

Table I. B. 2. a(2001) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2001

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	77.9%	80.8%	76.5%	75.4%	76.2%	79.1%	77.5%	78.0%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	77.1%	67.4%	72.7%	71.1%	66.4%	95.0%	67.8%	83.8%
Mining and manufacturing	91.7%	86.5%	88.7%	91.7%	92.0%	92.0%	89.0%	92.1%
Construction	81.5%	86.4%	84.5%	79.0%	73.4%	89.1%	83.3%	79.6%
Utilities and transp.	87.5%	82.1%	81.0%	86.7%	81.4%	88.8%	82.8%	88.0%
Wholesale trade	89.8%	87.4%	87.4%	88.3%	91.2%	90.6%	87.9%	90.5%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	87.1%	91.0%	76.6%	87.5%	85.1%	87.8%	84.7%	87.4%
Retail trade	62.5%	76.4%	74.3%	74.1%	68.0%	55.7%	75.3%	59.2%
Professional services	81.4%	86.4%	80.0%	81.2%	78.9%	81.7%	83.5%	80.8%
Other Services	62.7%	65.6%	60.2%	54.6%	59.4%	67.6%	59.5%	63.5%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	79.1%	83.1%	77.4%	78.2%	77.1%	79.8%	79.6%	79.0%
For profit, unincorporated	74.3%	80.4%	77.5%	66.3%	73.6%	75.1%	74.6%	74.0%
Nonprofit	74.0%	67.9%	69.6%	68.4%	74.9%	76.9%	68.4%	75.3%
Unknown	75.3%	100.0% *	100.0% *	76.5%	69.0%	75.7%	96.3%	75.1%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	73.5%	83.0%	67.6%	66.9%	65.6%	90.0%	73.8%	73.3%
5-9 years	73.5%	79.7%	69.2%	69.6%	68.6%	78.6%	74.4%	72.6%
10-19 years	74.8%	83.3%	76.7%	72.0%	69.5%	77.4%	78.3%	72.1%
20 or more years	78.9%	79.2%	79.8%	78.9%	78.7%	78.8%	78.9%	78.9%
Unknown	79.3%	59.3%	100.0%	69.5%	80.2%	79.3%	63.9%	79.3%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	79.0%	65.6%	75.6%	78.2%	78.3%	79.3%	75.1%	79.1%
1 location only	75.7%	81.4%	76.6%	74.6%	72.6%	71.2%	77.8%	73.1%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	34.6%	32.1%	21.5%	27.4%	26.7%	42.9%	28.1%	36.5%
25-49%	43.8%	45.3%	41.3%	36.8%	44.0%	45.2%	42.4%	44.1%
50-74%	66.8%	66.6%	64.9%	62.3%	60.3%	70.5%	65.4%	67.2%
75% or more	86.5%	89.6%	86.6%	85.8%	85.0%	86.9%	86.8%	86.5%
Union presence								
No union employees	77.2%	80.8%	76.2%	75.0%	75.2%	78.5%	77.4%	77.1%
Has union employees	82.6%	78.3%	80.0%	81.7%	81.0%	83.1%	78.0%	82.9%
Unknown	73.7%	87.8%	81.9%	80.0%	84.6%	72.6%	85.1%	73.4%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	56.9%	62.7%	58.1%	54.0%	57.1%	57.0%	57.6%	56.7%
Less than 50% low wage	84.8%	85.5%	82.8%	83.6%	84.2%	86.4%	83.9%	85.2%
Unknown	78.5%	81.6%	50.2%	79.3%	78.5%	78.7%	69.6%	78.7%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2001 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component
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Table 1. B. 2. a(2001) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2001

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	0.37%	1.03%	1.27%	1.22%	0.98%	0.59%	0.63%	0.40%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	3.10%	6.89%	6.48%	7.17%	7.86%	1.38%	4.95%	4.51%
Mining and manufacturing	0.60%	1.79%	1.39%	1.00%	0.99%	1.16%	0.73%	0.70%
Construction	1.46%	0.74%	1.85%	1.76%	5.14%	6.07%	1.26%	3.34%
Utilities and transp.	2.42%	3.05%	2.52%	3.22%	3.38%	3.18%	2.09%	2.70%
Wholesale trade	0.98%	1.55%	1.87%	1.38%	1.97%	1.69%	1.03%	1.25%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	1.85%	1.04%	5.10%	2.48%	3.88%	1.34%	2.98%	1.74%
Retail trade	0.92%	1.50%	2.26%	1.29%	2.35%	1.06%	1.13%	0.96%
Professional services	0.39%	2.03%	1.99%	1.33%	1.08%	0.83%	1.13%	0.48%
Other Services	0.82%	2.68%	3.02%	2.47%	2.30%	1.65%	1.65%	1.02%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.60%	1.14%	1.73%	0.81%	0.91%	0.91%	0.72%	0.68%
For profit, unincorporated	2.59%	2.12%	2.20%	3.77%	4.06%	5.06%	2.44%	3.57%
Nonprofit	1.32%	1.90%	2.42%	2.99%	1.83%	1.88%	1.96%	1.43%
Unknown	1.40%	31.62% *	31.62% *	16.17%	7.72%	1.40%	24.39%	1.42%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	2.57%	1.94%	4.56%	4.71%	5.82%	3.82%	2.23%	3.71%
5-9 years	1.73%	2.73%	3.38%	3.51%	3.46%	4.14%	2.57%	2.38%
10-19 years	0.97%	1.06%	2.51%	1.61%	2.57%	2.21%	1.26%	1.54%
20 or more years	0.61%	1.23%	0.70%	1.25%	1.31%	0.94%	0.66%	0.73%
Unknown	0.61%	17.06%	27.89%	10.24%	2.85%	0.58%	13.41%	0.57%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.63%	7.17%	4.66%	2.07%	1.33%	0.64%	2.52%	0.60%
1 location only	0.83%	0.76%	1.18%	1.21%	2.57%	4.24%	0.57%	1.65%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1.81%	5.71%	3.47%	3.01%	2.04%	3.85%	2.22%	2.70%
25-49%	1.24%	2.13%	2.63%	1.93%	3.07%	1.56%	1.49%	1.26%
50-74%	0.98%	2.08%	1.76%	1.90%	1.96%	1.54%	1.22%	1.16%
75% or more	0.42%	0.42%	1.24%	0.99%	1.11%	0.67%	0.68%	0.46%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.49%	1.02%	1.48%	1.16%	0.90%	0.69%	0.62%	0.56%
Has union employees	1.18%	3.97%	4.84%	3.68%	1.86%	1.57%	4.08%	1.15%
Unknown	1.33%	5.55%	5.94%	5.71%	4.69%	1.42%	3.61%	1.36%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	1.02%	3.18%	1.77%	1.78%	1.93%	1.49%	2.10%	1.10%
Less than 50% low wage	0.39%	0.77%	1.52%	0.71%	1.17%	0.99%	0.80%	0.42%
Unknown	0.59%	3.48%	12.18%	3.65%	3.72%	0.67%	5.77%	0.55%

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