

Table P-1a. Age-adjusted percent distribution (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Total	100.0	38.0 (0.30)	29.8 (0.27)	23.1 (0.22)	7.0 (0.10)	2.1 (0.06)
Sex						
Male	100.0	38.6 (0.34)	29.5 (0.30)	23.0 (0.27)	6.8 (0.13)	2.1 (0.08)
Female	100.0	37.5 (0.34)	30.1 (0.30)	23.2 (0.25)	7.2 (0.13)	2.1 (0.07)
Age						
Under 12 years	100.0	61.5 (0.63)	23.8 (0.55)	13.3 (0.41)	1.2 (0.11)	0.2 (0.03)
12-17 years	100.0	56.2 (0.78)	26.5 (0.73)	15.1 (0.53)	1.8 (0.17)	0.3 (0.09)
18-44 years	100.0	39.1 (0.40)	32.5 (0.36)	22.2 (0.32)	5.0 (0.15)	1.1 (0.06)
45-64 years	100.0	24.0 (0.41)	31.2 (0.42)	29.3 (0.38)	11.6 (0.25)	3.9 (0.14)
65-74 years	100.0	18.0 (0.62)	31.5 (0.70)	31.0 (0.66)	14.5 (0.49)	4.9 (0.30)
75 years and over	100.0	11.7 (0.52)	26.8 (0.73)	36.6 (0.75)	18.0 (0.60)	6.9 (0.41)
Race						
One race ²	100.0	38.1 (0.30)	29.8 (0.27)	23.1 (0.23)	6.9 (0.11)	2.1 (0.06)
White	100.0	39.1 (0.35)	30.4 (0.31)	22.1 (0.25)	6.4 (0.12)	2.0 (0.06)
Black or African American	100.0	31.9 (0.63)	26.5 (0.63)	27.8 (0.55)	10.7 (0.31)	3.1 (0.17)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	31.8 (1.98)	23.6 (2.54)	30.4 (2.71)	10.9 (1.16)	3.2 (0.61)
Asian	100.0	40.1 (1.03)	27.7 (0.91)	24.8 (0.88)	5.9 (0.37)	1.4 (0.17)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	31.1 (4.36)	25.0 (4.52)	29.6 (3.50)	12.4 (3.23)	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	34.4 (1.35)	29.3 (1.33)	23.3 (1.35)	9.5 (0.88)	3.5 (0.70)
Black or African American, white	100.0	34.2 (2.49)	32.3 (2.75)	21.3 (2.85)	9.3 (2.17)	*2.9 (1.02)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	26.9 (2.35)	29.7 (2.39)	25.6 (2.51)	12.3 (1.50)	5.6 (1.50)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	34.2 (0.57)	26.3 (0.52)	27.4 (0.51)	9.9 (0.29)	2.3 (0.14)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	33.0 (0.74)	25.3 (0.67)	28.7 (0.65)	10.5 (0.41)	2.5 (0.19)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	39.0 (0.34)	30.4 (0.30)	22.0 (0.24)	6.6 (0.11)	2.1 (0.06)
White, single race	100.0	40.5 (0.41)	31.2 (0.37)	20.5 (0.27)	5.9 (0.12)	1.9 (0.07)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	31.8 (0.65)	26.7 (0.65)	27.8 (0.57)	10.6 (0.31)	3.1 (0.17)
Education ⁵						
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	17.8 (0.51)	21.5 (0.54)	34.1 (0.62)	19.8 (0.46)	6.8 (0.31)
High school diploma or GED ⁶	100.0	21.5 (0.43)	30.1 (0.49)	32.7 (0.47)	11.9 (0.30)	3.8 (0.17)
Some college	100.0	26.0 (0.44)	33.7 (0.43)	28.4 (0.42)	9.2 (0.26)	2.6 (0.14)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	38.7 (0.51)	36.0 (0.47)	19.9 (0.38)	4.2 (0.18)	1.2 (0.10)

