

**Table VII.B.2.a(2005) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2005**

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%
United States	78.5%	85.8%	66.3%	44.1%	58.9%	84.1%
New England:						
Connecticut	78.2%	87.1%	60.5%	35.8%	52.0%	81.0%
Maine	77.7%	89.5%	63.9%	54.2%	56.2%	83.1%
Massachusetts	81.4%	87.7%	66.9%	51.2%	65.9%	84.2%
New Hampshire	74.3%	84.6%	62.2%	34.7%	52.9%	80.1%
Rhode Island	78.9%	87.9%	65.0%	37.6%	56.0%	83.8%
Vermont	81.2%	89.4%	70.6%	49.4%	64.7%	85.3%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	77.3%	86.1%	66.2%	32.7%	55.9%	81.9%
New York	79.6%	85.5%	74.1%	47.6%	60.8%	83.3%
Pennsylvania	79.9%	87.1%	70.0%	45.2%	59.3%	85.7%
East North Central:						
Illinois	79.6%	86.2%	68.7%	39.6%	61.8%	85.0%
Indiana	77.7%	85.6%	68.9%	40.4%	59.7%	85.3%
Michigan	82.3%	89.7%	72.6%	47.8%	54.8%	88.7%
Ohio	80.4%	90.2%	62.1%	41.2%	57.2%	86.3%
Wisconsin	76.7%	87.3%	72.8%	32.4%	51.7%	82.0%
West North Central:						
Iowa	78.6%	86.8%	67.6%	38.6%	60.4%	83.0%
Kansas	74.6%	81.4%	72.9%	48.7%	47.5%	83.2%
Minnesota	74.6%	85.9%	57.6%	52.2%	50.7%	80.3%
Missouri	83.5%	89.9%	70.3%	25.4% *	55.6%	89.3%
Nebraska	79.1%	89.0%	67.0%	39.3%	51.7%	85.2%
North Dakota	75.4%	84.8%	70.7%	43.0%	58.4%	82.0%
South Dakota	76.4%	84.6%	76.8%	46.9%	48.9%	83.7%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	78.8%	87.3%	65.1%	39.0%	54.6%	85.6%
District of Columbia	86.7%	91.1%	69.6%	30.3% *	72.7%	87.5%
Florida	77.5%	82.0%	74.2%	48.5%	56.9%	85.4%
Georgia	75.9%	82.3%	64.6%	38.8%	53.7%	81.7%
Maryland	83.4%	88.3%	74.1%	60.3%	60.7%	88.3%
North Carolina	82.4%	89.4%	76.5%	54.9%	74.4%	85.0%
South Carolina	82.4%	89.4%	68.1%	55.4%	68.0%	89.5%
Virginia	80.7%	84.9%	65.9%	51.7%	67.5%	85.6%
West Virginia	75.9%	82.7%	65.6%	40.6%	60.4%	84.1%
East South Central:						
Alabama	77.2%	84.6%	66.9%	39.6%	64.0%	87.5%
Kentucky	76.7%	85.4%	59.2%	42.1%	54.9%	86.9%
Mississippi	72.4%	79.1%	59.0%	23.9%	52.9%	83.4%
Tennessee	78.6%	87.3%	50.8%	46.6%	57.5%	88.1%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	71.9%	82.3%	62.3%	20.1% *	55.4%	82.7%
Louisiana	77.4%	82.3%	72.0%	45.4%	66.7%	82.8%
Oklahoma	75.5%	84.1%	64.9%	40.5%	48.8%	85.3%
Texas	78.5%	86.8%	55.1%	42.4%	64.8%	83.9%
Mountain:						
Arizona	70.5%	79.4%	45.8%	40.3%	38.8%	79.4%
Colorado	77.8%	84.5%	60.7%	42.1%	58.0%	84.1%
Idaho	75.9%	89.2%	64.5%	33.9%	47.5%	86.6%
Montana	68.7%	79.3%	73.0%	27.7% *	56.8%	76.4%
Nevada	78.1%	83.4%	58.1%	60.9%	70.1%	79.9%
New Mexico	71.0%	78.0%	46.9%	52.1%	54.9%	77.2%
Utah	75.7%	86.4%	70.6%	27.9%	53.2%	84.0%
Wyoming	77.7%	83.6%	58.7%	50.1%	55.4%	82.8%
Pacific:						
Alaska	70.0%	76.2%	59.1%	27.3%	56.9%	72.1%
California	77.8%	84.1%	61.4%	48.3%	60.2%	81.1%
Hawaii	82.0%	87.8%	71.9%	52.3%	67.2%	86.5%
Oregon	72.9%	81.2%	74.1%	42.0%	39.5%	85.0%
Washington	78.6%	89.5%	65.0%	38.6%	50.9%	85.5%

