

Table A-1.

Number of People by Type of Health Insurance Coverage by Age: 2016 and 2017

(Numbers in thousands, margins of error in thousands. Population as of March of the following year. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/cps/techdocs/cpsmar18.pdf)

Characteristic	Total		Any health insurance					Private health insurance ³					Government health insurance ⁴					Uninsured ⁵				
	2016	2017	2016		2017		Change (2017 less 2016) ^{1,*}	2016		2017		Change (2017 less 2016) ^{1,*}	2016		2017		Change (2017 less 2016) ^{1,*}	2016		2017		Change (2017 less 2016) ^{1,*}
	Number	Number	Number	Margin of error ² (±)	Number	Margin of error ² (±)		Number	Margin of error ² (±)	Number	Margin of error ² (±)		Number	Margin of error ² (±)	Number	Margin of error ² (±)		Number	Margin of error ² (±)	Number	Margin of error ² (±)	
Total	320,372	323,156	292,320	541	294,613	662	*2,293	216,203	1,145	217,007	1,158	804	119,361	1,018	121,965	1,086	*2,604	28,052	519	28,543	634	492
Age																						
Under age 65	271,098	272,076	243,645	582	244,211	664	566	190,198	1,051	190,882	1,064	684	73,220	991	74,082	1,042	862	27,453	508	27,865	612	412
Under age 18	74,047	73,963	70,123	246	70,033	267	-90	46,393	438	46,570	488	177	31,020	481	31,277	482	258	3,924	192	3,930	238	6
Aged 18 to 64	197,051	198,113	173,521	535	174,178	569	657	143,805	772	144,312	760	507	42,200	689	42,804	729	604	23,530	438	23,935	498	405
Under age 19 ⁶	78,150	78,106	73,948	240	73,884	295	-63	49,185	452	49,419	504	235	32,439	501	32,748	509	309	4,203	205	4,221	252	19
Aged 19 to 64	192,948	193,971	169,697	525	170,327	561	630	141,013	750	141,463	749	449	40,781	662	41,334	717	553	23,251	435	23,644	489	393
Aged 19 to 25 ⁷	29,815	29,922	25,917	274	25,727	298	-190	21,247	290	21,002	304	-244	6,898	263	6,994	260	96	3,898	179	4,195	204	*297
Aged 26 to 34	39,736	40,152	33,499	267	33,875	310	*376	27,692	313	28,047	329	355	8,097	258	8,154	295	57	6,237	224	6,277	229	40
Aged 35 to 44	40,046	40,659	34,794	197	35,253	198	*459	29,373	270	29,912	272	*540	7,728	228	7,825	240	97	5,252	192	5,407	199	154
Aged 45 to 64	83,351	83,237	75,487	342	75,472	330	-15	62,702	449	62,501	469	-201	18,058	408	18,361	421	303	7,863	257	7,765	282	-98
Aged 65 and older	49,274	51,080	48,675	225	50,402	209	*1,726	26,005	378	26,125	441	120	46,140	259	47,883	232	*1,743	598	69	678	71	80

* Changes between the estimates are statistically different from zero at the 90 percent confidence level.

¹ Details may not sum to totals because of rounding.

² A margin of error (MOE) is a measure of an estimate's variability. The larger the MOE in relation to the size of the estimate, the less reliable the estimate. This number, when added to and subtracted from the estimate, forms the 90 percent confidence interval.

MOEs shown in this table are based on standard errors calculated using replicate weights. For more information, see "Standard Errors and Their Use" at <www2.census.gov/library/publications/2018/demo/p60-264sa.pdf>.

³ Private health insurance includes coverage provided through an employer or union, coverage purchased directly by an individual from an insurance company, or coverage through someone outside the household.

⁴ Government health insurance coverage includes Medicaid, Medicare, TRICARE, CHAMPVA (Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Department of Veterans Affairs), and care provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs and the military.

⁵ Individuals are considered to be uninsured if they do not have health insurance coverage for the entire calendar year.

⁶ Children under the age of 19 are eligible for Medicaid/CHIP.

⁷ This age is of special interest because of the Affordable Care Act's dependent coverage provision. Individuals aged 19 to 25 may be eligible to be a dependent on a parent's health insurance plan.

Note: The estimates by type of coverage are not mutually exclusive; people can be covered by more than one type of health insurance during the year.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2017 and 2018 Annual Social and Economic Supplements.