

Monitoring Health Care Reform: Addressing Provisions of the Affordable Care Act on the National Health Interview Survey

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Affordable Care Act

- ❑ Provisions of the law will be enacted in stages
- ❑ Within the first year (enacted March 23,2010)
 - Upon Enactment – \$250 rebate to Medicare beneficiaries who reach the Part D coverage gap
 - April 1,2010 – State option to provide Medicaid coverage to childless adults with incomes up to 133% FPL created
 - July 1,2010 – Pre-existing condition insurance plans (High risk pools);Tax on indoor tanning services
 - September 23,2010 – Coverage of young adults up to age 26 on parents health policies; Individual and group plans prohibited from placing lifetime limits on the dollar value of coverage; Requirement of new plans to provide preventive care benefits

Affordable Care Act

- ❑ Provisions of the law will be enacted in stages (cont.)
- ❑ Year 2011 and beyond
 - January 1, 2011 – Closing Medicare RX Gap; Changes to FSAs and HSAs (over the counter medication reimbursement); Medicare preventive care benefits; Community Living Assistance Services and Support Act (CLASS Act)
 - January 1, 2012 – Reduction in rebates paid to Medicare Advantage Plans; Data collection to reduce health care disparities
 - January 1, 2013 – Flexible spending account limits; Creation of Consumer Operated and Oriented Plans (COOP); CHIP extended until 2015
 - January 1, 2014 – Expanded Medicaid coverage; Health insurance exchanges; Premium and cost sharing subsidies

2011 and 2012 NHIS Extended Health Insurance and Access and Utilization Questions

□ Access to care

- Medicaid expansion; Private health insurance for adult dependents; Changes in coverage; Preexisting conditions
- Coordination of care; Availability of providers; Emergency room (department) use

□ Affordability of care

- Premiums; Medical bills; Inability to pay; Financial barriers to care; Financial barriers in medication use

