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Total	100.0	94.6 (0.15)	5.4 (0.15)	3.6 (0.12)	1.7 (0.08)
Sex					
Male	100.0	94.6 (0.18)	5.4 (0.18)	3.6 (0.15)	1.8 (0.10)
Female	100.0	94.5 (0.18)	5.5 (0.18)	3.7 (0.15)	1.7 (0.09)
Age					
Under 12 years	100.0	96.5 (0.24)	3.5 (0.24)	2.8 (0.22)	0.7 (0.10)
12-17 years	100.0	96.8 (0.29)	3.2 (0.29)	2.4 (0.26)	0.8 (0.14)
18-44 years	100.0	92.8 (0.22)	7.2 (0.22)	4.6 (0.17)	2.5 (0.13)
45-64 years	100.0	95.3 (0.19)	4.7 (0.19)	3.1 (0.16)	1.6 (0.11)
Race					
One race ²	100.0	94.6 (0.15)	5.4 (0.15)	3.6 (0.13)	1.7 (0.08)
White	100.0	94.6 (0.17)	5.4 (0.17)	3.6 (0.14)	1.7 (0.09)
Black or African American	100.0	93.9 (0.38)	6.1 (0.38)	4.1 (0.33)	1.9 (0.19)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	94.4 (1.34)	5.6 (1.34)	*3.7 (1.15)	*1.9 (0.64)
Asian	100.0	96.1 (0.43)	3.9 (0.43)	2.6 (0.35)	1.3 (0.24)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	94.6 (2.73)	*	*3.9 (1.83)	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	91.5 (0.98)	8.5 (0.98)	5.9 (0.77)	2.0 (0.47)
Black or African American, white	100.0	91.8 (1.59)	8.2 (1.59)	4.3 (1.13)	*3.2 (1.09)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	90.5 (2.08)	9.5 (2.08)	7.3 (1.69)	*2.2 (0.83)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race					
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	92.7 (0.32)	7.3 (0.32)	4.4 (0.25)	2.8 (0.19)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	92.9 (0.38)	7.1 (0.38)	4.3 (0.30)	2.7 (0.23)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	94.9 (0.17)	5.1 (0.17)	3.5 (0.14)	1.5 (0.08)
White, single race	100.0	95.1 (0.19)	4.9 (0.19)	3.4 (0.17)	1.4 (0.10)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	93.9 (0.38)	6.1 (0.38)	4.0 (0.33)	2.0 (0.20)
Education ⁵					
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	89.8 (0.57)	10.2 (0.57)	5.7 (0.47)	4.4 (0.40)
High school diploma or GED ⁶	100.0	92.4 (0.37)	7.6 (0.37)	4.6 (0.31)	2.8 (0.21)
Some college	100.0	92.8 (0.30)	7.2 (0.30)	4.9 (0.25)	2.2 (0.17)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	96.0 (0.21)	4.0 (0.21)	2.8 (0.17)	1.2 (0.11)

