

Table III.A.2.e(2003) Percent of State and local governments offering health insurance by plan options and insurance offerings to retirees by census division and government type and size: United States, 2003

Census division/ government type and size	Two or more health plans	Conventional indemnity	Any managed care	Exclusive provider	Preferred provider	Insurance to retirees under 65	Insurance to retirees 65 and older	With waiting period
United States	33.9%	17.9%	89.9%	33.1%	70.7%	NA	NA	54.1%
Census division:								
New England	56.6%	35.7%	90.2%	42.9%	64.2%	NA	NA	48.0%
Middle Atlantic	44.2%	23.9%	92.3%	48.2%	62.1%	NA	NA	42.2%
East North Central	26.7%	17.3%	90.7%	23.2%	78.8%	NA	NA	49.7%
West North Central	22.9%	19.4%	84.3%	25.6%	62.2%	NA	NA	50.6%
South Atlantic	35.6%	15.2%	93.7%	36.9%	76.0%	NA	NA	73.2%
East South Central	24.5%	14.5%	87.2%	22.6%	73.5%	NA	NA	66.2%
West South Central	32.3%	9.7%*	94.1%	28.5%	75.2%	NA	NA	64.8%
Mountain	22.0%	15.9%	87.5%	28.8%	66.3%	NA	NA	49.8%
Pacific	54.6%	15.6%	89.0%	50.0%	75.1%	NA	NA	57.9%
Government type and size:								
State governments	75.7%	17.4%	99.5%	59.2%	96.1%	NA	NA	52.5%
Local governments:								
Less than 250 employees	26.8%	17.6%	88.7%	30.4%	67.4%	NA	NA	52.4%
250-999 employees	57.0%	21.2%	93.4%	39.1%	81.1%	NA	NA	56.1%
1,000-4,999 employees	63.3%	14.9%	95.0%	45.9%	87.0%	NA	NA	69.9%
5,000-9,999 employees	75.2%	9.4%	97.2%	67.1%	89.7%	NA	NA	76.5%
10,000 or more employees	79.8%	12.1%	100.0%	78.6%	87.6%	NA	NA	74.2%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2003 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.

NA - not available.

Table III.A.2.e(2003) Standard error for percent of State and local governments offering health insurance by plan options and insurance offerings to retirees by census division and government type and size: United States, 2003

Census division/ government type and size	Two or more health plans	Conventional indemnity	Any managed care	Exclusive provider	Preferred provider	Insurance to retirees under 65	Insurance to retirees 65 and older	With waiting period
United States	1.70%	1.04%	1.30%	1.45%	1.44%	NA	NA	2.13%
Census division:								
New England	2.85%	3.90%	3.48%	3.76%	4.52%	NA	NA	2.13%
Middle Atlantic	5.98%	1.97%	2.20%	4.83%	6.11%	NA	NA	5.03%
East North Central	3.63%	3.79%	4.35%	3.60%	4.53%	NA	NA	6.43%
West North Central	4.77%	3.56%	3.72%	6.17%	3.97%	NA	NA	5.40%
South Atlantic	5.20%	4.49%	1.94%	4.64%	5.01%	NA	NA	3.78%
East South Central	3.84%	3.04%	3.06%	4.72%	3.91%	NA	NA	5.00%
West South Central	2.85%	3.37%*	3.44%	5.76%	5.74%	NA	NA	3.26%
Mountain	2.02%	3.72%	3.43%	6.98%	8.29%	NA	NA	5.27%
Pacific	5.29%	3.94%	4.11%	6.18%	6.29%	NA	NA	5.99%
Government type and size:								
State governments	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	NA	NA	0.00%
Local governments:								
Less than 250 employees	2.37%	1.36%	1.72%	1.86%	1.84%	NA	NA	2.57%
250-999 employees	2.59%	1.53%	0.81%	1.94%	2.04%	NA	NA	2.08%
1,000-4,999 employees	3.37%	2.37%	1.30%	3.27%	1.93%	NA	NA	2.04%
5,000-9,999 employees	3.03%	1.45%	1.64%	3.62%	1.45%	NA	NA	1.59%
10,000 or more employees	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	NA	NA	0.00%

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Standard errors of zero indicate that all governments in the category are in the survey.