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Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Family income ⁷						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	28.8 (0.45)	25.5 (0.44)	28.4 (0.42)	12.8 (0.25)	4.4 (0.15)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	42.0 (0.39)	31.9 (0.34)	20.3 (0.28)	4.7 (0.12)	1.2 (0.06)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	32.4 (0.79)	31.4 (0.73)	26.5 (0.68)	7.6 (0.30)	2.1 (0.17)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	37.2 (0.74)	32.4 (0.69)	23.4 (0.54)	5.5 (0.26)	1.4 (0.13)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	41.9 (0.80)	32.9 (0.78)	20.2 (0.64)	4.0 (0.27)	1.0 (0.14)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	49.4 (0.62)	31.3 (0.58)	15.5 (0.42)	3.2 (0.17)	0.6 (0.08)
Poverty status ⁸						
Poor	100.0	27.4 (0.58)	22.2 (0.58)	29.9 (0.62)	14.9 (0.40)	5.6 (0.26)
Near poor	100.0	30.8 (0.60)	27.4 (0.56)	27.1 (0.52)	11.1 (0.29)	3.6 (0.18)
Not poor	100.0	42.9 (0.38)	31.9 (0.34)	19.6 (0.27)	4.5 (0.11)	1.1 (0.05)
Health insurance coverage ⁹						
Under 65:						
Private	100.0	46.5 (0.41)	31.7 (0.35)	18.0 (0.27)	3.3 (0.09)	0.6 (0.04)
Medicaid	100.0	29.6 (0.55)	23.3 (0.55)	27.5 (0.55)	13.9 (0.39)	5.6 (0.26)
Other	100.0	39.3 (1.48)	23.8 (1.25)	19.5 (1.08)	11.8 (0.66)	5.6 (0.48)
Uninsured	100.0	34.5 (0.82)	28.4 (0.72)	28.2 (0.72)	7.5 (0.29)	1.4 (0.11)
65 and over:						
Private	100.0	17.7 (0.63)	33.1 (0.79)	32.6 (0.72)	12.6 (0.50)	4.0 (0.30)
Medicare and Medicaid	100.0	5.9 (0.98)	17.3 (1.65)	31.9 (1.69)	28.7 (1.66)	16.1 (1.43)
Medicare only	100.0	13.9 (0.66)	27.5 (0.84)	34.9 (0.84)	17.9 (0.66)	5.9 (0.40)
Other	100.0	11.5 (1.13)	25.0 (1.76)	35.7 (1.91)	19.0 (1.51)	8.7 (1.22)
Uninsured	100.0	13.3 (3.97)	18.5 (3.57)	35.5 (5.28)	27.1 (5.35)	*
Place of residence ¹⁰						
Large MSA	100.0	39.6 (0.42)	29.2 (0.35)	22.7 (0.32)	6.6 (0.15)	1.8 (0.08)
Small MSA	100.0	37.4 (0.52)	30.7 (0.49)	23.0 (0.42)	7.0 (0.18)	2.1 (0.10)
Not in MSA	100.0	33.0 (0.73)	30.6 (0.73)	24.9 (0.58)	8.5 (0.30)	3.0 (0.19)
Region						
Northeast	100.0	39.6 (0.85)	30.4 (0.71)	22.6 (0.60)	5.8 (0.24)	1.5 (0.11)
Midwest	100.0	37.1 (0.63)	32.4 (0.57)	22.0 (0.45)	6.5 (0.23)	2.0 (0.12)
South	100.0	37.4 (0.49)	28.9 (0.45)	23.4 (0.36)	7.9 (0.17)	2.5 (0.11)
West	100.0	38.8 (0.57)	28.3 (0.48)	24.1 (0.47)	6.8 (0.20)	2.0 (0.12)

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Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	35.1 (0.66)	26.4 (0.62)	27.0 (0.61)	9.4 (0.37)	2.1 (0.17)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	33.3 (0.62)	26.1 (0.58)	27.8 (0.57)	10.4 (0.36)	2.5 (0.17)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	100.0	40.6 (0.46)	30.9 (0.41)	20.7 (0.33)	5.8 (0.16)	2.0 (0.10)
White, single race, female	100.0	40.5 (0.46)	31.5 (0.43)	20.2 (0.31)	6.0 (0.16)	1.9 (0.08)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	34.5 (0.83)	26.0 (0.81)	27.0 (0.71)	9.7 (0.40)	2.8 (0.23)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	29.5 (0.69)	27.4 (0.75)	28.3 (0.65)	11.4 (0.41)	3.4 (0.22)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status						
Hispanic or Latino:						
Poor	100.0	27.4 (0.94)	21.4 (0.91)	32.1 (0.99)	15.0 (0.67)	4.1 (0.36)
Near poor	100.0	31.3 (0.99)	25.9 (0.91)	28.5 (0.92)	11.2 (0.56)	3.0 (0.31)
Not poor	100.0	39.6 (0.87)	28.8 (0.81)	24.0 (0.74)	6.5 (0.38)	1.2 (0.15)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race:						
Poor	100.0	26.6 (1.03)	24.0 (0.93)	28.3 (1.05)	14.5 (0.65)	6.6 (0.42)
Near poor	100.0	30.9 (0.96)	29.3 (0.88)	25.1 (0.75)	10.6 (0.42)	4.1 (0.27)
Not poor	100.0	44.5 (0.47)	32.5 (0.42)	17.9 (0.30)	4.0 (0.13)	1.1 (0.06)
Black or African American, single race:						
Poor	100.0	28.9 (1.20)	20.2 (1.07)	28.5 (1.20)	16.5 (0.76)	5.9 (0.45)
Near poor	100.0	29.3 (1.22)	24.8 (1.24)	28.3 (1.21)	13.9 (0.74)	3.8 (0.39)
Not poor	100.0	35.6 (1.10)	31.1 (1.10)	25.2 (0.85)	6.6 (0.39)	1.5 (0.24)