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Family income ⁷					
Less than \$35,000	100.0	90.8 (0.37)	9.2 (0.37)	5.9 (0.30)	3.3 (0.20)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	95.8 (0.17)	4.2 (0.17)	2.9 (0.14)	1.2 (0.08)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	92.2 (0.52)	7.8 (0.52)	4.8 (0.42)	2.9 (0.31)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	93.7 (0.40)	6.3 (0.40)	4.4 (0.34)	1.8 (0.20)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	95.9 (0.40)	4.1 (0.40)	2.9 (0.33)	1.1 (0.21)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	98.1 (0.17)	1.9 (0.17)	1.5 (0.15)	0.4 (0.07)
Poverty status ⁸					
Poor	100.0	91.9 (0.50)	8.1 (0.50)	5.1 (0.41)	2.9 (0.25)
Near poor	100.0	90.1 (0.46)	9.9 (0.46)	6.2 (0.39)	3.7 (0.26)
Not poor	100.0	96.1 (0.16)	3.9 (0.16)	2.8 (0.13)	1.1 (0.08)
Place of residence ⁹					
Large MSA	100.0	94.6 (0.20)	5.4 (0.20)	3.7 (0.17)	1.6 (0.10)
Small MSA	100.0	94.7 (0.27)	5.3 (0.27)	3.5 (0.22)	1.7 (0.13)
Not in MSA	100.0	93.7 (0.42)	6.3 (0.42)	3.9 (0.32)	2.4 (0.23)
Region					
Northeast	100.0	95.8 (0.33)	4.2 (0.33)	3.0 (0.29)	1.2 (0.14)
Midwest	100.0	94.6 (0.33)	5.4 (0.33)	3.7 (0.28)	1.7 (0.15)
South	100.0	94.3 (0.25)	5.7 (0.25)	3.7 (0.21)	2.0 (0.14)
West	100.0	94.0 (0.31)	6.0 (0.31)	4.1 (0.25)	1.8 (0.16)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex					
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	92.6 (0.40)	7.4 (0.40)	4.4 (0.32)	3.0 (0.26)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	92.8 (0.38)	7.2 (0.38)	4.4 (0.29)	2.6 (0.24)
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race, male	100.0	95.2 (0.23)	4.8 (0.23)	3.4 (0.19)	1.4 (0.12)
White, single race, female	100.0	95.0 (0.23)	5.0 (0.23)	3.5 (0.20)	1.5 (0.11)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	94.2 (0.47)	5.8 (0.47)	3.6 (0.39)	2.0 (0.27)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	93.7 (0.46)	6.3 (0.46)	4.3 (0.41)	1.9 (0.23)

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Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status					
Hispanic or Latino:					
Poor	100.0	91.7 (0.70)	8.3 (0.70)	4.7 (0.55)	3.4 (0.44)
Near poor	100.0	89.5 (0.74)	10.5 (0.74)	5.8 (0.59)	4.6 (0.46)
Not poor	100.0	94.1 (0.44)	5.9 (0.44)	3.9 (0.36)	2.0 (0.26)
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race					
Poor	100.0	91.0 (0.93)	9.0 (0.93)	6.4 (0.82)	2.5 (0.41)
Near poor	100.0	89.5 (0.72)	10.5 (0.72)	6.6 (0.62)	3.9 (0.41)
Not poor	100.0	96.5 (0.18)	3.5 (0.18)	2.5 (0.15)	0.9 (0.09)
Black or African American, single race					
Poor	100.0	92.3 (0.88)	7.7 (0.88)	4.1 (0.69)	3.5 (0.57)
Near poor	100.0	91.7 (0.89)	8.3 (0.89)	5.8 (0.78)	2.4 (0.46)
Not poor	100.0	95.3 (0.49)	4.7 (0.49)	3.5 (0.45)	1.1 (0.20)

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⁵Shown only for persons aged 25 and over. Estimates are age adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using two age groups: 25-44 and 45-64.

⁶GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

⁷Includes persons who reported a dollar amount or who would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

⁸"Poor" persons are defined as having income below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" persons have incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" persons have incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

⁹MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about currently insured persons under age 65 in the family. Data came from the Person file and were weighted using the Person weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. Persons having any period without health insurance coverage includes persons with unknown duration of period without coverage. "Total" includes other races not shown separately and persons with unknown education, family income, and poverty status. Unless otherwise specified, estimates are age adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using four age groups: 0-11, 12-17, 18-44, and 45-64. Estimates for age groups are not age-adjusted. 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: Lucas JW, Benson V. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for the U.S. Population: 2015 National Health Interview Survey. National Center for Health Statistics. 2017. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

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Table P-12b. Frequency distribution (number in thousands) of any period without health insurance coverage during the past 12 months, among currently insured persons under age 65, and frequencies (number in thousands) of persons who were without coverage for 6 months or less or for 7-12 months, among currently insured persons under age 65, by selected characteristics: United States, 2015

