

Table VII.C.4.a(2003) Percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution 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	27.3%	27.7%	27.5%	20.8%	28.4%	34.6%	13.9%
New England:							
Connecticut	19.4%	19.2%	18.9% *	25.0% *	22.5% *	23.8%	9.4% *
Maine	27.4%	29.3%	26.2% *	6.2% *	21.1% *	36.9%	10.4% *
Massachusetts	17.0%	15.0%	29.3%	18.4% *	12.2% *	20.1%	12.3% *
New Hampshire	19.9%	19.6%	19.6% *	26.3%	33.9% *	23.8%	7.0% *
Rhode Island	25.2%	22.2%	32.1% *	42.2%	27.9%	30.6%	12.6% *
Vermont	26.1%	26.7%	23.8% *	25.0% *	13.1% *	31.7%	18.8% *
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	27.8%	26.7%	20.1% *	59.6%	28.0% *	32.9%	16.8%
New York	28.4%	29.2%	26.8%	22.1% *	25.6%	35.9%	11.7% *
Pennsylvania	26.3%	27.5%	14.1% *	34.6%	40.8%	30.6%	11.5% *
East North Central:							
Illinois	26.6%	28.2%	15.0% *	21.9% *	13.5% *	31.2%	19.3%
Indiana	19.2%	20.1%	17.1% *	10.4% *	22.6% *	21.8%	14.4% *
Michigan	30.8%	30.4%	40.5%	13.1% *	26.1% *	41.5%	15.9% *
Ohio	26.7%	27.9%	24.8%	14.7% *	25.1%	32.1%	20.7%
Wisconsin	10.1%	10.9%	10.5% *	5.3% *	15.4% *	15.1%	1.3% *
West North Central:							
Iowa	14.7%	16.3%	9.0% *	9.9%	12.0% *	18.7%	9.7% *
Kansas	17.9%	19.5%	11.9% *	3.6% *	19.1% *	23.0%	6.4% *
Minnesota	27.3%	25.2%	36.1%	34.0%	34.8%	33.3%	14.1% *
Missouri	23.5%	25.2%	14.6%	33.8% *	41.3%	26.9%	10.5% *
Nebraska	16.0%	16.6%	12.0% *	19.1% *	22.4%	22.6%	3.9% *
North Dakota	32.6%	38.5%	27.4% *	13.2% *	49.0%	41.6%	10.4% *
South Dakota	23.1%	24.0%	16.1% *	25.2%	17.6% *	28.8%	3.4% *
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	26.0%	25.9%	19.5% *	55.1%	25.5% *	39.8%	14.3% *
District of Columbia	23.7%	24.6%	17.3% *	14.3% *	6.3% *	30.0%	13.6% *
Florida	20.5%	19.6%	41.3%	3.4% *	16.0% *	27.5%	13.6%
Georgia	16.8%	16.7%	15.8% *	19.8% *	17.5% *	27.0%	6.0% *
Maryland	17.3%	18.7%	13.5% *	3.9% *	16.3% *	23.2%	6.4% *
North Carolina	26.6%	27.9%	20.8% *	15.4% *	18.2%	34.0%	7.3% *
South Carolina	24.5%	25.5%	23.8% *	13.9% *	20.7%	36.2%	2.5% *
Virginia	26.6%	27.8%	29.5% *	10.9% *	25.4%	37.8%	7.9% *
West Virginia	26.0%	26.5%	20.8% *	26.9% *	33.8%	29.0%	14.2% *

East South Central:

Alabama	28.0%	29.4%	27.1% *	12.2% *	28.1%	33.0%	17.9%
Kentucky	21.9%	25.5%	13.5% *	7.5% *	24.3% *	30.9%	4.2% *
Mississippi	37.6%	38.6%	32.8% *	27.1% *	37.9%	52.5%	13.5% *
Tennessee	17.3%	17.3%	11.1% *	26.8% *	32.6% *	21.7%	6.7% *

