

Table VII.A.2.b(2008) Percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that offer at least one health insurance plan that required no contribution from the employee for single coverage by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2008

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	40.7%	41.8%	40.7%	34.0%	31.0%	43.8%
New England:						
Connecticut	38.9%	39.4%	41.1%	30.4% *	17.3% *	42.2%
Maine	34.6%	33.9%	30.9% *	45.1%	30.0%	36.7%
Massachusetts	35.2%	37.2%	33.8%	27.6%	15.1%	40.0%
New Hampshire	34.1%	33.9%	27.7% *	42.5%	20.7% *	37.5%
Rhode Island	37.2%	35.9%	42.2%	36.5%	24.8%	40.5%
Vermont	32.7%	30.3%	48.2%	26.3% *	18.8%	36.4%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	51.4%	50.3%	59.0%	49.2%	45.2%	52.4%
New York	50.7%	54.9%	42.5%	42.8%	41.1%	53.3%
Pennsylvania	45.7%	43.9%	60.4%	41.4%	41.3%	47.1%
East North Central:						
Illinois	30.6%	28.9%	36.5%	32.1% *	24.1%	32.8%
Indiana	29.6%	30.8%	34.3%	17.2% *	20.4% *	33.0%
Michigan	45.4%	45.4%	49.6%	40.5%	46.6%	44.9%
Ohio	31.9%	37.8%	27.3%	16.6% *	26.7%	34.3%
Wisconsin	26.3%	23.7%	33.7%	27.5% *	21.6%	27.9%
West North Central:						
Iowa	31.9%	30.4%	27.5% *	42.8%	32.1%	31.8%
Kansas	36.7%	37.5%	45.4%	19.5% *	34.4%	37.6%
Minnesota	39.0%	43.0%	31.6%	30.5% *	30.2%	42.3%
Missouri	38.1%	39.5%	32.5%	36.1%	34.8%	39.3%
Nebraska	28.1%	27.1%	45.1%	20.6% *	27.0%	28.7%
North Dakota	45.6%	44.3%	54.0%	42.5%	41.3%	47.4%
South Dakota	29.1%	33.2%	27.3%	14.5% *	17.6%	36.1%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	35.3%	34.2%	41.9%	36.4%	23.8% *	38.8%
District of Columbia	41.9%	43.4%	44.0%	18.3% *	24.0% *	44.9%
Florida	38.6%	40.6%	35.4%	29.4%	33.1%	40.5%
Georgia	31.9%	30.6%	41.7%	34.2% *	26.1%	33.7%
Maryland	35.5%	35.1%	36.0% *	37.7%	37.7%	36.2%
North Carolina	37.0%	37.4%	41.0%	31.9%	19.3% *	45.6%
South Carolina	34.1%	35.3%	31.8%	30.7%	29.4%	36.3%
Virginia	35.2%	35.5%	30.4% *	40.0%	35.4%	35.1%
West Virginia	36.7%	39.7%	34.1%	24.0% *	28.6%	41.5%
East South Central:						
Alabama	30.5%	33.4%	30.2%	11.5% *	25.3%	32.7%
Kentucky	40.8%	43.2%	28.4% *	35.1%	36.0%	43.0%
Mississippi	39.7%	41.9%	46.6%	20.9% *	29.6%	46.1%
Tennessee	33.8%	35.7%	26.2% *	30.6%	23.1%	39.2%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	30.4%	29.4%	41.2%	21.7% *	21.0%	36.1%
Louisiana	38.8%	39.3%	47.4%	26.0% *	27.5%	45.3%
Oklahoma	38.2%	41.8%	28.9% *	21.3% *	29.6%	43.6%
Texas	35.9%	37.6%	34.8%	24.9%	23.1%	42.1%
Mountain:						
Arizona	36.7%	39.2%	34.7%	24.0%	23.4%	41.0%
Colorado	32.6%	30.6%	32.6%	53.0%	27.6%	33.7%
Idaho	46.0%	44.9%	53.5%	42.1%	35.3%	49.7%
Montana	51.2%	55.3%	37.4%	39.8%	49.1%	51.9%
Nevada	43.2%	44.0%	38.0% *	42.3% *	41.3%	43.8%
New Mexico	37.3%	37.3%	39.4%	34.6% *	31.2%	39.9%
Utah	36.6%	37.9%	35.0%	29.4%	15.3%	41.7%
Wyoming	48.6%	48.3%	51.7%	46.1%	53.4%	47.1%
Pacific:						
Alaska	39.3%	38.4%	45.0%	39.0%	16.1% *	43.3%
California	52.9%	54.5%	51.2%	42.3%	41.2%	55.5%
Hawaii	65.7%	66.9%	70.8%	53.4%	57.8%	68.3%
Oregon	52.1%	51.4%	53.3%	56.2%	32.2%	57.6%
Washington	54.3%	54.0%	60.6%	48.3%	25.5% *	58.4%