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Total	237,985	224,754	12,563	8,436	3,986
Sex					
Male	116,193	109,799	6,009	3,979	1,959
Female	121,792	114,955	6,554	4,457	2,027
Age (years)					
Under 12 years	46,639	44,945	1,612	1,288	311
12-17 years	23,021	22,263	733	544	185
18-44 years	93,431	86,382	6,709	4,324	2,297
45-64 years	74,895	71,165	3,509	2,280	1,192
Race					
One race ²	231,894	219,121	12,117	8,117	3,884
White	182,504	172,570	9,501	6,364	3,060
Black or African American	31,653	29,663	1,867	1,245	584
American Indian or Alaska Native	2,263	2,120	123	*84	*39
Asian	14,798	14,129	588	395	193
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	676	639	*	*	*
Two or more races ³	6,091	5,633	446	320	102
Black or African American, white	2,108	1,956	149	89	*49
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	1,401	1,264	132	99	*32
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race					
Hispanic or Latino	40,575	37,681	2,778	1,710	1,037
Mexican or Mexican American	25,375	23,654	1,669	1,046	606
Not Hispanic or Latino	197,410	187,073	9,785	6,726	2,949
White, single race	146,462	139,056	7,067	4,916	2,099
Black or African American, single race	29,934	28,078	1,750	1,154	558
Education ⁵					
Less than a high school diploma	12,508	11,274	1,177	670	497
High school diploma or GED ⁶	32,708	30,230	2,328	1,436	857
Some college	41,826	38,880	2,846	1,923	894
Bachelor's degree or higher	54,622	52,395	2,130	1,488	624

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Family income ⁷					
Less than \$35,000	52,783	47,989	4,632	2,994	1,603
\$35,000 or more	152,285	145,848	6,224	4,339	1,820
\$35,000–\$49,999	22,049	20,327	1,698	1,049	630
\$50,000–\$74,999	34,743	32,486	2,136	1,512	604
\$75,000–\$99,999	28,546	27,360	1,149	824	321
\$100,000 or more	66,947	65,675	1,241	954	265
Poverty status ⁸					
Poor	29,939	27,709	2,172	1,425	723
Near poor	39,324	35,481	3,627	2,279	1,324
Not poor	151,902	145,823	5,843	4,150	1,620
Place of residence ⁹					
Large MSA	133,633	126,247	7,039	4,818	2,138
Small MSA	73,370	69,457	3,707	2,498	1,167
Not in MSA	30,983	29,050	1,817	1,120	681
Region					
Northeast	42,195	40,352	1,740	1,233	487
Midwest	54,128	51,104	2,858	1,920	898
South	85,480	80,630	4,653	3,014	1,601
West	56,181	52,668	3,312	2,269	1,001
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex					
Hispanic or Latino, male	19,981	18,526	1,381	830	540
Hispanic or Latina, female	20,594	19,155	1,397	881	497
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race, male	72,457	68,888	3,381	2,351	1,006
White, single race, female	74,005	70,169	3,686	2,565	1,093
Black or African American, single race, male	13,746	12,932	751	474	257
Black or African American, single race, female	16,188	15,146	999	680	301

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Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status					
Hispanic or Latino:					
Poor	8,814	8,261	549	339	200
Near poor	10,467	9,447	970	552	408
Not poor	17,975	16,881	1,052	694	351
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race					
Poor	11,474	10,453	1,009	731	275
Near poor	19,139	17,109	1,929	1,217	698
Not poor	106,813	103,023	3,653	2,620	1,005
Black or African American, single race					
Poor	6,974	6,481	463	257	195
Near poor	6,387	5,880	487	349	138
Not poor	13,927	13,238	661	478	163

