

Table 1. Health insurance coverage status, coverage type, and selected characteristics, for persons of all ages, January-June 2011

Selected Characteristic	Health insurance coverage status and type				
	Total	Private <sup>1</sup>	Medicaid/CHIP <sup>2</sup>	Medicare	Uninsured <sup>3</sup>
	Number of persons in millions	Percent (standard error) of persons			
	305.2	60.5 (0.60)	16.3 (0.40)	14.3 (0.29)	15.3 (0.33)
	Percent distribution of characteristic (standard error)				
Sex					
Male	49.1 (0.18)	48.9 (0.23)	45.0 (0.54)	44.1 (0.56)	55.0 (0.48)
Female	50.9 (0.18)	51.1 (0.23)	55.0 (0.54)	55.9 (0.56)	45.0 (0.48)
Poverty status <sup>4</sup>					
Poor	15.2 (0.43)	4.5 (0.29)	46.6 (1.11)	12.3 (0.61)	25.6 (0.91)
Near poor	18.9 (0.43)	10.6 (0.38)	33.3 (0.99)	23.0 (0.72)	34.0 (0.94)
Not poor	65.8 (0.64)	84.9 (0.49)	20.1 (0.77)	64.7 (1.01)	40.4 (1.02)
Race/ethnicity					
Hispanic	16.4 (0.69)	9.7 (0.44)	28.4 (1.33)	7.4 (0.57)	31.3 (1.41)
Non-Hispanic					
White, single race	64.4 (0.75)	74.3 (0.63)	42.9 (1.27)	78.0 (0.87)	47.5 (1.32)
Black, single race	12.1 (0.47)	9.2 (0.39)	20.9 (1.04)	10.0 (0.62)	13.3 (0.81)
Other races and multiple races	7.2 (0.30)	6.8 (0.34)	7.8 (0.63)	4.6 (0.41)	7.8 (0.61)
Current health status					
Excellent or very good	65.1 (0.44)	71.9 (0.47)	58.9 (0.88)	37.5 (0.84)	57.4 (0.86)
Good	24.4 (0.33)	21.5 (0.37)	25.6 (0.74)	33.2 (0.65)	31.0 (0.74)
Fair or poor	10.5 (0.23)	6.7 (0.21)	15.4 (0.56)	29.2 (0.73)	11.6 (0.46)
Place of residence <sup>5</sup>					
Large MSA	53.9 (1.43)	54.9 (1.55)	50.9 (1.83)	46.9 (1.70)	54.2 (1.70)
Small MSA	29.8 (1.44)	30.2 (1.53)	29.6 (1.91)	30.7 (1.69)	27.9 (1.67)
Not in MSA	16.3 (0.86)	14.9 (0.88)	19.5 (1.35)	22.4 (1.32)	17.9 (1.19)

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Table 2. Health insurance coverage status, coverage type, and selected characteristics, for persons aged 0-18, January-June 2011.

Selected Characteristic	Total	Health insurance coverage status and type			
		Private <sup>1</sup>	Medicaid/CHIP <sup>2</sup>	Medicare	Uninsured <sup>3</sup>
	Number of persons in millions	Percent (standard error) of persons			
	78.7	54.4 (0.96)	36.2 (0.92)	0.4 (0.10)	7.6 (0.36)
	Percent distribution of characteristic (standard error)				
Sex					
Male	51.2 (0.45)	51.0 (0.62)	51.0 (0.73)	49.2 (6.16)	53.2 (1.71)
Female	48.8 (0.45)	49.0 (0.62)	49.0 (0.73)	50.8 (6.16)	46.8 (1.71)
Poverty status					
Poor	21.2 (0.73)	4.0 (0.41)	47.1 (1.29)	47.2 (10.37)	23.8 (2.07)
Near poor	22.8 (0.70)	12.5 (0.73)	36.2 (1.20)	†	39.3 (2.62)
Not poor	56.0 (0.96)	83.4 (0.81)	16.6 (0.82)	*41.4 (12.55)	36.9 (2.61)
Race/ethnicity					
Hispanic	23.2 (0.98)	12.7 (0.66)	34.7 (1.64)	44.6 (8.20)	39.8 (2.55)
Non-Hispanic					
White, single race	54.4 (1.01)	69.6 (0.91)	36.8 (1.48)	*23.9 (7.99)	37.5 (2.88)
Black, single race	13.8 (0.65)	9.1 (0.55)	20.9 (1.27)	*21.0 (8.07)	11.3 (1.53)
Other races and multiple races	8.6 (0.45)	8.6 (0.56)	7.5 (0.66)	†	11.5 (1.88)
Current health status					
Excellent or very good	82.1 (0.54)	88.9 (0.52)	73.3 (1.01)	78.3 (8.37)	75.4 (2.05)
Good	15.8 (0.52)	10.2 (0.50)	23.0 (0.95)	†	21.6 (1.86)
Fair or poor	2.1 (0.16)	0.9 (0.12)	3.7 (0.34)	†	3.1 (0.90)
Place of residence					
Large MSA	54.5 (1.52)	56.9 (1.78)	50.6 (1.95)	68.6 (12.72)	54.9 (2.79)
Small MSA	29.8 (1.53)	30.0 (1.72)	30.1 (1.98)	†	24.8 (2.65)
Not in MSA	15.7 (0.96)	13.1 (1.01)	19.3 (1.47)	†	20.2 (2.26)

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Table 3. Health insurance coverage status, coverage type, and selected characteristics, for persons aged 19-64, January-June 2011.