* 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%.

¹Based on the question, "Would you say [person's] health in general is excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor?"

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. Estimates are age-adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using four age groups: 25-44, 45-64, 65-74, and 75 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.

⁹Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Persons with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes persons 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: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about all persons 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. "Total" includes other races not shown separately and persons with unknown education, family income, poverty status, and health insurance characteristics. Unless otherwise specified, estimates are age-adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using six age groups: 0-11, 12-17, 18-44, 45-64, 65-74, and 75 and over. 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: Adams PF, Benson V. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for the U.S. Population: 2014 National Health Interview Survey, 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

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Table P-1b. Frequency distribution (number in thousands) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Total	313,090	114,311	93,585	74,216	23,438	7,119
Sex						
Male	153,025	57,582	45,284	35,776	10,798	3,369
Female	160,065	56,730	48,301	38,440	12,640	3,750
Age						
Under 12 years	48,443	29,762	11,542	6,415	602	78
12-17 years	24,964	14,030	6,615	3,773	448	80
18-44 years	112,146	43,833	36,460	24,914	5,645	1,194
45-64 years	82,604	19,784	25,721	24,170	9,571	3,198
65-74 years	26,210	4,713	8,242	8,116	3,803	1,288
75 years and over	18,724	2,189	5,006	6,828	3,368	1,281
Race						
One race ²	306,030	111,235	91,565	72,861	22,989	6,969
White	244,763	90,067	75,072	56,361	17,450	5,496
Black or African American	40,340	13,082	10,736	11,118	4,172	1,162
American Indian or Alaska Native	2,992	994	716	883	311	83
Asian	17,461	6,920	4,924	4,374	1,008	218
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	473	173	117	126	*48	*
Two or more races ³	7,060	3,076	2,019	1,355	449	150
Black or African American, white	2,311	1,174	713	344	60	*19
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	2,144	602	645	524	259	112
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	54,477	20,457	14,444	14,279	4,319	932
Mexican or Mexican American	34,835	12,900	9,027	9,553	2,761	578
Not Hispanic or Latino	258,614	93,854	79,141	59,937	19,119	6,187
White, single race	195,897	71,851	61,991	43,503	13,619	4,654
Black or African American, single race	37,961	12,145	10,157	10,484	3,973	1,135
Education ⁵						
Less than a high school diploma	27,164	4,278	5,639	9,265	5,854	2,107
High school diploma or GED ⁶	54,688	10,844	16,327	18,190	6,979	2,265
Some college	57,708	14,779	19,436	16,448	5,399	1,584
Bachelor's degree or higher	65,986	25,583	23,858	13,044	2,700	752

Table P-1b. Frequency distribution (number in thousands) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Family income ⁷						
Less than \$35,000	85,706	23,712	21,659	24,742	11,491	3,989
\$35,000 or more	181,936	74,852	58,653	37,602	8,640	2,135
\$35,000–\$49,999	33,880	10,633	10,654	9,120	2,713	757
\$50,000–\$74,999	44,174	15,862	14,418	10,633	2,571	675
\$75,000–\$99,999	33,775	13,806	11,295	6,970	1,360	332
\$100,000 or more	70,107	34,551	22,285	10,878	1,997	371
Poverty status ⁸						
Poor	44,763	13,892	10,306	12,878	5,610	2,036
Near poor	57,246	17,771	15,599	15,425	6,341	2,052
Not poor	183,513	73,155	59,899	38,647	9,321	2,397
Health insurance coverage ⁹						
Under 65:						
Private	168,747	73,587	54,705	32,881	6,343	1,173
Medicaid	50,510	19,034	12,203	12,518	4,843	1,851
Other	10,519	3,023	2,341	2,333	1,871	929
Uninsured	35,280	10,719	10,234	10,684	3,054	560
65 and over:						
Private	22,018	3,991	7,354	7,092	2,701	848
Medicare and Medicaid	2,943	177	510	931	844	473
Medicare only	15,867	2,253	4,382	5,466	2,808	914
Other	3,483	406	868	1,231	674	304
Uninsured	359	51	80	123	86	*19
Place of residence ¹⁰						
Large MSA	170,336	65,646	49,905	39,480	11,792	3,294
Small MSA	97,572	35,146	29,949	22,912	7,199	2,183
Not in MSA	45,182	13,520	13,731	11,824	4,446	1,643
Region						
Northeast	53,046	19,498	16,311	12,660	3,562	926
Midwest	70,709	25,056	22,969	16,058	4,986	1,569
South	117,720	42,356	33,982	28,147	9,910	3,149
West	71,615	27,401	20,322	17,352	4,979	1,475

