

Table C-8a. Age-adjusted percent distribution (with standard errors) of length of time since last contact with a doctor or other health care professional for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

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Total	100.0	76.2 (0.49)	16.3 (0.42)	4.6 (0.25)	0.9 (0.11)	1.9 (0.17)
Sex						
Male	100.0	76.0 (0.68)	16.2 (0.60)	4.8 (0.38)	1.0 (0.15)	2.0 (0.24)
Female	100.0	76.5 (0.68)	16.5 (0.57)	4.4 (0.33)	0.8 (0.15)	1.8 (0.22)
Age						
0-4 years	100.0	87.2 (0.72)	9.3 (0.60)	1.7 (0.27)	*0.1 (0.04)	1.8 (0.31)
5-11 years	100.0	73.0 (0.85)	19.1 (0.76)	5.3 (0.44)	0.8 (0.17)	1.9 (0.27)
12-17 years	100.0	71.3 (0.87)	18.7 (0.75)	6.2 (0.44)	1.8 (0.23)	2.0 (0.27)
Race						
One race ²	100.0	76.0 (0.50)	16.4 (0.43)	4.7 (0.26)	1.0 (0.11)	2.0 (0.17)
White	100.0	75.8 (0.57)	16.5 (0.49)	4.8 (0.29)	1.0 (0.13)	2.0 (0.20)
Black or African American	100.0	77.7 (1.15)	15.4 (0.99)	4.5 (0.65)	*0.8 (0.29)	1.7 (0.35)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	77.9 (3.28)	14.8 (2.39)	*3.5 (1.34)	*	*
Asian	100.0	74.7 (1.90)	18.1 (1.76)	4.5 (0.80)	*0.6 (0.32)	2.1 (0.58)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	77.6 (8.00)	*19.1 (8.00)	*	*	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	80.7 (1.87)	14.9 (1.67)	2.7 (0.64)	*	*1.4 (0.63)
Black or African American and white	100.0	83.2 (2.75)	12.9 (2.39)	*1.5 (0.68)	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	100.0	82.7 (3.71)	10.7 (3.08)	*4.7 (1.87)	-	*
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	71.1 (0.91)	18.4 (0.78)	5.1 (0.43)	1.4 (0.20)	4.0 (0.42)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	68.9 (1.13)	18.9 (0.96)	6.3 (0.58)	1.5 (0.27)	4.3 (0.53)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	77.8 (0.56)	15.7 (0.48)	4.5 (0.29)	0.8 (0.13)	1.3 (0.17)
White, single race	100.0	77.7 (0.69)	15.7 (0.60)	4.6 (0.36)	0.8 (0.16)	1.2 (0.20)
Black or African American only, single race	100.0	77.9 (1.19)	15.0 (1.01)	4.7 (0.69)	*0.8 (0.30)	1.6 (0.36)
Family structure ⁵						
Mother and father	100.0	76.5 (0.60)	16.7 (0.52)	4.3 (0.29)	0.8 (0.14)	1.7 (0.18)
Mother, no father	100.0	76.2 (0.88)	15.5 (0.72)	5.1 (0.54)	0.9 (0.19)	2.3 (0.34)
Father, no mother	100.0	71.9 (2.63)	15.4 (2.06)	7.4 (1.67)	3.0 (0.78)	*2.3 (0.83)
Neither mother nor father	100.0	75.5 (2.97)	15.7 (2.66)	4.6 (1.26)	*1.1 (0.49)	*
Parent's education ⁶						
Less than high school diploma	100.0	68.0 (1.48)	17.8 (1.14)	7.1 (0.78)	1.5 (0.31)	5.6 (0.75)
High school diploma or GED ⁷	100.0	73.2 (1.12)	17.6 (0.97)	5.6 (0.58)	1.5 (0.34)	2.1 (0.36)
More than high school	100.0	78.6 (0.58)	15.7 (0.50)	3.9 (0.28)	0.7 (0.12)	1.1 (0.15)
Family income ⁸						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	74.3 (0.88)	16.0 (0.73)	5.7 (0.45)	1.1 (0.18)	2.8 (0.32)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	77.2 (0.62)	16.4 (0.54)	4.2 (0.31)	0.8 (0.13)	1.5 (0.19)
\$35,000-\$49,999	100.0	73.7 (1.43)	15.8 (1.05)	6.2 (0.78)	*1.2 (0.37)	3.1 (0.69)
\$50,000-\$74,999	100.0	75.4 (1.27)	17.3 (1.24)	4.5 (0.61)	1.0 (0.28)	1.8 (0.38)
\$75,000-\$99,999	100.0	75.6 (1.47)	18.2 (1.27)	4.9 (0.75)	*0.6 (0.22)	*0.8 (0.30)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	80.8 (0.91)	15.1 (0.83)	2.7 (0.36)	*0.6 (0.22)	0.9 (0.20)