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**Table VII.B.2.a(2005) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2005**

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%
United States	0.51%	0.53%	1.17%	1.40%	1.06%	0.32%
New England:						
Connecticut	3.41%	2.92%	5.48%	2.96%	7.40%	3.43%
Maine	1.84%	1.07%	2.72%	7.75%	4.20%	1.87%
Massachusetts	2.16%	2.44%	3.02%	7.96%	6.21%	2.40%
New Hampshire	1.48%	2.22%	3.11%	4.29%	7.60%	2.40%
Rhode Island	2.85%	1.96%	4.24%	4.77%	6.93%	2.40%
Vermont	2.13%	1.81%	5.28%	5.12%	7.88%	1.78%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	2.05%	2.44%	4.70%	6.53%	6.48%	2.65%
New York	1.07%	1.12%	3.15%	5.28%	3.15%	1.25%
Pennsylvania	1.71%	1.66%	4.07%	6.46%	4.90%	1.23%
East North Central:						
Illinois	1.09%	1.00%	1.67%	5.05%	3.62%	1.40%
Indiana	1.53%	1.77%	5.77%	6.00%	5.00%	1.10%
Michigan	2.03%	1.37%	2.71%	8.00%	3.68%	1.30%
Ohio	2.14%	1.19%	6.06%	8.15%	3.88%	1.95%
Wisconsin	2.83%	1.70%	4.17%	6.60%	3.86%	2.66%
West North Central:						
Iowa	3.23%	2.08%	4.35%	5.07%	6.01%	2.63%
Kansas	1.46%	1.79%	3.75%	6.67%	5.91%	1.68%
Minnesota	2.21%	2.51%	6.15%	6.05%	5.27%	2.48%
Missouri	1.55%	1.36%	4.18%	15.06% *	7.10%	1.30%
Nebraska	1.74%	2.06%	4.95%	8.23%	6.20%	2.29%
North Dakota	3.42%	3.25%	5.29%	7.38%	6.95%	2.31%
South Dakota	2.03%	1.94%	3.53%	6.99%	7.87%	1.61%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	1.87%	2.60%	8.02%	6.14%	7.25%	2.49%
District of Columbia	1.27%	1.32%	4.37%	10.41% *	12.60%	1.24%
Florida	2.98%	3.45%	5.35%	8.61%	5.31%	1.95%
Georgia	3.32%	3.49%	5.68%	9.05%	7.78%	2.91%
Maryland	1.55%	1.19%	4.36%	11.38%	5.38%	1.43%
North Carolina	2.08%	0.97%	3.99%	10.16%	3.19%	2.19%
South Carolina	1.94%	1.51%	4.20%	10.68%	4.29%	1.42%
Virginia	1.19%	1.52%	2.80%	9.47%	6.59%	0.68%
West Virginia	3.36%	3.03%	6.36%	8.30%	5.52%	3.23%
East South Central:						
Alabama	3.11%	2.15%	9.67%	8.61%	5.83%	2.41%
Kentucky	3.17%	2.59%	6.02%	6.72%	4.69%	2.22%
Mississippi	4.04%	4.47%	8.15%	5.64%	6.24%	1.98%
Tennessee	2.11%	1.43%	8.78%	10.33%	4.51%	0.92%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	4.63%	2.50%	8.13%	10.40% *	8.67%	2.09%
Louisiana	2.02%	2.62%	8.59%	9.01%	4.20%	1.35%
Oklahoma	3.60%	2.28%	7.54%	9.70%	7.45%	2.20%
Texas	1.68%	0.89%	4.78%	10.92%	6.21%	1.26%
Mountain:						
Arizona	2.70%	2.15%	9.81%	10.92%	5.33%	1.90%
Colorado	2.78%	2.12%	6.29%	4.75%	5.43%	1.64%
Idaho	2.90%	1.55%	5.41%	5.56%	5.20%	1.75%
Montana	4.88%	4.19%	4.14%	11.89% *	7.14%	4.29%
Nevada	2.12%	2.87%	4.20%	8.47%	3.87%	2.56%
New Mexico	2.88%	3.04%	7.24%	11.31%	4.83%	3.00%
Utah	4.13%	2.06%	6.93%	7.11%	8.18%	2.70%
Wyoming	2.79%	2.78%	3.86%	8.81%	4.22%	2.76%
Pacific:						
Alaska	4.50%	4.37%	4.79%	5.30%	6.52%	5.02%
California	1.47%	2.01%	5.00%	2.97%	3.56%	1.70%
Hawaii	1.73%	2.19%	2.72%	7.01%	4.63%	1.11%
Oregon	3.41%	4.73%	8.57%	6.34%	7.34%	1.97%
Washington	3.20%	1.48%	2.78%	7.00%	7.98%	1.66%

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