

Table I. B. 2(2000) Percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2000

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	89.4%	53.2%	75.2%	88.4%	97.3%	99.4%	67.8%	98.1%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	68.1%	29.3%	60.7%	86.8%	97.5%	98.4%	47.4%	96.3%
Mining and manufacturing	97.3%	71.0%	87.1%	94.9%	98.9%	99.8%	86.3%	99.2%
Construction	79.4%	48.2%	84.4%	91.3%	94.6%	100.0%	69.5%	95.3%
Utilities and transp.	93.0%	75.7%	72.3%	87.7%	99.6%	96.1%	76.8%	96.3%
Wholesale trade	93.5%	65.1%	85.9%	95.6%	99.6%	100.0%	81.0%	99.2%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	95.7%	62.7%	92.9%	98.3%	99.0%	99.5%	77.3%	99.4%
Retail trade	90.0%	47.1%	76.7%	92.9%	98.3%	99.7%	66.3%	99.2%
Professional services	91.5%	62.0%	83.0%	94.1%	99.0%	99.6%	73.5%	99.1%
Other Services	81.1%	42.1%	56.7%	76.4%	93.8%	99.3%	54.3%	95.4%
Unknown	12.5% *	13.3% *	*****	*****	*****	*****	12.5% *	*****
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	91.7%	59.3%	79.5%	89.1%	97.0%	99.3%	74.1%	98.0%
For profit, unincorporated	65.0%	42.2%	50.0%	77.0%	97.1%	99.5%	47.0%	96.4%
Nonprofit	90.8%	53.8%	78.4%	91.4%	98.6%	99.9%	68.7%	98.8%
Unknown	99.4%	0.6% *	63.1% *	96.8%	99.7%	100.0%	4.0% *	100.0%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	64.8%	47.4%	66.2%	75.3%	93.0%	96.2%	55.4%	91.7%
5-9 years	73.2%	45.6%	69.9%	82.1%	92.8%	98.4%	59.8%	92.7%
10-19 years	82.3%	56.0%	72.7%	86.4%	96.0%	99.6%	68.3%	95.6%
20 or more years	93.5%	60.1%	83.0%	93.2%	98.9%	99.0%	77.1%	98.6%
Unknown	99.5%	*****	15.2% *	93.8%	94.4%	99.8%	80.6%	99.6%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	98.6%	78.3%	83.2%	94.5%	97.9%	99.4%	88.6%	98.9%
1 location only	74.9%	52.8%	74.5%	86.6%	96.4%	99.5%	66.1%	94.1%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	62.5%	17.8%	35.0%	63.7%	91.6%	97.3%	30.6%	92.7%
25-49%	84.8%	45.7%	60.9%	78.6%	97.0%	100.0%	57.2%	97.1%
50-74%	85.8%	50.2%	70.5%	83.3%	97.8%	99.9%	61.7%	98.3%
75% or more	93.0%	62.7%	84.1%	93.6%	97.7%	99.4%	77.2%	98.5%
Union presence								
No union employees	87.6%	52.9%	75.3%	88.5%	97.6%	99.5%	67.6%	98.0%
Has union employees	98.3%	81.3%	87.1%	96.4%	99.3%	99.2%	87.2%	99.2%
Unknown	89.2%	27.3%	49.4%	48.7%	78.8%	99.2%	37.9%	95.6%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	74.2%	32.9%	52.5%	78.2%	95.8%	97.6%	48.7%	94.3%
Less than 50% low wage	91.5%	65.9%	88.8%	95.0%	98.8%	99.2%	79.9%	98.6%
Unknown	97.2%	42.3%	33.3%	78.6%	93.1%	99.8%	48.7%	99.3%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 2000 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

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Table I. B. 2(2000) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2000

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	0.33%	1.29%	0.89%	0.68%	0.34%	0.36%	0.69%	0.23%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	4.09%	3.31%	5.37%	3.24%	1.02%	8.09%	2.53%	4.92%
Mining and manufacturing	0.28%	3.81%	3.31%	0.85%	0.71%	0.13%	1.27%	0.22%
Construction	0.75%	2.56%	2.09%	1.69%	1.90%	0.01%	0.92%	1.20%
Utilities and transp.	1.47%	8.28%	4.26%	2.90%	0.42%	1.99%	3.66%	1.71%
Wholesale trade	0.85%	3.51%	2.99%	1.53%	0.40%	0.05%	2.17%	0.48%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	0.51%	3.11%	2.87%	0.75%	0.66%	0.60%	2.00%	0.46%
Retail trade	0.41%	1.23%	1.77%	1.26%	0.61%	0.11%	0.64%	0.14%
Professional services	0.53%	2.75%	1.43%	1.47%	0.30%	0.22%	1.28%	0.29%
Other Services	1.00%	1.41%	2.43%	2.58%	1.12%	0.46%	1.89%	0.47%
Unknown	5.33% *	5.47% *	*****	*****	*****	*****	5.33% *	*****
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.36%	1.33%	0.95%	0.64%	0.46%	0.46%	0.65%	0.29%
For profit, unincorporated	0.99%	2.83%	3.50%	3.13%	0.78%	0.40%	1.96%	0.63%
Nonprofit	0.64%	1.75%	2.55%	1.75%	0.54%	0.06%	1.51%	0.33%
Unknown	0.10%	0.61% *	19.60% *	22.84%	0.17%	0.00%	2.24% *	0.03%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	1.56%	2.98%	3.11%	2.78%	2.45%	3.53%	1.67%	1.27%
5-9 years	1.22%	2.09%	2.60%	1.74%	2.24%	1.25%	1.22%	2.22%
10-19 years	0.69%	2.40%	2.69%	1.50%	1.30%	0.23%	1.53%	0.67%
20 or more years	0.36%	1.59%	0.96%	0.34%	0.30%	0.77%	0.56%	0.39%
Unknown	0.13%	*****	10.41% *	2.94%	2.05%	0.11%	10.50%	0.11%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.33%	5.93%	2.78%	0.98%	0.25%	0.36%	1.88%	0.28%
1 location only	0.46%	1.35%	1.05%	0.85%	0.86%	0.30%	0.67%	0.70%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1.97%	1.97%	5.00%	4.15%	2.11%	1.67%	2.97%	1.69%
25-49%	0.95%	3.42%	3.44%	3.41%	0.88%	0.04%	2.12%	0.60%
50-74%	0.75%	3.26%	2.16%	1.66%	0.67%	0.10%	2.22%	0.33%
75% or more	0.27%	1.13%	1.13%	0.39%	0.36%	0.40%	0.48%	0.25%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.33%	1.14%	0.97%	0.64%	0.43%	0.25%	0.68%	0.23%
Has union employees	0.59%	4.97%	3.40%	1.30%	0.42%	0.81%	1.26%	0.63%
Unknown	1.91%	5.49%	10.54%	10.56%	8.94%	0.68%	5.15%	1.46%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	0.73%	1.43%	1.49%	1.58%	0.90%	1.09%	1.52%	0.70%
Less than 50% low wage	0.28%	1.33%	0.75%	0.36%	0.40%	0.63%	0.40%	0.29%
Unknown	0.22%	7.11%	5.51%	4.97%	1.23%	0.09%	5.90%	0.14%

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