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Poverty status⁹						
Poor	100.0	74.0 (1.15)	16.6 (0.97)	5.8 (0.60)	0.9 (0.17)	2.8 (0.39)
Near poor	100.0	73.8 (1.10)	16.2 (0.90)	5.6 (0.51)	1.3 (0.29)	3.1 (0.48)
Not poor	100.0	78.6 (0.66)	16.0 (0.59)	3.8 (0.33)	0.8 (0.14)	0.9 (0.15)
Health insurance coverage¹⁰						
Private	100.0	78.1 (0.65)	16.7 (0.57)	3.7 (0.32)	0.6 (0.13)	0.9 (0.15)
Medicaid or other public	100.0	76.6 (0.81)	15.6 (0.70)	4.5 (0.40)	0.8 (0.16)	2.5 (0.29)
Other	100.0	82.8 (2.79)	11.7 (2.20)	*4.0 (1.45)	*	*1.2 (0.49)
Uninsured	100.0	55.8 (2.22)	20.1 (1.68)	13.3 (1.41)	4.0 (0.77)	6.8 (1.24)
Place of residence¹¹						
Large MSA	100.0	76.4 (0.67)	16.9 (0.56)	4.1 (0.33)	0.7 (0.12)	1.9 (0.21)
Small MSA	100.0	76.1 (0.85)	16.4 (0.72)	4.4 (0.41)	1.2 (0.26)	1.9 (0.28)
Not in MSA	100.0	75.8 (1.26)	13.9 (1.03)	6.9 (0.76)	1.2 (0.28)	2.2 (0.63)
Region						
Northeast	100.0	80.8 (1.21)	15.7 (1.12)	1.6 (0.31)	*	1.4 (0.32)
Midwest	100.0	75.7 (1.05)	16.4 (0.89)	4.8 (0.60)	1.1 (0.30)	1.9 (0.39)
South	100.0	76.2 (0.83)	16.3 (0.69)	4.6 (0.40)	1.0 (0.15)	2.0 (0.26)
West	100.0	73.8 (0.89)	16.6 (0.75)	6.5 (0.55)	0.9 (0.17)	2.1 (0.37)
Current health status						
Excellent or very good	100.0	75.9 (0.55)	16.5 (0.46)	4.7 (0.28)	1.0 (0.13)	1.8 (0.18)
Good	100.0	75.8 (1.21)	16.4 (1.05)	4.7 (0.58)	*0.4 (0.14)	2.7 (0.51)
Fair or poor	100.0	91.4 (2.74)	*6.9 (2.65)	*	-	*

* Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

- Quantity zero.

¹Based on the question, "About how long has it been since anyone in the family last saw or talked to a doctor or other health care professional about [child's name]'s health? Include doctors seen while [he/she] was a patient in a hospital."

²Refers to children with only a single race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

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⁴Refers to children who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to children who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

⁵Refers to parents living in the household. "Mother and father" can include biological, adoptive, step, in-law, or foster relationships. Legal guardians are classified in "Neither mother nor father."

⁶Refers to the education level of the parent with the higher level of education, regardless of that parent's age, provided the parent(s) live(s) in the household.

⁷GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

⁸Includes children in families that reported either dollar amounts or would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

⁹"Poor" children live in families defined as below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" children live in families with incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" children live in families with incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

¹⁰Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who 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.

