

Percentages of persons with health insurance coverage, by coverage type, and without health insurance coverage; by age group: United States, January-June 2010

Age group	Population in millions	Type of health insurance coverage			Uninsured ¹	
		Private ²	Medicaid/CHIP ³	Medicare	Percentage	Population in millions
		Percentage				
All ages	303.4	60.8	15.1	14.0	16.2	49.1
Under 19 years	78.8	54.4	34.4	0.2	8.8	7.0
19-64 years	186.1	64.9	8.5	3.1	22.4	41.8
65 years and over	38.5	54.1	7.8	94.4	1.0	0.4

¹A person was defined as uninsured if he or she did not have any private health insurance, Medicare, Medicaid, Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), state-sponsored or other government-sponsored health plan, or military plan. A person was also defined as uninsured if he or she had only Indian Health Service coverage or had only a private plan that paid for one type of service, such as accidents or dental care.

²"Private" health insurance coverage excludes plans that paid for only one type of service, such as accidents or dental care.

³ "Medicaid/CHIP" health insurance coverage also includes persons covered by other public programs.

NOTES: The Private, Medicaid/CHIP, and Medicare categories are not mutually exclusive, and a person may be counted in more than one category. These 2010 health insurance estimates are being released prior to final data editing and final weighting, to provide access to the most recent information from the National Health Interview Survey (NHIS). The resulting estimates for persons without health insurance are generally 0.1–0.3 percentage points lower than those based on the editing procedures used for the final data files. Occasionally, due to decisions made for the final data editing and weighting, estimates based on preliminary editing procedures may differ by more than 0.3 percentage points from estimates based on final files. The estimates for "Medicaid/CHIP" and "Medicare" are lower than estimates that will be produced from the final files.

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