

Table 1. Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population: Percent by type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2006

Population characteristics	Total population (in thousands)	Private	Public only	Uninsured
		Percent distribution		
Total ^a	292,947	63.0	19.8	17.2
Total under age 65 ^a	257,443	65.0	15.6	19.4
Age in years				
Under 4	16,100	53.5	39.9	6.5
4-6	11,914	57.1	32.5	10.4
7-12	24,380	58.5	29.8	11.8
13-17	21,483	59.8	26.4	13.8
Total under 18	73,878	57.6	31.4	11.0
18	3,837	59.8	20.7	19.5
19-24	24,205	53.8	11.4	34.9
25-29	19,826	60.6	9.3	30.0
30-34	18,916	65.9	6.9	27.2
35-54	85,727	72.4	8.1	19.5
55-64	31,054	73.4	10.5	16.0
18-64 years	183,565	67.9	9.2	22.8
65 and over	35,505	49.2	49.9	0.9
Employment status^b				
Employed	144,998	75.1	5.7	19.2
Not employed	81,908	47.1	34.6	18.3
Sex				
Male	143,393	63.4	17.4	19.2
Female	149,555	62.7	22.0	15.3
Race/ethnicity				
Total Hispanic or Latino	43,077	37.7	28.1	34.3
Total black, single race	35,540	49.3	30.9	19.9
Total white, single race	193,917	71.3	15.9	12.8
Total Asian/Pacific Islander, single race	13,477	67.3	15.4	17.3
Total other races/multiple races	6,937	51.5	27.8	20.7

Race/ethnicity and Sex

Hispanic or Latino Male	22,102	37.9	24.6	37.4
Black Male, single race	16,511	49.3	27.4	23.3
White Male, single race	95,189	71.8	14.0	14.2
Asian/Pacific Islander male, single race	6,455	68.5	13.3	18.2
Other races/multiple race male	3,136	51.6	25.6	22.7
Hispanic or Latino Female	20,975	37.4	31.7	30.9
Black Female, single race	19,029	49.2	33.9	16.9
White Female, single race	98,728	70.9	17.7	11.4
Asian/Pacific Islander female, single race	7,022	66.3	17.3	16.4
Other races/multiple race female	3,801	51.4	29.6	19.0

Marital status^b

Married	120,847	74.0	11.8	14.3
Widowed	14,509	44.7	49.5	5.7
Divorced	24,574	57.6	18.7	23.8
Separated	4,782	44.7	24.5	30.8
Never married	63,292	56.1	15.2	28.7

Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)

MSA	244,370	64.0	18.9	17.1
Non-MSA	48,578	58.2	24.1	17.7

Census region

Northeast	54,178	68.6	17.6	13.8
Midwest	64,867	71.2	16.5	12.3
South	106,015	58.6	21.1	20.3
West	67,886	57.7	22.5	19.8

^a Includes persons with unknown employment status and marital status.

^b For individuals age 16 and over.

Note: Percents may not add to 100 because of rounding

Source: Center for Financing, Access, and Cost Trends, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: Medical Expenditure Panel Survey Household Component, 2006

Table A. Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population: Standard errors by type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2006
Corresponds to Table 1

	Private	Public only	Uninsured
Population characteristics	Standard error		
Total ^a	0.62	0.43	0.38
Total under age 65 ^a	0.66	0.43	0.43
Age in years			
Under 4	1.61	1.55	0.61
4-6	1.81	1.57	0.97
7-12	1.38	1.17	0.79
13-17	1.36	1.12	0.94
Total under 18	1.04	0.89	0.53
18	2.59	2.19	1.94
19-24	1.39	0.72	1.27
25-29	1.45	0.80	1.43
30-34	1.44	0.65	1.31
35-54	0.69	0.37	0.61
55-64	1.02	0.63	0.79
18-64 years	0.57	0.32	0.48
65 and over	1.32	1.29	0.17
Employment status^b			
Employed	0.51	0.25	0.48
Not employed	0.84	0.77	0.54
Sex			
Male	0.66	0.44	0.45
Female	0.65	0.52	0.41
Race ethnicity			
Total Hispanic or Latino	1.27	1.01	0.92
Total black, single race	1.04	1.02	0.81
Total white, single race	0.69	0.50	0.40
Total Asian/Pacific Islander, single race	2.47	1.48	1.97
Total other races/multiple races	2.57	2.35	2.08

Race ethnicity and Sex

Hispanic or Latino Male	1.38	0.97	1.14
Black Male, single race	1.29	1.14	1.17
White Male, single race	0.74	0.51	0.52
Asian/Pacific Islander male, single race	2.56	1.52	2.07
Other races/multiple race male	3.09	2.54	2.96
Hispanic or Latino Female	1.39	1.36	1.09
Black Female, single race	1.28	1.20	0.82
White Female, single race	0.75	0.59	0.43
Asian/Pacific Islander female, single race	2.76	1.78	2.24
Other races/multiple race female	3.06	3.01	2.29

Marital status^b

Married	0.60	0.45	0.46
Widowed	1.61	1.56	0.63
Divorced	1.11	0.86	0.95
Separated	2.81	1.92	2.37
Never married	0.94	0.54	0.77

Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)

MSA	0.71	0.47	0.44
Non-MSA	1.57	1.25	0.91

Census region

Northeast	1.47	1.23	0.72
Midwest	1.16	0.91	0.71
South	0.98	0.62	0.66
West	1.26	0.88	0.83

^a Includes persons with unknown employment status and marital status.

^b For individuals age 16 and over.

Source: Center for Financing, Access, and Cost Trends, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: Medical Expenditure Panel Survey Household Component, 2006