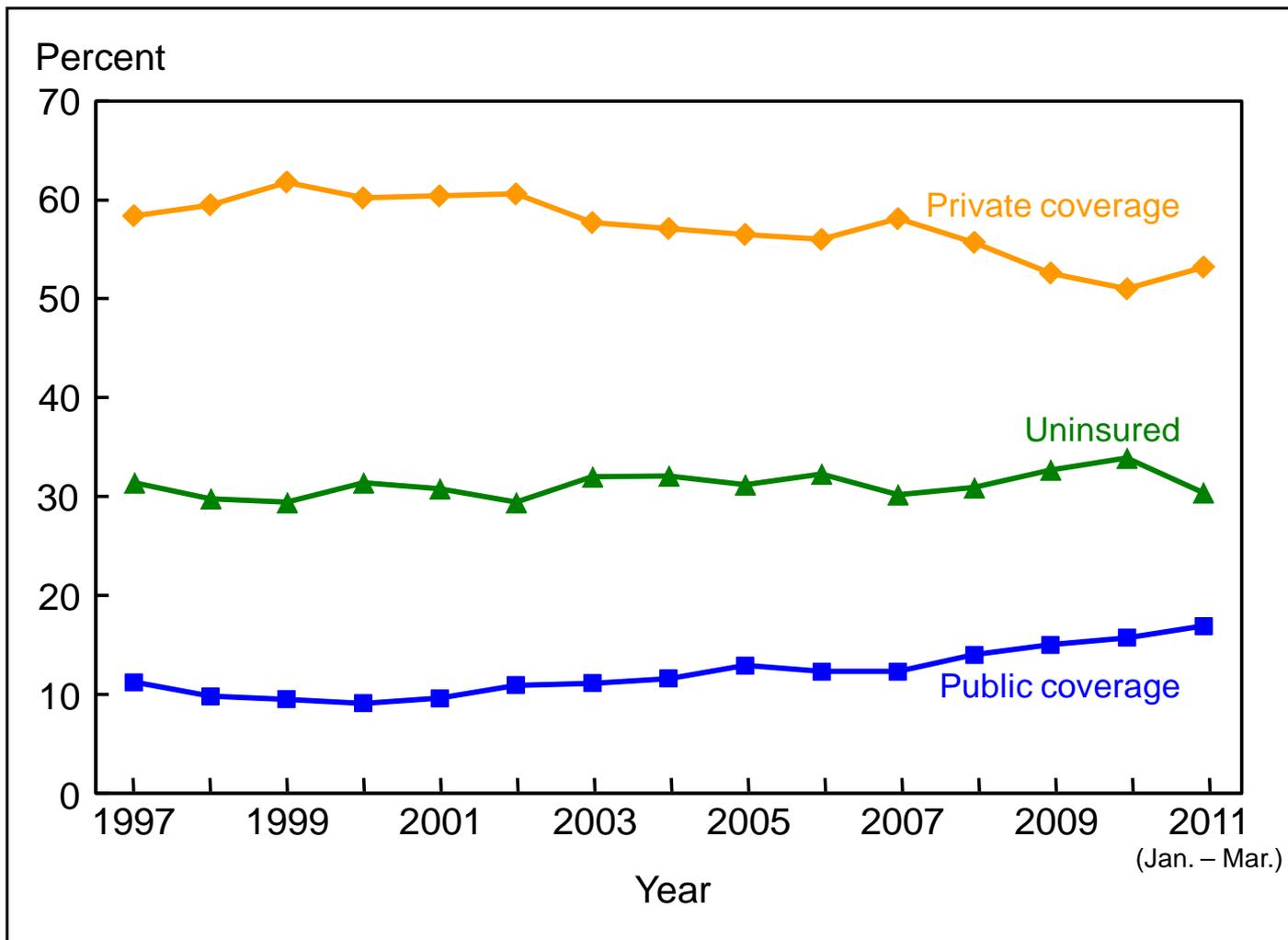
□ Comprehensiveness of care

- Immunizations; Well child visits; Preventive care

□ Other related topics

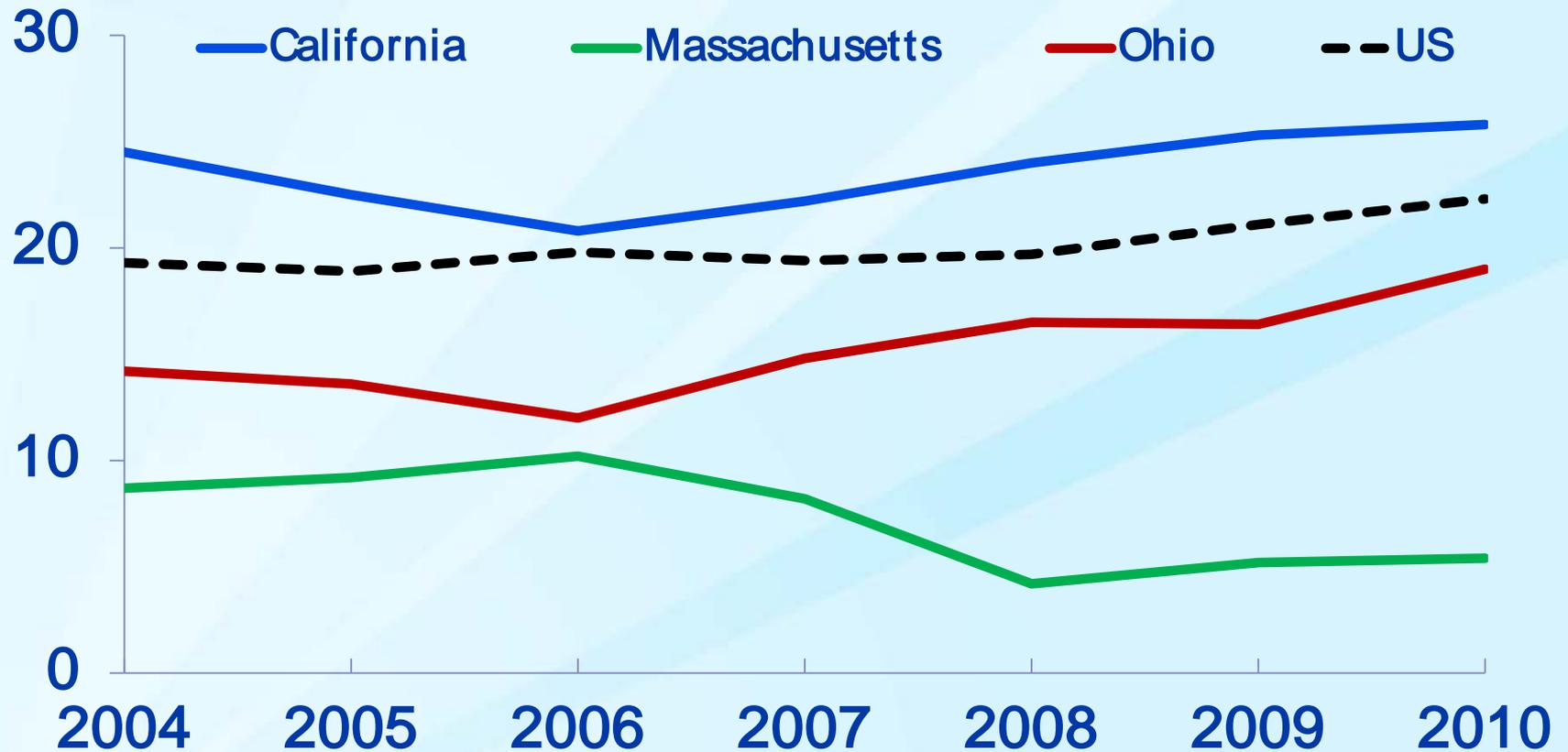
- Long term care; Health information technology use