West South Central:

Arkansas	22.9%	23.5%	31.7% *	5.9% *	24.0%	28.0%	14.6% *
Louisiana	27.9%	28.8%	51.1%	13.4% *	28.4%	38.4%	12.8% *
Oklahoma	27.0%	28.0%	13.4% *	32.7% *	28.6% *	39.6%	9.8% *
Texas	29.9%	30.4%	31.4% *	21.1% *	39.6%	36.4%	14.0% *

Mountain:

Arizona	26.2%	27.0%	24.0% *	17.4% *	36.1%	31.9%	15.8% *
Colorado	29.5%	29.5%	32.2% *	22.0% *	26.8% *	32.8%	23.8% *
Idaho	33.6%	38.6%	29.3% *	11.1% *	30.5% *	49.8%	13.4%
Montana	39.7%	42.6%	30.0%	31.6% *	35.3%	55.1%	16.2% *
Nevada	31.0%	30.0%	46.8%	15.6% *	13.6% *	33.9%	32.1%
New Mexico	31.3%	34.0%	15.9% *	32.0% *	29.6% *	38.5%	15.8% *
Utah	21.6%	18.1%	39.5%	17.2% *	10.9% *	22.3%	24.0%
Wyoming	32.5%	31.6%	37.3%	36.0% *	33.1%	45.9%	11.8% *

Pacific:

Alaska	41.7%	41.1%	43.7%	46.7%	45.8%	54.7%	8.7% *
California	37.9%	37.8%	44.0%	29.9%	36.3%	46.8%	21.0%
Hawaii	53.4%	53.9%	47.8%	57.1%	54.5%	63.1%	27.4%
Oregon	35.4%	35.8%	27.9% *	45.4%	36.4%	41.6%	16.2%
Washington	48.5%	48.3%	63.5%	25.6% *	34.1%	66.2%	12.7%

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Table VII.C.4.a(2003) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution 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	0.88%	0.94%	2.88%	1.75%	2.61%	1.08%	1.14%
New England:							
Connecticut	2.79%	2.95%	7.89% *	11.89% *	7.77% *	2.25%	5.86% *
Maine	2.06%	2.25%	9.28% *	10.55% *	8.55% *	3.46%	4.65% *
Massachusetts	3.36%	3.50%	6.93%	8.24% *	14.12% *	4.27%	6.19% *
New Hampshire	2.83%	3.30%	8.02% *	4.32%	12.57% *	3.84%	2.75% *
Rhode Island	4.28%	4.22%	11.08% *	9.68%	5.72%	4.89%	6.60% *
Vermont	3.91%	4.03%	9.26% *	8.68% *	7.12% *	4.02%	6.29% *
Middle Atlantic:							
New Jersey	3.49%	4.44%	6.46% *	12.48%	10.99% *	5.52%	4.48%
New York	3.31%	3.27%	5.69%	6.81% *	6.05%	3.21%	4.22% *
Pennsylvania	3.00%	3.51%	9.94% *	8.01%	8.73%	4.63%	4.91% *
East North Central:							
Illinois	4.40%	5.25%	7.06% *	9.48% *	5.15% *	5.80%	5.31%
Indiana	2.94%	2.90%	14.47% *	11.03% *	10.79% *	4.93%	4.81% *
Michigan	4.61%	5.28%	9.74%	7.38% *	8.40% *	6.75%	5.02% *
Ohio	3.56%	4.20%	5.97%	5.69% *	6.67%	2.74%	5.75%
Wisconsin	1.74%	1.75%	4.14% *	12.04% *	8.98% *	3.64%	0.88% *
West North Central:							
Iowa	2.54%	2.80%	4.34% *	2.90%	4.02% *	3.48%	3.43% *
Kansas	3.16%	3.71%	5.97% *	1.34% *	9.35% *	3.93%	2.68% *
Minnesota	3.03%	4.17%	9.67%	7.83%	8.68%	3.37%	4.90% *
Missouri	3.52%	4.07%	3.29%	15.70% *	7.88%	5.59%	3.42% *
Nebraska	1.99%	2.89%	6.54% *	11.13% *	6.64%	2.81%	1.55% *
North Dakota	3.37%	5.34%	9.31% *	12.85% *	7.05%	5.46%	7.10% *
South Dakota	2.71%	3.34%	9.80% *	7.01%	6.03% *	6.95%	3.14% *
South Atlantic:							
Delaware	4.43%	5.47%	8.70% *	13.85%	11.23% *	4.74%	7.57% *
District of Columbia	2.90%	3.87%	11.13% *	14.51% *	4.62% *	4.37%	6.95% *
Florida	2.19%	2.49%	8.64%	5.62% *	7.47% *	2.55%	3.90%
Georgia	3.45%	3.96%	14.14% *	12.95% *	7.32% *	5.31%	2.20% *
Maryland	3.04%	3.45%	14.48% *	2.49% *	6.09% *	3.76%	3.59% *
North Carolina	1.91%	2.24%	14.73% *	7.95% *	5.40%	3.99%	3.71% *
South Carolina	1.53%	1.87%	15.29% *	10.76% *	5.16%	3.25%	1.46% *
Virginia	3.60%	3.78%	10.71% *	5.76% *	7.00%	3.84%	3.21% *
West Virginia	2.91%	3.55%	9.12% *	10.45% *	8.04%	7.74%	8.13% *