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Total	100.0	94.7 (0.15)	5.3 (0.15)	3.6 (0.12)	1.7 (0.07)
Sex					
Male	100.0	94.8 (0.17)	5.2 (0.17)	3.4 (0.14)	1.7 (0.09)
Female	100.0	94.6 (0.17)	5.4 (0.17)	3.7 (0.14)	1.7 (0.09)
Age					
Under 12 years	100.0	96.5 (0.24)	3.5 (0.24)	2.8 (0.22)	0.7 (0.10)
12-17 years	100.0	96.8 (0.29)	3.2 (0.29)	2.4 (0.26)	0.8 (0.14)
18-44 years	100.0	92.8 (0.22)	7.2 (0.22)	4.6 (0.17)	2.5 (0.13)
45-64 years	100.0	95.3 (0.19)	4.7 (0.19)	3.1 (0.16)	1.6 (0.11)
Race					
One race ²	100.0	94.8 (0.15)	5.2 (0.15)	3.5 (0.12)	1.7 (0.08)
White	100.0	94.8 (0.16)	5.2 (0.16)	3.5 (0.14)	1.7 (0.09)
Black or African American	100.0	94.1 (0.37)	5.9 (0.37)	3.9 (0.32)	1.9 (0.18)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	94.5 (1.30)	5.5 (1.30)	*3.7 (1.13)	*1.7 (0.58)
Asian	100.0	96.0 (0.44)	4.0 (0.44)	2.7 (0.35)	1.3 (0.24)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	94.5 (2.73)	*5.5 (2.73)	*	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	92.7 (0.84)	7.3 (0.84)	5.3 (0.69)	1.7 (0.40)
Black or African American, white	100.0	92.9 (1.37)	7.1 (1.37)	4.2 (1.05)	*2.3 (0.85)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	90.5 (2.07)	9.5 (2.07)	7.1 (1.68)	*2.3 (0.88)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race					
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	93.1 (0.31)	6.9 (0.31)	4.2 (0.25)	2.6 (0.19)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	93.4 (0.38)	6.6 (0.38)	4.1 (0.31)	2.4 (0.21)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	95.0 (0.16)	5.0 (0.16)	3.4 (0.14)	1.5 (0.08)
White, single race	100.0	95.2 (0.19)	4.8 (0.19)	3.4 (0.16)	1.4 (0.09)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	94.1 (0.38)	5.9 (0.38)	3.9 (0.33)	1.9 (0.19)
Education ⁵					
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	90.5 (0.52)	9.5 (0.52)	5.4 (0.43)	4.0 (0.35)
High school diploma or GED ⁶	100.0	92.8 (0.35)	7.2 (0.35)	4.4 (0.29)	2.6 (0.19)
Some college	100.0	93.2 (0.28)	6.8 (0.28)	4.6 (0.23)	2.1 (0.16)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	96.1 (0.20)	3.9 (0.20)	2.7 (0.17)	1.1 (0.11)

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Family income ⁷					
Less than \$35,000	100.0	91.2 (0.35)	8.8 (0.35)	5.7 (0.30)	3.0 (0.18)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	95.9 (0.16)	4.1 (0.16)	2.9 (0.13)	1.2 (0.08)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	92.3 (0.52)	7.7 (0.52)	4.8 (0.42)	2.9 (0.31)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	93.8 (0.40)	6.2 (0.40)	4.4 (0.34)	1.7 (0.20)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	96.0 (0.40)	4.0 (0.40)	2.9 (0.32)	1.1 (0.21)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	98.1 (0.16)	1.9 (0.16)	1.4 (0.14)	0.4 (0.07)
Poverty status ⁸					
Poor	100.0	92.7 (0.47)	7.3 (0.47)	4.8 (0.41)	2.4 (0.22)
Near poor	100.0	90.7 (0.44)	9.3 (0.44)	5.8 (0.38)	3.4 (0.24)
Not poor	100.0	96.1 (0.15)	3.9 (0.15)	2.7 (0.13)	1.1 (0.08)
Place of residence ⁹					
Large MSA	100.0	94.7 (0.20)	5.3 (0.20)	3.6 (0.17)	1.6 (0.10)
Small MSA	100.0	94.9 (0.26)	5.1 (0.26)	3.4 (0.21)	1.6 (0.13)
Not in MSA	100.0	94.1 (0.37)	5.9 (0.37)	3.6 (0.29)	2.2 (0.21)
Region					
Northeast	100.0	95.9 (0.33)	4.1 (0.33)	2.9 (0.29)	1.2 (0.14)
Midwest	100.0	94.7 (0.32)	5.3 (0.32)	3.6 (0.27)	1.7 (0.15)
South	100.0	94.5 (0.24)	5.5 (0.24)	3.5 (0.20)	1.9 (0.13)
West	100.0	94.1 (0.31)	5.9 (0.31)	4.1 (0.25)	1.8 (0.16)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex					
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	93.1 (0.39)	6.9 (0.39)	4.2 (0.31)	2.7 (0.25)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	93.2 (0.37)	6.8 (0.37)	4.3 (0.29)	2.4 (0.22)
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race, male	100.0	95.3 (0.22)	4.7 (0.22)	3.3 (0.19)	1.4 (0.12)
White, single race, female	100.0	95.0 (0.22)	5.0 (0.22)	3.5 (0.19)	1.5 (0.11)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	94.5 (0.46)	5.5 (0.46)	3.5 (0.38)	1.9 (0.25)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	93.8 (0.45)	6.2 (0.45)	4.2 (0.40)	1.9 (0.23)

