

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

Division and State	Percent Full-Time Employees			Percent Low-Wage Employees **			Unknown
	Total	75% or more	50-74%	Less than 50%	50% or more	Less than 50%	
United States	86.8%	91.0%	82.8%	72.7%	68.4%	89.6%	93.7%
New England:							
Connecticut	86.3%	93.5%	87.7%	46.5%	71.5%	92.0%	81.1%
Maine	77.8%	86.7%	77.1%	51.2%	62.8%	79.2%	87.8%
Massachusetts	91.3%	96.3%	90.0%	77.9%	74.0%	92.8%	93.9%
New Hampshire	91.3%	95.8%	92.2%	70.2%	70.2%	92.4%	98.0%
Rhode Island	90.6%	95.7%	87.7%	71.5%	80.9%	91.2%	98.2%
Vermont	86.0%	90.4%	85.4%	71.4%	63.1%	86.8%	96.8%
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	88.9%	92.2%	89.1%	73.6%	67.2%	91.4%	95.9%
New York	89.3%	93.1%	79.7%	79.3%	71.6%	91.2%	94.9%
Pennsylvania	91.7%	95.3%	91.1%	82.0%	79.3%	93.8%	97.0%
East North Central:							
Illinois	86.8%	92.1%	83.2%	62.6%	52.8%	90.6%	95.5%
Indiana	86.1%	91.9%	84.8%	65.0%	62.0%	88.2%	95.8%
Michigan	86.2%	88.2%	89.4%	74.3%	77.4%	92.2%	82.1%
Ohio	89.3%	94.2%	87.2%	70.2%	71.1%	91.9%	96.6%
Wisconsin	85.0%	90.8%	77.1%	69.3%	63.2%	90.4%	91.0%
West North Central:							
Iowa	85.9%	91.8%	85.9%	68.9%	70.4%	89.8%	95.7%
Kansas	85.7%	91.1%	84.7%	57.0%	70.2%	88.9%	94.3%
Minnesota	88.5%	95.5%	72.1%	75.9%	64.7%	90.9%	95.4%
Missouri	88.2%	92.0%	90.1%	55.4%	65.1%	90.4%	96.0%
Nebraska	82.3%	90.0%	81.0%	53.8%	62.6%	87.3%	94.4%
North Dakota	81.1%	91.2%	74.4%	67.7%	64.0%	85.4%	95.7%
South Dakota	81.2%	89.1%	74.3%	63.4%	64.8%	87.4%	89.8%
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	91.0%	94.2%	91.3%	64.1%	67.9%	90.4%	97.5%
District of Columbia	96.7%	98.3%	92.8%	82.8%	84.5%	97.2%	98.8%
Florida	85.7%	86.6%	86.2%	81.0%	72.8%	87.9%	89.4%
Georgia	88.0%	89.9%	87.7%	80.0%	76.1%	86.5%	95.5%
Maryland	88.8%	93.7%	90.1%	67.8%	67.5%	91.0%	94.9%
North Carolina	86.6%	89.5%	86.1%	73.8%	72.9%	89.5%	91.0%
South Carolina	85.5%	89.8%	69.7%	77.8%	71.4%	88.7%	91.5%
Virginia	86.0%	92.6%	83.6%	67.8%	62.1%	89.9%	96.1%
West Virginia	84.4%	89.2%	77.5%	61.4%	64.5%	90.8%	95.4%

East South Central:

Alabama	88.5%	91.8%	80.3%	76.1%	75.6%	91.8%	93.7%
Kentucky	86.8%	91.0%	84.2%	73.2%	73.0%	92.3%	90.7%
Mississippi	82.2%	89.4%	63.0%	61.2%	63.9%	88.7%	93.6%
Tennessee	86.8%	90.6%	77.2%	73.8%	68.9%	87.5%	96.3%

West South Central:

Arkansas	80.6%	85.1%	80.9%	64.2%	61.0%	82.9%	94.4%
Louisiana	84.7%	87.6%	64.5%	85.1%	72.6%	83.5%	97.1%
Oklahoma	82.4%	85.5%	74.8%	72.8%	55.5%	86.7%	95.8%
Texas	85.4%	88.1%	66.6%	83.6%	67.4%	88.6%	94.2%

Mountain:

Arizona	86.2%	90.7%	84.1%	65.9%	67.4%	86.2%	95.6%
Colorado	85.9%	91.4%	88.0%	66.8%	55.5%	88.6%	97.0%
Idaho	83.0%	86.2%	83.8%	74.0%	66.5%	83.0%	94.9%
Montana	73.6%	85.9%	68.4%	48.1%	53.1%	80.0%	93.7%
Nevada	88.7%	91.9%	79.6%	79.9%	80.4%	87.9%	93.2%
New Mexico	78.7%	80.7%	85.9%	59.5%	63.3%	81.4%	91.6%
Utah	84.0%	89.0%	80.5%	71.1%	75.1%	83.2%	94.2%
Wyoming	72.1%	81.1%	69.4%	38.9%	52.4%	75.7%	83.8%

Pacific:

Alaska	79.8%	86.1%	75.5%	58.8%	62.6%	77.2%	96.5%
California	85.6%	90.1%	78.2%	68.1%	64.5%	88.3%	93.1%
Hawaii	97.7%	99.2%	94.8%	91.4%	94.5%	98.7%	97.8%
Oregon	87.6%	94.5%	80.6%	55.2%	62.7%	91.9%	97.0%
Washington	84.9%	90.8%	75.2%	70.8%	65.0%	87.6%	95.4%