¹¹MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Estimates are age adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using age groups 0-4 years, 5-11 years, and 12-17 years. Estimates for age groups are not age-adjusted. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

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Table C-8b. Frequency distribution (in thousands) of length of time since last contact with a doctor or other health care professional for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

Selected characteristic	All children under age 18 years	6 months or less ¹	More than 6 months but not more than 1 year ¹	More than 1 year but not more than 2 years ¹	More than 2 years but not more than 5 years ¹	More than 5 years or never ¹
Total	73,486	55,625	11,877	3,358	676	1,403
Sex						
Male	37,531	28,318	6,010	1,794	382	749
Female	35,955	27,307	5,866	1,564	293	654
Age						
0-4 years	19,878	17,239	1,838	332	*18	351
5-11 years	28,842	20,883	5,461	1,504	223	551
12-17 years	24,765	17,503	4,578	1,522	435	501
Race						
One race ²	70,098	52,883	11,380	3,270	666	1,357
White	54,682	41,122	8,934	2,603	545	1,089
Black or African American	10,847	8,369	1,643	475	*85	176
American Indian or Alaska Native	804	626	110	*24	*	*
Asian	3,638	2,681	657	165	*23	74
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	127	*85	*	*	*	*
Two or more races ³	3,388	2,742	497	87	*	*46
Black or African American and white	1,476	1,231	186	*20	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	592	485	63	*31	-	*
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	17,767	12,600	3,196	877	235	695
Mexican or Mexican American	12,289	8,463	2,277	749	179	525
Not Hispanic or Latino	55,718	43,025	8,681	2,480	441	707
White, single race	38,876	29,973	6,060	1,788	332	453
Black or African American only, single race	10,065	7,791	1,499	468	*79	156
Family structure ⁵						
Mother and father	51,392	39,240	8,415	2,172	404	880
Mother, no father	17,734	13,298	2,760	914	161	397
Father, no mother	2,320	1,598	368	171	84	*61
Neither mother nor father	2,040	1,489	335	100	*27	*
Parent's education ⁶						
Less than high school diploma	8,973	6,048	1,569	628	129	494
High school diploma or GED ⁷	13,090	9,536	2,264	719	197	278
More than high school	49,225	38,454	7,688	1,910	320	558
Family income ⁸						
Less than \$35,000	22,637	16,833	3,515	1,227	223	619
\$35,000 or more	47,116	36,121	7,700	1,980	384	694
\$35,000-\$49,999	8,763	6,428	1,377	539	107	263
\$50,000-\$74,999	11,838	8,888	2,034	525	118	208
\$75,000-\$99,999	9,009	6,789	1,625	434	*51	*70
\$100,000 or more	17,506	14,015	2,664	482	*108	153

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Poverty status⁹						
Poor	15,291	11,356	2,403	823	115	416
Near poor	14,761	10,824	2,386	815	193	454
Not poor	38,035	29,696	6,074	1,444	294	354
Health insurance coverage¹⁰						
Private	38,817	30,015	6,532	1,459	252	355
Medicaid or other public	27,750	21,287	4,138	1,162	194	686
Other	1,914	1,586	213	*70	*	*24
Uninsured	4,777	2,570	964	652	225	333
Place of residence¹¹						
Large MSA	39,379	29,843	6,603	1,602	262	738
Small MSA	23,271	17,614	3,777	1,016	281	429
Not in MSA	10,835	8,168	1,497	740	132	236
Region						
Northeast	11,547	9,196	1,797	178	*	155
Midwest	16,645	12,532	2,729	800	186	323
South	27,932	21,194	4,493	1,254	268	554
West	17,362	12,704	2,857	1,124	157	370
Current health status						
Excellent or very good	61,702	46,630	10,068	2,846	631	1,113
Good	10,232	7,620	1,707	493	*44	277
Fair or poor	1,542	1,365	*102	*	-	*

* Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

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⁷GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

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¹⁰Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who 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.