Table P-12c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of any period without health insurance coverage during the past 12 months, among currently insured persons under age 65, and crude percentages (with standard errors) of persons who were without coverage for 6 months or less or for 7-12 months, among currently insured persons under age 65, by selected characteristics: United States, 2015

Selected characteristic	All persons currently insured under age 65	Had coverage throughout the past 12 months (currently insured) ¹	Did not have coverage throughout the past 12 months (currently insured) ¹	6 months or less without coverage (currently insured) ¹	7-12 months without coverage (currently insured) ¹
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status					
Hispanic or Latino:					
Poor	100.0	93.8 (0.56)	6.2 (0.56)	3.9 (0.48)	2.3 (0.31)
Near poor	100.0	90.7 (0.72)	9.3 (0.72)	5.3 (0.56)	3.9 (0.42)
Not poor	100.0	94.1 (0.44)	5.9 (0.44)	3.9 (0.36)	2.0 (0.26)
Not Hispanic or Latino:					
White, single race					
Poor	100.0	91.2 (0.93)	8.8 (0.93)	6.4 (0.84)	2.4 (0.40)
Near poor	100.0	89.9 (0.70)	10.1 (0.70)	6.4 (0.61)	3.7 (0.39)
Not poor	100.0	96.6 (0.17)	3.4 (0.17)	2.5 (0.15)	0.9 (0.09)
Black or African American, single race					
Poor	100.0	93.3 (0.81)	6.7 (0.81)	3.7 (0.64)	2.8 (0.48)
Near poor	100.0	92.3 (0.87)	7.7 (0.87)	5.5 (0.77)	2.2 (0.42)
Not poor	100.0	95.2 (0.47)	4.8 (0.47)	3.4 (0.42)	1.2 (0.20)

* 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%.

¹Had coverage during the past 12 months" and "Did not have coverage during the past 12 months" are based on the question (asked of persons who currently had health insurance), "In the past 12 months, was there any time when [person] did not have any health insurance or coverage?" "6 months or less without coverage" and "7-12 months without coverage" are based on the question (asked of persons who currently had health insurance coverage), "In the past 12 months, about how many months was [person] without coverage?" Number of months without coverage was collapsed into two categories for presentation in this table.

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

³Refers to persons who indicated more than one race group, 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 persons who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to persons who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

⁵Shown only for persons aged 25 and over.

⁶GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

⁷Includes persons who reported a dollar amount or who would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

⁸"Poor" persons are defined as having income below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" persons have incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" persons have incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

⁹MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about currently insured persons under age 65 in the family. Data came from the Person file and were weighted using the Person weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. Persons having any period without health insurance coverage includes persons with unknown duration of period without coverage. "Total" includes other races not shown separately and persons with unknown education, family income, and poverty 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: Lucas JW, Benson V. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for the U.S. Population: 2015 National Health Interview Survey. National Center for Health Statistics. 2017. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

SOURCE: NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2015.