

Table HI-4. Health Insurance Coverage Status and Type of Coverage by State: All People, 1990 to 2004
(Numbers in thousands. People as of March of the following year)

State/year	Covered by private or government health insurance														Not covered	
	Private health insurance				Government health insurance											
	All people	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Employment-based		Medicaid		Medicare		Military health care 1/		Number	Percent	
United States:																
2004.....	291,155	245,335	84.3	198,262	68.1	174,174	59.8	37,514	12.9	39,745	13.7	10,680	3.7	45,820	15.7	
2003.....	288,280	243,320	84.4	197,869	68.6	174,020	60.4	35,647	12.4	39,456	13.7	9,979	3.5	44,961	15.6	
2002.....	285,933	242,360	84.8	198,973	69.6	175,296	61.3	33,246	11.6	38,448	13.4	10,063	3.5	43,574	15.2	
2001.....	282,082	240,875	85.4	199,860	70.9	176,551	62.6	31,601	11.2	38,043	13.5	9,552	3.4	41,207	14.6	
2000 9/.....	279,517	239,714	85.8	201,060	71.9	177,848	63.6	29,533	10.6	37,740	13.5	9,099	3.3	39,804	14.2	
2000 8/.....	276,540	237,857	86.0	200,249	72.4	177,286	64.1	28,613	10.3	37,028	13.4	8,334	3.0	38,683	14.0	
1999 7/.....	274,087	234,807	85.7	197,523	72.1	174,093	63.5	28,221	10.3	36,109	13.2	8,564	3.1	39,280	14.3	
1999.....	274,087	231,533	84.5	194,599	71.0	172,023	62.8	27,890	10.2	36,066	13.2	8,530	3.1	42,554	15.5	
1998.....	271,743	227,462	83.7	190,861	70.2	168,576	62.0	27,854	10.3	35,887	13.2	8,747	3.2	44,281	16.3	
1997 6/.....	269,094	225,646	83.9	188,532	70.1	165,091	61.4	28,956	10.8	35,590	13.2	8,527	3.2	43,448	16.1	
1996.....	266,792	225,077	84.4	187,395	70.2	163,221	61.2	31,451	11.8	35,227	13.2	8,712	3.3	41,716	15.6	
1995.....	264,314	223,733	84.6	185,881	70.3	161,453	61.1	31,877	12.1	34,655	13.1	9,375	3.5	40,582	15.4	
1994 5/.....	262,105	222,387	84.8	184,318	70.3	159,634	60.9	31,645	12.1	33,901	12.9	11,165	4.3	39,718	15.2	
1993 4/.....	259,753	220,040	84.7	182,351	70.2	148,318	57.1	31,749	12.2	33,097	12.7	9,560	3.7	39,713	15.3	
1992 3/.....	256,830	218,189	85.0	181,466	70.7	148,796	57.9	29,416	11.5	33,230	12.9	9,510	3.7	38,641	15.0	
1991.....	251,447	216,003	85.9	181,375	72.1	150,077	59.7	26,880	10.7	32,907	13.1	9,820	3.9	35,445	14.1	
1990.....	248,886	214,167	86.1	182,135	73.2	150,215	60.4	24,261	9.7	32,260	13.0	9,922	4.0	34,719	13.9	
New Jersey:																
2004.....	8,665	7,343	84.7	6,360	73.4	5,897	68.1	711	8.2	1,163	13.4	131	1.5	1,322	15.3	
2003.....	8,579	7,378	86.0	6,368	74.2	5,863	68.3	712	8.3	1,085	12.6	124	1.4	1,201	14.0	
2002.....	8,604	7,408	86.1	6,378	74.1	5,778	67.1	789	9.2	1,241	14.4	106	1.2	1,197	13.9	
2001.....	8,470	7,361	86.9	6,390	75.4	5,838	68.9	675	8.0	1,363	16.1	105	1.2	1,109	13.1	
2000 9/.....	8,393	7,372	87.8	6,538	77.9	5,971	71.1	628	7.5	1,246	14.8	119	1.4	1,021	12.2	
2000 8/.....	8,306	7,257	87.4	6,417	77.3	5,870	70.7	659	7.9	1,217	14.7	145	1.7	1,049	12.6	
1999 7/.....	8,104	7,143	88.1	6,287	77.6	5,672	70.0	615	7.6	1,097	13.5	71	0.9	961	11.9	
1999.....	8,104	7,015	86.6	6,171	76.1	5,571	68.7	604	7.5	1,089	13.4	69	0.8	1,090	13.4	
1998.....	8,092	6,763	83.6	5,990	74.0	5,331	65.9	499	6.2	933	11.5	94	1.2	1,329	16.4	
1997 6/.....	7,977	6,657	83.5	5,873	73.6	5,252	65.8	626	7.9	964	12.1	87	1.1	1,320	16.5	
1996.....	7,863	6,546	83.2	5,776	73.5	5,132	65.3	617	7.8	1,044	13.3	146	1.9	1,317	16.8	
1995.....	7,903	6,782	85.8	5,972	75.6	5,262	66.6	560	7.1	1,103	14.0	94	1.2	1,121	14.2	
1994 5/.....	7,929	6,895	87.0	6,006	75.7	5,318	67.1	680	8.6	1,013	12.8	115	1.4	1,034	13.0	
1993 4/.....	7,972	6,883	86.3	6,025	75.6	4,862	61.0	765	9.6	1,040	13.0	108	1.4	1,089	13.7	
1992 3/.....	7,806	6,771	86.7	5,930	76.0	5,032	64.5	606	7.8	1,034	13.2	123	1.6	1,035	13.3	
1991.....	7,738	6,901	89.2	6,168	79.7	5,360	69.3	567	7.3	1,027	13.3	104	1.3	838	10.8	
1990.....	7,747	6,974	90.0	6,212	80.2	5,233	67.6	572	7.4	1,025	13.2	86	1.1	773	10.0	

-- Represents zero or rounds to zero.

1/ Includes CHAMPUS (Comprehensive Health and Medical Plan for Uniformed Services)/Tricare, Veterans, and military health care.

3/ Implementation of 1990 census population controls.

4/ Data collection method changed from paper and pencil to computer-assisted interviewing.

5/ Health insurance questions were redesigned. Increases in estimates of employment-based and military health care coverage may be partially due to questionnaire changes. Overall coverage estimates were not affected.

6/ Beginning with the March 1998 CPS, people with no coverage other than access to Indian Health Service are no longer considered covered by health insurance; instead, they are considered to be uninsured. The effect of this change on the overall estimates of health insurance coverage is negligible; however, the decrease in the number of people covered by Medicaid may be partially due to this change.

7/ Estimates reflect the results of follow-up verification questions.

8/ Based on a November 2001 weighting correction.

9/ Implementation of Census 2000 based population controls. Sample expanded by 28,000 households.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, Annual Social & Economic Supplement, 2005.