%	87.0%	86.5%	74.8%	81.4%	86.0%	88.4%
Oregon	85.9%	87.3%	78.8%	75.9%	70.7%	87.3%	87.8%
Washington	82.1%	87.1%	79.1%	45.6%	54.7%	86.4%	85.0%

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 VII.B.2.a.(1)(2003) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance that are enrolled in health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2003

Division and State	Total	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **		
		75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%	Unknown
United States	0.32%	0.36%	1.50%	1.63%	1.62%	0.52%	0.80%
New England:							
Connecticut	1.43%	1.50%	4.44%	7.87%	6.60%	1.34%	3.91%
Maine	2.58%	2.59%	4.01%	11.58%	6.71%	1.19%	7.77%
Massachusetts	2.32%	1.54%	3.22%	6.70%	9.26%	1.67%	2.77%
New Hampshire	1.41%	1.48%	3.76%	5.06%	5.17%	2.10%	2.32%
Rhode Island	1.06%	1.28%	2.03%	4.64%	4.23%	0.86%	2.32%
Vermont	2.78%	3.29%	4.53%	5.82%	5.75%	1.89%	5.99%
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	2.15%	1.46%	5.29%	9.96%	8.95%	3.79%	2.81%
New York	1.04%	0.90%	2.80%	7.43%	6.31%	2.14%	2.39%
Pennsylvania	1.39%	1.20%	4.74%	6.75%	5.87%	1.74%	5.47%
East North Central:							
Illinois	2.03%	2.18%	6.04%	6.32%	6.13%	2.05%	2.51%
Indiana	2.24%	2.00%	5.23%	9.75%	7.34%	2.31%	4.04%
Michigan	1.59%	1.45%	3.90%	6.27%	4.61%	1.36%	2.22%
Ohio	2.02%	0.96%	5.41%	5.79%	4.42%	2.38%	3.22%
Wisconsin	1.75%	2.39%	4.01%	6.68%	6.44%	1.46%	5.34%
West North Central:							
Iowa	2.09%	1.80%	4.06%	7.46%	4.05%	1.71%	5.11%
Kansas	2.06%	2.25%	8.19%	11.32%	7.29%	1.25%	5.41%
Minnesota	1.56%	1.15%	5.34%	7.40%	9.43%	1.11%	1.90%
Missouri	1.64%	1.72%	3.20%	11.08%	6.33%	1.49%	3.20%
Nebraska	1.74%	2.48%	3.08%	5.72%	5.13%	0.97%	2.46%
North Dakota	2.37%	2.20%	5.82%	5.88%	4.54%	2.40%	2.54%
South Dakota	1.26%	1.47%	3.48%	4.68%	4.50%	2.24%	2.77%
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	2.13%	1.38%	3.71%	10.25%	10.34%	1.45%	2.54%
District of Columbia	1.68%	1.73%	5.62%	10.77%	9.41%	2.47%	2.00%
Florida	2.67%	1.70%	6.94%	6.20%	6.42%	1.75%	2.61%
Georgia	2.22%	1.49%	5.66%	7.25%	7.84%	2.79%	2.71%
Maryland	1.98%	1.89%	6.24%	8.31%	8.84%	2.21%	3.95%
North Carolina	1.31%	1.25%	6.49%	4.65%	5.29%	1.48%	2.93%
South Carolina	1.13%	1.13%	5.28%	5.93%	3.13%	2.07%	2.98%
Virginia	1.77%	0.95%	7.23%	8.51%	4.37%	1.75%	3.50%
West Virginia	1.73%	1.33%	3.74%	9.40%	4.08%	1.70%	3.45%

East South Central:

Alabama	2.77%	2.68%	10.69%	7.35%	3.49%	3.82%	2.60%
Kentucky	1.52%	1.36%	2.66%	10.37%	3.66%	1.26%	2.79%
Mississippi	1.45%	1.39%	5.43%	7.48%	3.51%	1.99%	2.84%
Tennessee	2.38%	1.91%	8.65%	6.91%	6.35%	2.94%	2.64%

West South Central:

Arkansas	2.61%	2.49%	5.31%	11.68%	7.19%	2.18%	4.15%
Louisiana	3.25%	1.50%	8.19%	8.71%	5.49%	2.43%	4.94%
Oklahoma	1.39%	1.39%	10.26%	7.42%	3.47%	3.07%	1.69%
Texas	0.94%	1.08%	4.70%	5.51%	4.16%	1.11%	1.40%

Mountain:

Arizona	2.01%	1.36%	5.51%	7.50%	6.74%	1.79%	2.85%
Colorado	2.42%	2.90%	4.75%	14.45% *	4.39%	1.74%	6.44%
Idaho	1.49%	1.39%	6.17%	8.88%	6.25%	1.27%	3.57%
Montana	2.08%	1.16%	5.99%	5.79%	4.72%	1.85%	2.65%
Nevada	1.91%	1.66%	4.39%	7.40%	6.14%	2.66%	2.80%
New Mexico	2.22%	2.03%	4.02%	8.55%	5.12%	2.42%	2.51%
Utah	2.23%	2.04%	4.65%	8.19%	4.65%	2.88%	2.88%
Wyoming	2.11%	2.27%	3.72%	6.76%	4.55%	2.25%	9.73%

Pacific:

Alaska	1.97%	1.86%	5.83%	10.18%	9.10%	1.71%	2.73%
California	0.95%	1.02%	4.07%	6.14%	2.65%	1.23%	2.89%
Hawaii	1.20%	1.44%	3.99%	5.43%	4.38%	1.52%	1.68%
Oregon	1.82%	1.88%	9.50%	6.51%	5.70%	1.84%	2.49%
Washington	2.83%	1.41%	6.32%	12.40%	11.19%	1.50%	3.16%

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