East South Central:

Alabama	4.22%	4.77%	12.64% *	8.32% *	8.25%	7.00%	5.26%
Kentucky	4.17%	5.12%	5.32% *	10.84% *	7.82% *	3.98%	2.12% *
Mississippi	4.91%	5.15%	12.60% *	8.22% *	8.97%	5.88%	4.58% *
Tennessee	3.00%	2.74%	10.11% *	8.71% *	9.87% *	2.46%	4.48% *

West South Central:

Arkansas	3.03%	3.12%	12.20% *	13.40% *	7.06%	3.82%	4.76% *
Louisiana	3.65%	3.57%	14.77%	8.50% *	7.28%	6.14%	5.11% *
Oklahoma	5.36%	4.98%	8.72% *	12.51% *	10.58% *	6.18%	7.41% *
Texas	2.41%	2.81%	12.64% *	7.53% *	8.06%	3.45%	4.67% *

Mountain:

Arizona	4.13%	4.12%	9.43% *	12.56% *	10.50%	4.81%	7.33% *
Colorado	3.73%	4.66%	11.90% *	10.31% *	13.82% *	4.02%	8.00% *
Idaho	5.74%	5.79%	9.82% *	8.90% *	10.48% *	5.62%	3.34%
Montana	4.44%	5.86%	8.53%	13.13% *	8.69%	4.92%	11.59% *
Nevada	6.27%	6.91%	10.98%	10.99% *	7.55% *	8.02%	7.24%
New Mexico	4.05%	3.77%	6.52% *	12.40% *	9.03% *	3.40%	5.05% *
Utah	3.85%	3.06%	11.18%	10.98% *	8.39% *	4.00%	6.90%
Wyoming	4.12%	5.36%	9.37%	12.92% *	8.63%	9.03%	4.26% *

Pacific:

Alaska	4.88%	5.26%	10.22%	13.25%	11.99%	5.60%	5.72% *
California	2.41%	2.07%	7.91%	4.89%	6.11%	2.59%	3.90%
Hawaii	3.70%	4.33%	10.20%	7.70%	7.20%	5.13%	6.45%
Oregon	4.43%	4.72%	10.46% *	12.38%	9.31%	5.25%	3.26%
Washington	3.94%	4.02%	11.71%	10.46% *	9.65%	2.90%	3.42%

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