Percentage of adults aged 19–25 with health insurance, by coverage type, and percentage uninsured at the time of interview: United States, 1997–March 2011



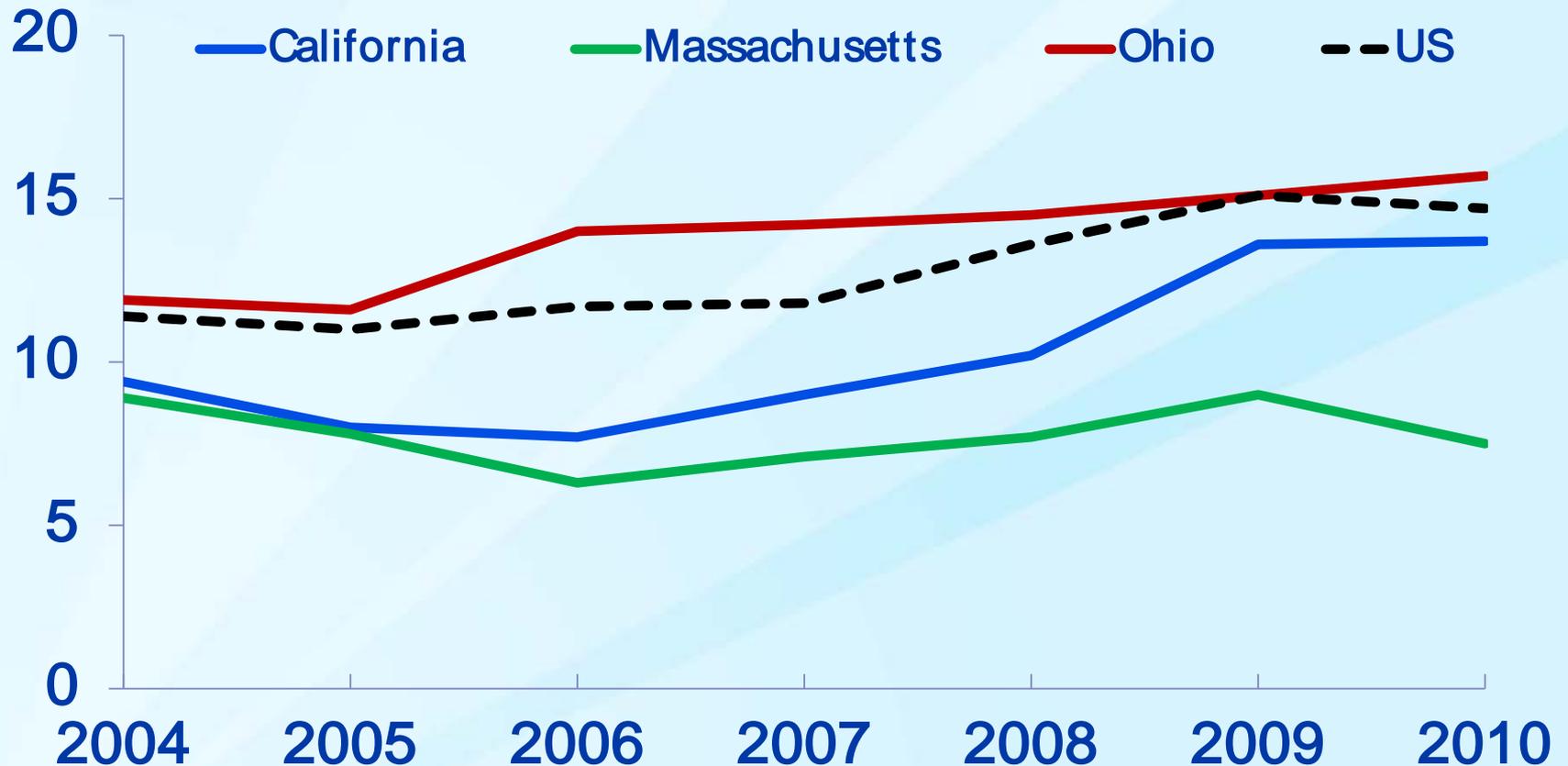
Source: CDC/NCHS National Health Interview Survey, 1997–March 2011

Percent of persons aged 18-64 who were uninsured, in the US and selected states, 2004-2010



Source: CDC/NCHS National Health Interview Survey, 2004-2010

Percent of persons age 18-64 who delayed or did not get needed medical care due to cost, in the US and selected states, 2004-2010



Source: CDC/NCHS National Health Interview Survey, 2004-2010