Selected Characteristic	Total	Health insurance coverage status and type			
		Private <sup>1</sup>	Medicaid/CHIP <sup>2</sup>	Medicare	Uninsured <sup>3</sup>
	Number of persons in millions	Percent (standard error) of persons			
	187.0	64.4 (0.57)	9.7 (0.28)	3.3 (0.13)	21.5 (0.45)
	Percent distribution of characteristic (standard error)				
Sex					
Male	49.3 (0.21)	49.0 (0.27)	36.9 (0.94)	46.9 (1.72)	55.3 (0.51)
Female	50.7 (0.21)	51.0 (0.27)	63.1 (0.94)	53.1 (1.72)	44.7 (0.51)
Poverty status <sup>4</sup>					
Poor	14.0 (0.43)	4.8 (0.38)	46.9 (1.36)	28.1 (1.70)	25.9 (0.91)
Near poor	16.9 (0.42)	9.1 (0.34)	29.2 (1.14)	33.6 (1.84)	33.4 (0.91)
Not poor	69.1 (0.64)	86.1 (0.54)	23.9 (1.14)	38.3 (1.92)	40.7 (1.00)
Race/ethnicity					
Hispanic	15.4 (0.65)	9.7 (0.45)	20.2 (1.14)	10.4 (1.04)	30.1 (1.39)
Non-Hispanic					
White, single race	65.4 (0.74)	73.8 (0.67)	50.4 (1.45)	63.8 (1.84)	49.1 (1.25)
Black, single race	12.2 (0.46)	9.7 (0.40)	21.3 (1.10)	20.5 (1.51)	13.7 (0.81)
Other races and multiple races	7.0 (0.29)	6.8 (0.34)	8.1 (0.81)	5.3 (0.79)	7.2 (0.49)
Current health status					
Excellent or very good	62.9 (0.49)	70.4 (0.53)	42.4 (1.14)	14.2 (1.25)	54.8 (0.89)
Good	26.1 (0.35)	23.2 (0.43)	28.7 (0.94)	27.9 (1.71)	32.4 (0.77)
Fair or poor	11.1 (0.28)	6.4 (0.23)	28.9 (1.06)	57.9 (1.82)	12.7 (0.52)
Place of residence <sup>5</sup>					
Large MSA	54.8 (1.45)	56.0 (1.55)	51.1 (2.02)	43.9 (2.45)	53.9 (1.69)
Small MSA	29.6 (1.45)	29.9 (1.54)	29.4 (2.12)	30.2 (2.32)	28.4 (1.65)
Not in MSA	15.6 (0.82)	14.1 (0.84)	19.4 (1.49)	25.9 (2.08)	17.7 (1.17)

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Table 4. Health insurance coverage status, coverage type, and selected characteristics, for persons aged 65 and over, January-June 2011.

Selected Characteristic	Total	Health insurance coverage status and type			
		Private <sup>1</sup>	Medicaid/CHIP <sup>2</sup>	Medicare	Uninsured <sup>3</sup>
	Number of persons in millions	Percent (standard error) of persons			
	39.4	54.7 (0.94)	8.0 (0.44)	93.8 (0.39)	1.0 (0.14)
	Percent distribution of characteristic (standard error)				
Sex					
Male	43.9 (0.55)	44.8 (0.68)	36.7 (1.90)	43.6 (0.59)	51.1 (5.78)
Female	56.1 (0.55)	55.2 (0.68)	63.3 (1.90)	56.4 (0.59)	48.9 (5.78)
Poverty status <sup>4</sup>					
Poor	9.4 (0.51)	3.1 (0.41)	40.6 (2.49)	9.1 (0.52)	*18.3 (5.59)
Near poor	20.8 (0.71)	15.7 (0.90)	30.4 (2.24)	21.3 (0.74)	20.3 (6.03)
Not poor	69.8 (0.97)	81.2 (1.09)	28.9 (2.52)	69.6 (1.00)	61.4 (7.38)
Race/ethnicity					
Hispanic	7.3 (0.61)	3.7 (0.42)	18.4 (2.59)	6.6 (0.57)	31.2 (6.39)
Non-Hispanic					
White, single race	79.3 (0.89)	86.9 (0.80)	54.7 (3.00)	80.8 (0.86)	36.5 (7.14)
Black, single race	8.4 (0.59)	6.2 (0.57)	17.9 (1.98)	8.1 (0.58)	*12.2 (3.95)
Other races and multiple races	5.0 (0.40)	3.2 (0.36)	9.0 (1.51)	4.5 (0.43)	20.1 (5.49)
Current health status					
Excellent or very good	41.5 (0.85)	46.4 (1.06)	23.0 (2.04)	41.1 (0.86)	41.7 (6.42)
Good	34.1 (0.71)	34.0 (0.92)	31.9 (2.22)	34.3 (0.73)	30.0 (6.21)
Fair or poor	24.4 (0.72)	19.6 (0.95)	45.1 (2.49)	24.6 (0.71)	28.3 (5.66)
Place of residence <sup>5</sup>					
Large MSA	48.2 (1.73)	44.8 (1.93)	51.6 (3.02)	47.2 (1.75)	65.7 (6.73)
Small MSA	30.6 (1.72)	32.1 (1.93)	26.8 (2.97)	30.9 (1.74)	23.7 (6.07)
Not in MSA	21.2 (1.28)	23.1 (1.58)	21.6 (2.48)	21.9 (1.34)	†

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