

Table 4. Total population and uninsured persons under age 65: Percent by selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2001

Population characteristics	Total population in thousands	Percent distribution of population	Percent uninsured	Percent distribution of uninsured population
Total ^a	242,762	100.0	18.8	100
Age in years				
under 4	15,821	6.5	12.9	4.5
4-6	12,169	5.0	13.3	3.5
7-12	24,510	10.1	14.5	7.8
13-17	20,150	8.3	16.6	7.3
Total under 18	72,650	29.9	14.5	23.1
18	4,025	1.7	24.4	2.1
19-24	22,699	9.4	33.9	16.8
25-29	17,649	7.3	29.2	11.3
30-34	19,385	8.0	21.0	8.9
35-54	82,589	34.0	16.7	30.2
55-64	23,765	9.8	14.4	7.5
Sex				
Male	120,349	49.6	19.9	52.3
Female	122,413	50.4	17.8	47.7
Race/ethnicity				
Total hispanic	31,920	13.1	37.7	26.3
Total black	31,927	13.2	20.2	14.1
Total white	166,133	68.4	14.9	54.3
Total other	12,781	5.3	18.9	5.3
Hispanic male	16,107	6.6	39.9	14.0
Black male	15,070	6.2	21.3	7.0
White male	83,050	34.2	15.7	28.5
Other male	6,122	2.5	20.4	2.7
Hispanic female	15,813	6.5	35.5	12.3
Black female	16,857	6.9	19.2	7.1

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White female	83,084	34.2	14.2	25.8
Other female	6,659	2.7	17.4	2.5
Marital status^b				
Married	95,685	39.4	14.3	29.9
Widowed	3,295	1.4	22.4	1.6
Divorced	18,829	7.8	25.2	10.4
Separated	4,248	1.8	32.3	3.0
Never married	56,263	23.2	28.7	35.3
Census region				
Northeast	45,539	18.8	13.8	13.8
Midwest	56,150	23.1	14.9	18.3
South	84,588	34.8	22.4	41.4
West	56,485	23.3	21.5	26.6
Perceived health status				
Excellent	86,204	35.6	16.5	31.2
Very good	78,520	32.4	17.0	29.3
Good	55,965	23.1	23.2	28.4
Fair	16,253	6.7	24.1	8.6
Poor	5,511	2.3	20.6	2.5

^a Total includes persons with unknown perceived health status and marital status.

^b For individuals age 16 and over. Excludes unknown marital status. As a result, percents do not sum to 100.

Note: Percent distributions may not add to 100 because of rounding.

Source: Center for Cost and Financing Studies, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: Medical Expenditure Panel Survey Household Component, 2001.

Table D. Total population and uninsured persons under age 65: Standard errors by selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2001
Corresponds to Table 4

Population characteristics	Percent distribution of population	Percent uninsured Standard error	Percent distribution of uninsured population
Total ^a	b	0.48	b
Age in years			
under 4	0.17	0.87	0.29
4-6	0.15	0.91	0.25
7-12	0.22	0.87	0.43
13-17	0.20	0.89	0.37
Total under 18	0.36	0.60	0.74
18	0.08	2.24	0.22
19-24	0.24	1.29	0.64
25-29	0.25	1.27	0.55
30-34	0.20	1.09	0.46
35-54	0.35	0.58	0.73
55-64	0.25	0.79	0.40
Sex			
Male	0.29	0.56	0.65
Female	0.29	0.50	0.65
Race/ethnicity			
Total hispanic	0.59	1.18	1.25
Total black	0.56	1.06	0.89
Total white	0.80	0.52	1.43
Total other	0.39	1.92	0.60
Hispanic male	0.30	1.40	0.69
Black male	0.28	1.37	0.54
White male	0.50	0.61	0.93
Other male	0.20	2.32	0.35
Hispanic female	0.31	1.27	0.68

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Black female	0.31	1.13	0.47
White female	0.45	0.54	0.85
Other female	0.21	2.08	0.34
Marital status^c			
Married	0.37	0.51	0.71
Widowed	0.08	2.25	0.19
Divorced	0.23	1.18	0.53
Separated	0.11	2.36	0.29
Never married	0.42	0.87	0.93
Census region			
Northeast	0.71	0.91	0.94
Midwest	0.84	0.73	1.10
South	0.99	0.98	1.70
West	1.06	1.03	1.34
Perceived health status			
Excellent	0.57	0.58	0.96
Very good	0.50	0.67	0.96
Good	0.40	0.75	0.73
Fair	0.19	1.17	0.45
Poor	0.11	1.89	0.24

^a Total includes persons with unknown perceived health status and marital status.

^bNot applicable.

^c For individuals age 16 and over.

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