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Table VII.A.2.b(2008) Standard error for percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance that offer at least one health insurance plan that required no contribution from the employee for single coverage by proportion of employees who are full-time or low-wage and State: United States, 2008

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	0.57%	0.53%	1.86%	1.15%	0.85%	0.77%
New England:						
Connecticut	2.46%	4.77%	8.86%	11.82% *	6.67% *	2.64%
Maine	4.12%	3.88%	9.83% *	9.30%	6.47%	4.16%
Massachusetts	2.84%	3.65%	6.02%	7.30%	3.46%	3.62%
New Hampshire	2.72%	2.84%	9.15% *	10.26%	6.89% *	3.03%
Rhode Island	2.31%	3.98%	7.74%	10.02%	6.14%	3.49%
Vermont	3.23%	3.31%	6.98%	11.14% *	5.00%	4.27%
Middle Atlantic:						
New Jersey	3.24%	2.58%	12.69%	10.60%	10.29%	3.49%
New York	2.34%	2.31%	2.87%	6.74%	7.66%	2.30%
Pennsylvania	2.11%	1.75%	7.90%	7.97%	5.06%	1.98%
East North Central:						
Illinois	1.74%	1.09%	5.86%	9.82% *	4.81%	1.87%
Indiana	3.13%	3.81%	9.69%	9.56% *	6.67% *	4.23%
Michigan	2.51%	3.56%	5.93%	9.47%	5.81%	2.19%
Ohio	2.63%	2.72%	8.01%	5.29% *	4.54%	4.63%
Wisconsin	4.74%	3.52%	9.65%	8.90% *	5.40%	5.07%
West North Central:						
Iowa	2.62%	3.67%	8.69% *	9.12%	3.27%	3.96%
Kansas	2.19%	2.95%	6.24%	6.88% *	6.25%	1.97%
Minnesota	3.48%	5.53%	5.92%	9.16% *	5.85%	3.86%
Missouri	3.20%	5.20%	8.26%	9.63%	5.66%	4.23%
Nebraska	2.62%	3.86%	9.30%	6.96% *	4.98%	3.68%
North Dakota	2.89%	4.12%	8.45%	10.05%	6.60%	3.26%
South Dakota	1.93%	2.36%	6.63%	5.25% *	4.90%	3.26%
South Atlantic:						
Delaware	4.06%	3.63%	11.65%	10.02%	8.99% *	5.22%
District of Columbia	3.13%	3.22%	9.27%	7.75% *	7.45% *	3.29%
Florida	3.45%	3.17%	7.01%	7.95%	6.32%	4.19%
Georgia	3.97%	4.50%	12.01%	12.54% *	5.42%	4.72%
Maryland	2.58%	2.51%	11.48% *	8.74%	8.39%	2.66%
North Carolina	3.10%	3.86%	11.46%	6.93%	6.02% *	4.07%
South Carolina	4.05%	4.87%	7.30%	8.13%	6.04%	5.89%
Virginia	4.37%	4.36%	10.48% *	7.09%	7.16%	4.28%
West Virginia	2.49%	2.36%	9.28%	8.69% *	5.21%	3.61%
East South Central:						
Alabama	1.31%	1.33%	7.79%	10.54% *	4.42%	2.90%
Kentucky	2.72%	2.40%	9.41% *	6.66%	7.41%	3.76%
Mississippi	3.16%	3.23%	9.27%	11.25% *	6.58%	2.88%
Tennessee	3.32%	3.50%	12.08% *	8.80%	4.40%	3.81%
West South Central:						
Arkansas	2.39%	3.34%	10.42%	8.63% *	3.75%	3.82%
Louisiana	2.89%	2.96%	7.98%	9.96% *	6.28%	3.89%
Oklahoma	4.65%	4.32%	13.15% *	7.09% *	4.92%	5.64%
Texas	3.09%	3.34%	5.28%	7.16%	4.00%	3.80%
Mountain:						
Arizona	3.20%	3.79%	8.07%	6.80%	5.93%	4.13%
Colorado	2.90%	3.49%	7.64%	10.49%	7.25%	3.27%
Idaho	4.13%	3.75%	11.17%	11.54%	8.11%	4.35%
Montana	4.29%	4.60%	11.08%	5.69%	9.09%	3.75%
Nevada	3.40%	3.64%	13.63% *	13.66% *	7.44%	3.33%
New Mexico	3.03%	2.76%	7.90%	11.81% *	4.31%	3.86%
Utah	2.36%	3.41%	8.66%	6.82%	4.42%	3.52%
Wyoming	2.83%	2.79%	8.82%	13.01%	6.71%	3.23%
Pacific:						
Alaska	2.72%	3.29%	11.91%	8.98%	7.61% *	3.48%
California	1.20%	1.95%	3.24%	5.72%	3.88%	1.99%
Hawaii	2.42%	2.76%	7.85%	10.90%	5.07%	2.86%
Oregon	2.44%	3.77%	7.08%	11.85%	7.88%	2.72%
Washington	3.10%	4.11%	10.33%	11.27%	8.95% *	3.34%

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