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(2003) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees in 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	0.48%	0.43%	0.89%	1.43%	1.34%	0.25%	0.74%
New England:							
Connecticut	2.83%	1.46%	7.94%	7.95%	5.79%	1.79%	5.55%
Maine	2.18%	1.93%	7.11%	7.94%	6.69%	3.65%	4.57%
Massachusetts	1.13%	0.79%	4.37%	6.32%	13.14%	2.35%	5.37%
New Hampshire	1.32%	0.71%	3.15%	6.47%	7.57%	1.73%	0.53%
Rhode Island	0.85%	0.55%	2.73%	6.53%	3.46%	1.65%	0.99%
Vermont	1.86%	1.82%	3.70%	7.13%	6.96%	2.12%	4.33%
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	1.26%	1.36%	5.70%	10.27%	8.71%	1.45%	3.17%
New York	0.69%	0.74%	2.55%	3.89%	3.98%	1.00%	0.82%
Pennsylvania	1.00%	0.69%	7.62%	5.18%	6.47%	1.89%	2.22%
East North Central:							
Illinois	2.03%	1.66%	5.69%	8.34%	7.46%	2.84%	2.13%
Indiana	1.49%	1.24%	6.59%	6.29%	6.35%	2.46%	2.24%
Michigan	3.56%	4.85%	3.91%	4.76%	3.92%	2.14%	7.75%
Ohio	0.87%	0.85%	3.04%	4.64%	4.11%	1.10%	1.42%
Wisconsin	2.09%	1.80%	6.80%	7.65%	6.69%	1.37%	2.58%
West North Central:							
Iowa	1.84%	1.87%	4.10%	9.37%	5.42%	1.28%	3.30%
Kansas	1.30%	1.32%	5.27%	9.27%	4.04%	1.70%	1.62%
Minnesota	2.09%	0.75%	6.55%	4.34%	7.30%	2.24%	3.10%
Missouri	0.97%	1.07%	4.20%	9.67%	4.61%	2.33%	5.03%
Nebraska	2.01%	2.46%	3.43%	6.79%	4.65%	2.15%	2.32%
North Dakota	1.39%	1.01%	4.96%	5.97%	3.47%	2.61%	1.10%
South Dakota	1.82%	2.03%	6.64%	5.41%	3.34%	2.52%	3.50%
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	1.42%	0.99%	5.23%	10.36%	10.91%	2.60%	3.18%
District of Columbia	0.35%	0.36%	9.29%	7.84%	10.90%	0.46%	0.82%
Florida	2.22%	3.10%	3.74%	9.78%	6.40%	1.58%	3.97%
Georgia	1.18%	0.84%	7.24%	7.47%	3.98%	2.51%	1.59%
Maryland	1.66%	0.79%	4.80%	5.82%	8.42%	1.78%	2.23%
North Carolina	0.77%	0.95%	6.94%	5.14%	5.69%	1.26%	3.14%
South Carolina	1.32%	1.43%	6.84%	3.77%	4.14%	2.51%	1.52%
Virginia	1.89%	0.73%	5.79%	7.11%	7.36%	0.54%	1.87%
West Virginia	1.81%	2.28%	5.00%	7.37%	6.55%	1.83%	1.45%

East South Central:							
Alabama	1.19%	1.86%	9.80%	10.11%	4.27%	2.50%	1.53%
Kentucky	2.04%	1.65%	6.35%	11.22%	5.58%	2.59%	4.08%
Mississippi	1.98%	1.79%	8.73%	6.95%	3.67%	2.18%	1.94%
Tennessee	1.54%	1.43%	10.19%	10.54%	6.38%	1.66%	1.24%
West South Central:							
Arkansas	1.90%	2.61%	8.58%	10.91%	5.08%	1.69%	2.06%
Louisiana	1.56%	1.31%	12.34%	6.84%	6.19%	2.76%	2.72%
Oklahoma	3.13%	3.91%	12.19%	9.59%	5.73%	2.92%	1.43%
Texas	1.06%	1.12%	6.33%	7.35%	4.57%	1.14%	1.40%
Mountain:							
Arizona	1.53%	1.00%	5.89%	7.58%	6.55%	1.93%	1.55%
Colorado	1.18%	0.54%	5.38%	10.87%	6.22%	1.77%	0.86%
Idaho	1.84%	1.86%	3.60%	7.56%	4.12%	2.11%	3.37%
Montana	2.27%	2.04%	7.10%	7.73%	3.07%	1.86%	9.19%
Nevada	1.43%	1.71%	6.66%	7.25%	4.38%	1.61%	2.52%
New Mexico	2.57%	3.86%	4.18%	7.06%	4.98%	4.03%	3.51%
Utah	2.54%	1.85%	6.43%	7.05%	7.13%	2.60%	3.15%
Wyoming	2.55%	3.04%	4.85%	6.26%	3.46%	2.79%	10.03%
Pacific:							
Alaska	1.75%	3.11%	5.77%	9.80%	7.51%	1.92%	4.61%
California	1.20%	0.91%	3.43%	5.37%	2.40%	1.01%	1.60%
Hawaii	0.43%	0.20%	2.97%	7.02%	1.67%	0.31%	1.34%
Oregon	1.32%	0.62%	10.96%	4.96%	5.56%	1.61%	1.42%
Washington	1.98%	1.93%	7.52%	6.65%	7.72%	2.10%	1.12%

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