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NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Estimates of "All children under 18 years" in this table differ slightly from estimates of "All children under 18 years" in the other detailed tables that were based on the Person File and were weighted using the Person weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the frequencies, but they are included in the "All children under 18 years" column. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

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Table C-8c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of length of time since last contact with a doctor or other health care professional for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

Selected characteristic	All children under age 18 years	6 months or less ¹	More than 6 months but not more than 1 year ¹	More than 1 year but not more than 2 years ¹	More than 2 years but not more than 5 years ¹	More than 5 years or never ¹
Total	100.0	76.3 (0.50)	16.3 (0.42)	4.6 (0.25)	0.9 (0.11)	1.9 (0.17)
Sex						
Male	100.0	76.0 (0.70)	16.1 (0.60)	4.8 (0.38)	1.0 (0.15)	2.0 (0.24)
Female	100.0	76.5 (0.70)	16.4 (0.57)	4.4 (0.33)	0.8 (0.15)	1.8 (0.22)
Age						
0-4 years	100.0	87.2 (0.72)	9.3 (0.60)	1.7 (0.27)	*0.1 (0.04)	1.8 (0.31)
5-11 years	100.0	73.0 (0.85)	19.1 (0.76)	5.3 (0.44)	0.8 (0.17)	1.9 (0.27)
12-17 years	100.0	71.3 (0.87)	18.7 (0.75)	6.2 (0.44)	1.8 (0.23)	2.0 (0.27)
Race						
One race ²	100.0	76.0 (0.51)	16.4 (0.44)	4.7 (0.26)	1.0 (0.11)	2.0 (0.17)
White	100.0	75.7 (0.58)	16.5 (0.50)	4.8 (0.29)	1.0 (0.13)	2.0 (0.20)
Black or African American	100.0	77.9 (1.16)	15.3 (1.00)	4.4 (0.65)	*0.8 (0.29)	1.6 (0.34)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	79.5 (3.02)	14.0 (2.39)	*3.0 (1.17)	*	*
Asian	100.0	74.5 (1.95)	18.2 (1.78)	4.6 (0.82)	*0.6 (0.31)	2.1 (0.59)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	66.6 (13.86)	*28.6 (14.04)	*	*	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	81.1 (1.79)	14.7 (1.62)	2.6 (0.61)	*	*1.4 (0.60)
Black or African American and white	100.0	83.7 (2.61)	12.6 (2.33)	*1.4 (0.63)	*	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	100.0	82.0 (3.71)	10.7 (3.00)	*5.2 (2.06)	-	*
Hispanic or Latino origin⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	71.6 (0.93)	18.2 (0.78)	5.0 (0.42)	1.3 (0.20)	3.9 (0.42)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	69.4 (1.15)	18.7 (0.96)	6.1 (0.58)	1.5 (0.26)	4.3 (0.53)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	77.8 (0.58)	15.7 (0.49)	4.5 (0.30)	0.8 (0.13)	1.3 (0.17)
White, single race	100.0	77.6 (0.71)	15.7 (0.61)	4.6 (0.36)	0.9 (0.16)	1.2 (0.20)
Black or African American only, single race	100.0	78.0 (1.22)	15.0 (1.03)	4.7 (0.69)	*0.8 (0.30)	1.6 (0.36)
Family structure⁵						
Mother and father	100.0	76.8 (0.61)	16.5 (0.52)	4.3 (0.28)	0.8 (0.14)	1.7 (0.18)
Mother, no father	100.0	75.9 (0.89)	15.7 (0.73)	5.2 (0.54)	0.9 (0.20)	2.3 (0.33)
Father, no mother	100.0	70.1 (2.62)	16.1 (2.03)	7.5 (1.56)	3.7 (0.99)	*2.7 (1.02)
Neither mother nor father	100.0	73.9 (3.35)	16.6 (2.96)	5.0 (1.33)	*1.3 (0.59)	*
Parent's education⁶						
Less than high school diploma	100.0	68.2 (1.51)	17.7 (1.15)	7.1 (0.78)	1.5 (0.31)	5.6 (0.75)
High school diploma or GED ⁷	100.0	73.4 (1.12)	17.4 (0.97)	5.5 (0.56)	1.5 (0.33)	2.1 (0.37)
More than high school	100.0	78.6 (0.59)	15.7 (0.51)	3.9 (0.28)	0.7 (0.12)	1.1 (0.15)
Family income⁸						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	75.1 (0.88)	15.7 (0.73)	5.5 (0.44)	1.0 (0.16)	2.8 (0.32)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	77.1 (0.63)	16.4 (0.55)	4.2 (0.32)	0.8 (0.13)	1.5 (0.19)
\$35,000-\$49,999	100.0	73.8 (1.46)	15.8 (1.05)	6.2 (0.78)	1.2 (0.36)	3.0 (0.68)
\$50,000-\$74,999	100.0	75.5 (1.28)	17.3 (1.24)	4.5 (0.61)	1.0 (0.28)	1.8 (0.38)
\$75,000-\$99,999	100.0	75.7 (1.47)	18.1 (1.27)	4.8 (0.75)	*0.6 (0.22)	*0.8 (0.30)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	80.4 (0.93)	15.3 (0.84)	2.8 (0.37)	*0.6 (0.23)	0.9 (0.20)

