

Table II. B. 2. a(1999) Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1999 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	78.5%	80.6%	79.0%	77.9%	76.4%	79.1%	79.1%	78.4%
New England:								
Maine	77.0%	66.1%	79.2%	79.5%	79.2%	76.5%	74.3%	78.0%
Massachusetts	77.2%	84.9%	71.8%	78.1%	78.9%	75.4%	79.3%	76.5%
Connecticut	81.2%	82.5%	72.4%	84.6%	72.0%	84.2%	79.4%	81.8%
Rhode Island	77.5%	88.0%	85.6%	69.4%	74.4%	75.5%	83.6%	74.1%
Vermont	78.3%	79.4%	72.7%	73.3%	81.5%	80.0%	74.8%	80.8%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	79.1%	83.8%	79.7%	79.8%	82.3%	76.5%	79.8%	78.8%
New Jersey	76.3%	85.6%	77.0%	79.0%	70.8%	76.4%	80.7%	75.1%
Pennsylvania	81.0%	81.5%	79.3%	78.8%	77.1%	83.3%	79.6%	81.4%
East North Central:								
Ohio	80.3%	82.2%	78.3%	83.5%	74.0%	81.8%	81.0%	80.1%
Indiana	78.1%	80.4%	81.0%	74.4%	76.0%	79.0%	79.1%	77.8%
Illinois	79.3%	81.7%	82.5%	83.4%	77.3%	78.2%	81.7%	78.7%
Michigan	80.5%	76.6%	67.6%	77.6%	83.2%	83.1%	73.7%	82.7%
Wisconsin	76.1%	75.0%	78.0%	76.6%	66.9%	80.6%	76.9%	75.8%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	74.9%	76.3%	72.0%	67.1%	69.5%	81.3%	71.5%	75.8%
Iowa	77.9%	78.9%	81.6%	76.4%	69.4%	81.5%	79.2%	77.6%
Missouri	77.7%	73.8%	80.1%	73.3%	76.8%	79.4%	77.2%	77.7%
Nebraska	75.6%	70.9%	67.5%	68.3%	74.1%	79.9%	71.4%	76.8%
Kansas	76.3%	77.4%	77.0%	73.1%	75.5%	77.3%	78.2%	75.7%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	79.0%	82.2%	79.5%	79.4%	73.5%	80.0%	80.2%	78.5%
Virginia	80.2%	80.0%	75.3%	80.4%	78.6%	81.6%	75.9%	81.3%
North Carolina	77.9%	76.3%	85.6%	79.4%	78.3%	76.4%	80.8%	77.1%
South Carolina	80.6%	80.3%	72.8%	75.0%	78.1%	84.0%	73.9%	82.3%
Georgia	78.1%	81.2%	82.3%	88.0%	76.6%	75.5%	82.7%	77.2%
Florida	78.0%	87.4%	82.0%	76.5%	66.3%	80.6%	82.0%	76.9%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	76.7%	71.5%	78.8%	74.5%	85.6%	73.9%	74.8%	77.2%
Tennessee	77.6%	91.4%	79.6%	79.5%	73.9%	76.9%	81.7%	76.7%
Alabama	81.7%	84.5%	81.5%	81.8%	78.8%	82.2%	81.5%	81.7%
Mississippi	75.3%	82.1%	85.0%	72.3%	75.8%	72.6%	81.6%	72.9%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	78.9%	67.7%	82.3%	72.6%	77.3%	81.5%	74.2%	79.9%
Louisiana	76.5%	82.8%	90.1%	71.6%	79.8%	73.6%	81.0%	75.1%
Oklahoma	76.8%	68.2%	86.9%	71.4%	81.7%	75.3%	75.0%	77.4%
Texas	77.9%	84.1%	81.7%	81.4%	72.8%	77.4%	83.3%	76.6%
Mountain:								
Colorado	75.5%	65.7%	66.9%	66.8%	77.8%	81.3%	66.5%	79.2%
Arizona	80.7%	80.9%	78.6%	75.0%	71.9%	84.2%	77.4%	81.6%
Nevada	75.8%	80.0%	83.4%	59.5%	84.3%	74.0%	69.4%	77.7%
Montana	74.9%	66.8%	79.3%	76.1%	73.1%	78.9%	73.6%	75.9%
Pacific:								
Washington	81.6%	81.7%	82.0%	81.5%	79.1%	82.4%	81.3%	81.7%
Oregon	80.7%	78.5%	86.4%	71.8%	85.2%	81.3%	77.2%	82.1%
California	78.3%	82.2%	81.3%	76.8%	79.2%	77.0%	81.3%	77.3%
Hawaii	81.4%	82.0%	81.8%	78.9%	81.3%	82.0%	81.6%	81.3%
States not shown separately	78.9%	75.4%	77.6%	76.2%	75.0%	82.3%	76.3%	79.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1999 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.  
 Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Table II. B. 2. a(1999) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance in establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State: United States, 1999 (40 States are shown separately)

Division and State	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	0.32%	1.14%	0.80%	0.88%	0.80%	0.44%	0.61%	0.41%
New England:								
Maine	1.29%	5.34%	5.01%	2.83%	3.73%	4.43%	4.11%	2.23%
Massachusetts	2.51%	2.26%	3.94%	2.32%	2.75%	4.98%	2.32%	3.01%
Connecticut	1.82%	2.78%	5.29%	3.60%	5.24%	2.66%	2.65%	1.93%
Rhode Island	2.24%	3.99%	9.27%	4.52%	3.72%	2.97%	2.93%	2.42%
Vermont	2.05%	3.10%	5.85%	4.57%	3.89%	4.93%	3.60%	3.36%
Middle Atlantic:								
New York	2.17%	2.48%	3.06%	5.79%	1.64%	3.41%	4.00%	2.84%
New Jersey	1.51%	2.66%	4.51%	5.51%	5.95%	2.65%	2.49%	2.01%
Pennsylvania	1.43%	2.16%	3.89%	3.49%	4.22%	1.29%	2.58%	1.54%
East North Central:								
Ohio	2.53%	2.79%	2.94%	2.65%	3.92%	2.42%	1.71%	2.73%
Indiana	3.14%	2.90%	4.23%	3.17%	2.41%	5.08%	2.84%	3.32%
Illinois	1.61%	3.10%	3.87%	2.11%	2.55%	2.75%	2.29%	2.13%
Michigan	1.71%	3.70%	5.80%	2.95%	6.31%	2.66%	3.17%	1.24%
Wisconsin	2.52%	2.96%	5.60%	3.14%	5.57%	3.66%	2.49%	3.10%
West North Central:								
Minnesota	1.85%	3.58%	6.06%	3.93%	2.93%	2.34%	3.02%	2.24%
Iowa	2.29%	3.91%	2.92%	3.15%	5.41%	2.47%	2.36%	2.48%
Missouri	2.03%	3.73%	3.62%	2.67%	4.40%	2.95%	2.52%	2.45%
Nebraska	2.38%	4.50%	6.24%	4.32%	4.11%	2.82%	2.84%	2.45%
Kansas	2.94%	3.68%	5.72%	3.68%	5.61%	4.62%	2.40%	3.40%
South Atlantic:								
Maryland	1.84%	2.13%	5.93%	5.43%	4.93%	2.49%	3.41%	1.83%
Virginia	1.46%	3.34%	3.61%	4.82%	3.06%	2.90%	2.34%	1.79%
North Carolina	2.18%	4.61%	5.12%	2.85%	3.61%	4.14%	1.08%	2.60%
South Carolina	2.40%	2.64%	7.88%	3.74%	4.94%	2.57%	3.96%	2.52%
Georgia	2.22%	4.30%	5.99%	4.42%	3.92%	2.74%	2.63%	2.51%
Florida	3.05%	2.78%	3.00%	4.75%	6.63%	2.48%	2.28%	3.67%
East South Central:								
Kentucky	2.20%	3.62%	9.32%	3.53%	2.06%	3.68%	2.44%	2.55%
Tennessee	2.21%	2.49%	6.61%	3.40%	1.65%	2.96%	2.87%	2.31%
Alabama	2.08%	3.33%	3.85%	6.28%	4.12%	3.00%	3.88%	2.04%
Mississippi	2.81%	3.18%	4.67%	6.63%	3.45%	4.60%	3.86%	3.49%
West South Central:								
Arkansas	1.97%	7.17%	3.73%	6.81%	2.39%	2.63%	4.18%	1.71%
Louisiana	1.40%	3.38%	5.29%	5.63%	3.20%	3.31%	3.70%	2.10%
Oklahoma	2.03%	5.94%	5.16%	7.00%	7.02%	4.35%	3.94%	3.52%
Texas	1.64%	4.42%	3.11%	3.07%	3.28%	2.62%	2.73%	2.05%
Mountain:								
Colorado	3.27%	8.47%	6.10%	7.71%	4.81%	2.74%	5.86%	3.15%
Arizona	1.98%	4.24%	5.08%	5.18%	4.31%	2.35%	3.71%	2.32%
Nevada	3.13%	1.82%	1.61%	5.72%	7.47%	4.21%	3.75%	4.60%
Montana	1.54%	6.27%	5.63%	3.01%	6.27%	5.03%	4.24%	1.82%
Pacific:								
Washington	1.64%	4.83%	4.43%	3.14%	8.02%	3.83%	2.27%	1.77%
Oregon	1.92%	5.47%	3.91%	4.27%	1.86%	3.05%	4.28%	2.50%
California	1.04%	2.06%	3.54%	2.53%	2.84%	2.21%	1.85%	1.59%
Hawaii	0.90%	2.40%	2.65%	3.83%	3.01%	1.17%	1.60%	1.14%
States not shown separately	1.94%	3.50%	4.03%	2.91%	3.50%	3.02%	2.74%	2.29%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1999 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.  
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