

Appendix Table 4.

Number of People by Type of Health Insurance Coverage by Selected Demographic Characteristics: 2017 and 2018

(Numbers in thousands. Margins of errors in thousands. Population as of March of the following year. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see <<https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/cps/techdocs/cpsmar19.pdf>>)

Characteristic	Total																					
	2017	2018	Any health insurance										Uninsured ⁵									
			2017		2018		Change (2018 less 2017) ^{1,*}	Private health insurance ³				Public health insurance ⁴				2017		2018		Change (2018 less 2017) ^{1,*}		
	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 (±)	Number	Margin of error ² (±)		Number	Margin of error ² (±)
							2017													2018		
Total	322,490	323,668	296,890	622	296,206	641	-684	218,209	1,129	217,780	1,222	-430	112,151	928	111,330	962	-821	25,600	596	27,462	630	*1,862
Family Status																						
In families	260,958	261,336	241,786	998	240,796	1,017	-990	179,945	1,172	179,546	1,235	-399	86,957	933	85,995	1,009	-961	19,172	557	20,540	551	*1,368
Householder	83,539	83,508	77,427	465	77,131	475	-295	60,319	453	60,097	462	-222	28,865	411	28,723	368	-143	6,112	190	6,376	217	*265
Related children under age 18	71,971	71,750	68,509	283	67,976	297	*-533	44,479	486	44,514	522	35	26,520	459	25,553	509	*-967	3,462	220	3,774	209	*312
Related children under age 6	22,922	22,720	21,896	145	21,536	145	*-359	13,521	233	13,555	225	34	9,204	225	8,634	240	*-569	1,027	92	1,183	107	*157
In unrelated subfamilies	1,113	1,069	983	122	929	114	-54	591	90	534	81	-57	462	84	453	74	-9	131	31	141	38	10
Unrelated individuals	60,419	61,264	54,121	782	54,482	789	360	37,673	674	37,700	623	27	24,732	465	24,882	475	150	6,297	247	6,782	263	*485
Residence																						
Inside metropolitan statistical areas	279,458	281,369	257,348	2,610	257,764	2,584	416	191,153	2,205	191,539	2,141	386	93,824	1,411	93,410	1,507	-414	22,110	644	23,605	592	*1,495
Inside principal cities	103,823	104,716	93,869	1,877	94,638	1,825	770	65,315	1,540	66,355	1,484	1,040	37,078	948	36,919	905	-159	9,955	432	10,078	463	123
Outside principal cities	175,635	176,653	163,480	2,458	163,126	2,373	-354	125,838	2,039	125,185	1,934	-653	56,746	1,145	56,491	1,263	-255	12,155	467	13,527	446	*1,372
Outside metropolitan statistical areas ⁶	43,032	42,300	39,542	2,558	38,442	2,404	*-1,100	27,057	1,742	26,240	1,713	*-816	18,327	1,342	17,920	1,249	-406	3,490	314	3,857	397	*367
Race⁷ and Hispanic Origin																						
White	247,193	247,472	228,272	500	227,127	527	*-1,145	172,717	916	171,563	993	-1,154	84,311	744	83,728	821	-582	18,921	470	20,345	548	*1,423
White, not Hispanic	195,183	194,679	185,061	395	184,107	413	*-954	146,522	842	145,560	812	-962	65,000	678	64,676	676	-324	10,122	346	10,571	406	449
Black	42,461	42,758	38,525	212	38,618	212	93	23,575	435	23,705	466	130	17,779	397	17,598	401	-182	3,936	208	4,141	206	205
Asian	19,498	19,770	18,257	237	18,422	235	165	14,124	300	14,456	309	332	5,187	247	5,155	221	-32	1,241	130	1,348	125	107
Hispanic (any race)	59,033	59,925	49,469	363	49,236	352	-232	29,928	520	29,749	571	-179	22,113	398	21,871	469	-242	9,565	356	10,688	354	*1,124
Nativity																						
Native-born	277,057	277,848	259,349	819	259,061	802	-288	192,014	1,098	192,111	1,232	97	98,106	905	97,056	944	-1,050	17,708	482	18,787	521	*1,079
Foreign-born	45,433	45,820	37,541	641	37,145	603	-396	26,195	556	25,668	512	-527	14,045	401	14,274	404	229	7,892	325	8,675	325	*783
Naturalized citizen	21,880	22,296	20,162	466	20,340	436	178	14,300	409	14,275	372	-25	7,848	275	8,118	272	270	1,717	127	1,956	136	*239
Not a citizen	23,553	23,524	17,379	447	16,805	454	*-574	11,895	359	11,393	355	*-502	6,197	280	6,156	282	-41	6,174	279	6,719	295	*545

* 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 <<https://www2.census.gov/library/publications/2019/demo/p60-267sa.pdf>>.

³ Private health insurance includes coverage provided through an employer or union, coverage purchased directly, or TRICARE.

⁴ Public health insurance coverage includes Medicaid, Medicare, 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 The "Outside metropolitan statistical areas" category includes both micropolitan statistical areas and territory outside of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas. For more information, see "About Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas" at <www.census.gov/programs-surveys/metro-micro.html>.

⁷ Federal surveys now give respondents the option of reporting more than one race. Therefore, two basic ways of defining a race group are possible. A group, such as Asian, may be defined as those who reported Asian and no other race (the race-alone or single-race concept) or as those who reported Asian regardless of whether they also reported another race (the race-alone-or-in-combination concept). This table shows data using the first approach (race alone). The use of the single-race population does not imply that it is the preferred method of presenting or analyzing data. The Census Bureau uses a variety of approaches. Information on people who reported more than one race, such as White and American Indian and Alaska Native or Asian and Black or African American, is available from the 2010 Census through American FactFinder. About 2.9 percent of people reported more than one race in the 2010 Census. Data for American Indians and Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians and Other Pacific Islanders, and those reporting two or more races are not shown separately.

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, 2018 Annual Social and Economic Supplement Bridge File and 2019 Annual Social and Economic Supplement.