Table 2. Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population under age 65: Percent by type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2006

		Private	Public only	Uninsured	
Population characteristics	Total population (in thousands)	,	Percent distribution		
Total ^a	257,443	65.0	15.6	19.4	
Employment status ^b					
Employed	139,337	75.6	4.4	20.0	
Not employed	52,178	47.3	24.6	28.1	
Sex					
Male	128,208	64.6	14.0	21.4	
Female	129,235	65.3	17.2	17.5	
Race/ethnicity					
Total Hispanic or Latino	40,762	38.7	25.4	35.9	
Total black, single race	32,592	50.9	27.5	21.6	
Total white, single race	165,292	74.3	10.8	15.0	
Total Asian/Pacific Islander, single race	12,306	70.6	11.2	18.2	
Total other races/multiple races	6,491	52.7	25.2	22.0	
Race/ethnicity and Sex					
Hispanic or Latino Male	21,116	38.4	22.6	39.0	
Black Male, single race	15,369	50.1	24.9	25.0	
White Male, single race	82,800	74.0	9.7	16.3	
Asian/Pacific Islander male, single race	5,974	70.7	10.3	18.9	
Other races/multiple race male	2,950	52.9	22.9	24.2	
Hispanic or Latino Female	19,646	39.1	28.4	32.5	
Black Female, single race	17,223	51.6	29.9	18.6	
White Female, single race	82,493	74.5	11.9	13.6	
Asian/Pacific Islander female, single race	6,332	70.5	11.9	17.6	
Other races/multiple race female	3,541	52.6	27.1	20.3	

Marital status^b

Married	101,576	77.3	5.9	16.8
Widowed	3,289	59.3	19.0	21.7
Divorced	21,136	60.3	12.3	27.4
Separated	4,410	45.7	21.0	33.3
Never married	62,092	56.4	14.4	29.2
Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)				
MSA	216,239	65.9	15.0	19.2
Non-MSA	41,203	60.2	19.0	20.9
Census region				
Northeast	47,149	70.7	13.6	15.7
Midwest	56,998	73.2	12.9	13.9
South	92,901	60.2	16.7	23.1
West	60,394	60.0	18.0	22.0

^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 B. Health insurance coverage of the civilian noninstitutionalized population under age 65: Standard errorsby type of coverage and selected population characteristics, United States, first half of 2006Corresponds to Table 2

	Private	Public only	Uninsured	
Population characteristics		Standard error		
Total ^a	0.66	0.43	0.43	
Employment status ^b				
Employed	0.54	0.24	0.49	
Not employed	0.98	0.79	0.75	
Sex				
Male	0.71	0.44	0.51	
Female	0.70	0.52	0.46	
Race/ethnicity				
Total Hispanic or Latino	1.31	1.04	0.96	
Total black, single race	1.06	1.01	0.88	
Total white, single race	0.73	0.48	0.47	
Total Asian/Pacific Islander, single race	2.60	1.37	2.14	
Total other races/multiple races	2.73	2.56	2.25	
Race/ethnicity and Sex				
Hispanic or Latino Male	1.42	1.00	1.18	
Black Male, single race	1.36	1.08	1.26	
White Male, single race	0.79	0.49	0.61	
Asian/Pacific Islander male, single race	2.75	1.43	2.21	
Other races/multiple race male	3.26	2.63	3.16	
Hispanic or Latino Female	1.46	1.37	1.14	
Black Female, single race	1.34	1.25	0.90	
White Female, single race	0.80	0.58	0.52	
Asian/Pacific Islander female, single race	2.86	1.72	2.49	
Other races/multiple race female	3.28	3.28	2.46	

Marital status ^b			
Married	0.59	0.32	0.54
Widowed	2.61	2.20	2.31
Divorced	1.18	0.75	1.09
Separated	2.85	1.89	2.42
Never married	0.95	0.52	0.78
Metropolitan statistical area (MSA)			
MSA	0.75	0.46	0.49
Non-MSA	1.62	1.25	1.08
Census region			
Northeast	1.49	1.24	0.83
Midwest	1.27	0.94	0.82
South	1.05	0.58	0.73
West	1.40	0.92	0.93

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

^b For individuals age 16 and over.

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