

**Table IV.A.5 National total cost of optional coverage for the private sector by industry category\*\* : United States, 2020**

|   | Total<br>(in millions of dollars) | Standard error |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| <b>United States</b>                    | 56,493                            | 879            |
| <b>Ag/forestry/fishing</b>              | 343                               | 93             |
| <b>Mining and Manufacturing</b>         | 8,002                             | 356            |
| <b>Construction</b>                     | 2,357                             | 176            |
| <b>Utilities and transportation</b>     | 3,609                             | 322            |
| <b>Wholesale</b>                        | 3,552                             | 238            |
| <b>Finance services and real estate</b> | 8,109                             | 496            |
| <b>Retail</b>                           | 5,015                             | 259            |
| <b>Professional services</b>            | 17,380                            | 536            |
| <b>Other services</b>                   | 8,126                             | 398            |

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Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2020 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.  
 \*\* Definitions of industry groupings changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to MEPS-IC estimates made prior to 2000.