Table C-8c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of length of time since last contact with a doctor or other health care professional for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

Selected characteristic	All children under age 18 years	6 months or less ¹	More than 6 months but not more than 1 year ¹	More than 1 year but not more than 2 years ¹	More than 2 years but not more than 5 years ¹	More than 5 years or never ¹
Poverty status⁹						
Poor	100.0	75.1 (1.13)	15.9 (0.94)	5.4 (0.58)	0.8 (0.15)	2.8 (0.41)
Near poor	100.0	73.8 (1.13)	16.3 (0.91)	5.6 (0.52)	1.3 (0.29)	3.1 (0.48)
Not poor	100.0	78.4 (0.67)	16.0 (0.59)	3.8 (0.33)	0.8 (0.14)	0.9 (0.15)
Health insurance coverage¹⁰						
Private	100.0	77.7 (0.66)	16.9 (0.59)	3.8 (0.33)	0.7 (0.14)	0.9 (0.15)
Medicaid or other public	100.0	77.5 (0.80)	15.1 (0.68)	4.2 (0.38)	0.7 (0.14)	2.5 (0.30)
Other	100.0	83.6 (2.71)	11.2 (2.10)	*3.7 (1.39)	*	*1.2 (0.50)
Uninsured	100.0	54.2 (2.14)	20.3 (1.63)	13.8 (1.34)	4.8 (0.89)	7.0 (1.22)
Place of residence¹¹						
Large MSA	100.0	76.4 (0.68)	16.9 (0.57)	4.1 (0.34)	0.7 (0.12)	1.9 (0.21)
Small MSA	100.0	76.2 (0.87)	16.3 (0.73)	4.4 (0.41)	1.2 (0.26)	1.9 (0.28)
Not in MSA	100.0	75.8 (1.29)	13.9 (1.03)	6.9 (0.76)	1.2 (0.29)	2.2 (0.63)
Region						
Northeast	100.0	80.7 (1.22)	15.8 (1.13)	1.6 (0.31)	*	1.4 (0.32)
Midwest	100.0	75.6 (1.07)	16.5 (0.91)	4.8 (0.61)	1.1 (0.31)	2.0 (0.39)
South	100.0	76.3 (0.86)	16.2 (0.70)	4.5 (0.40)	1.0 (0.15)	2.0 (0.26)
West	100.0	73.8 (0.91)	16.6 (0.76)	6.5 (0.55)	0.9 (0.18)	2.2 (0.37)
Current health status						
Excellent or very good	100.0	76.1 (0.56)	16.4 (0.46)	4.6 (0.28)	1.0 (0.13)	1.8 (0.18)
Good	100.0	75.1 (1.27)	16.8 (1.10)	4.9 (0.60)	*0.4 (0.15)	2.7 (0.50)
Fair or poor	100.0	91.1 (2.63)	*6.8 (2.51)	*	-	*

* Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

- Quantity zero.

¹Based on the question, "About how long has it been since anyone in the family last saw or talked to a doctor or other health care professional about [child's name]'s health? Include doctors seen while [he/she] was a patient in a hospital."

²Refers to children with only a single race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

³Refers to children with more than one race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin. Only two combinations of multiple race groups are shown due to small sample sizes for other combinations.

⁴Refers to children who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to children who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

⁵Refers to parents living in the household. "Mother and father" can include biological, adoptive, step, in-law, or foster relationships. Legal guardians are classified in "Neither mother nor father."

⁶Refers to the education level of the parent with the higher level of education, regardless of that parent's age, provided the parent(s) live(s) in the household.

⁷GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

⁸Includes children in families that reported either dollar amounts or would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

⁹"Poor" children live in families defined as below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" children live in families with incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" children live in families with incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

¹⁰Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who 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.

¹¹MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2013.