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Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	27,446	10,604	7,326	7,084	1,990	420
Hispanic or Latina, female	27,030	9,853	7,118	7,195	2,329	512
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	95,978	35,799	30,068	21,230	6,439	2,302
White, single race, female	99,919	36,052	31,923	22,273	7,181	2,352
Black or African American, single race, male	17,730	6,301	4,617	4,696	1,624	452
Black or African American, single race, female	20,230	5,844	5,540	5,787	2,349	684
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status						
Hispanic or Latino:						
Poor	13,485	4,563	3,056	4,110	1,399	352
Near poor	15,870	5,602	4,267	4,323	1,348	326
Not poor	20,779	8,473	6,046	4,851	1,206	196
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race:						
Poor	17,648	4,802	4,270	4,941	2,502	1,108
Near poor	28,298	7,952	8,119	7,531	3,379	1,286
Not poor	132,994	53,420	44,603	26,589	6,461	1,845
Black or African American, single race:						
Poor	10,045	3,373	2,140	2,721	1,348	451
Near poor	9,013	2,717	2,243	2,499	1,209	326
Not poor	15,089	5,020	4,756	4,038	1,036	234

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⁹Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Persons with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes persons 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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Table P-1c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Total	100.0	36.6 (0.30)	29.9 (0.26)	23.7 (0.23)	7.5 (0.12)	2.3 (0.06)
Sex						
Male	100.0	37.7 (0.35)	29.6 (0.30)	23.4 (0.27)	7.1 (0.14)	2.2 (0.09)
Female	100.0	35.5 (0.33)	30.2 (0.30)	24.0 (0.26)	7.9 (0.15)	2.3 (0.08)
Age						
Under 12 years	100.0	61.5 (0.63)	23.8 (0.55)	13.3 (0.41)	1.2 (0.11)	0.2 (0.03)
12-17 years	100.0	56.2 (0.78)	26.5 (0.73)	15.1 (0.53)	1.8 (0.17)	0.3 (0.09)
18-44 years	100.0	39.1 (0.40)	32.5 (0.36)	22.2 (0.32)	5.0 (0.15)	1.1 (0.06)
45-64 years	100.0	24.0 (0.41)	31.2 (0.42)	29.3 (0.38)	11.6 (0.25)	3.9 (0.14)
65-74 years	100.0	18.0 (0.62)	31.5 (0.70)	31.0 (0.66)	14.5 (0.49)	4.9 (0.30)
75 years and over	100.0	11.7 (0.52)	26.8 (0.73)	36.6 (0.75)	18.0 (0.60)	6.9 (0.41)
Race						
One race ²	100.0	36.4 (0.31)	30.0 (0.26)	23.8 (0.23)	7.5 (0.12)	2.3 (0.07)
White	100.0	36.8 (0.35)	30.7 (0.30)	23.1 (0.25)	7.1 (0.13)	2.2 (0.08)
Black or African American	100.0	32.5 (0.67)	26.7 (0.64)	27.6 (0.57)	10.4 (0.32)	2.9 (0.16)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	33.3 (2.10)	24.0 (2.57)	29.5 (2.82)	10.4 (1.24)	2.8 (0.57)
Asian	100.0	39.7 (1.07)	28.2 (0.90)	25.1 (0.90)	5.8 (0.37)	1.2 (0.15)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	36.5 (6.19)	24.7 (4.76)	26.6 (4.41)	*10.2 (3.56)	*
Two or more races ³	100.0	43.6 (1.56)	28.6 (1.30)	19.2 (1.19)	6.4 (0.60)	2.1 (0.45)
Black or African American, white	100.0	50.8 (2.62)	30.9 (2.31)	14.9 (1.62)	2.6 (0.64)	*0.8 (0.29)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	28.1 (2.58)	30.1 (2.46)	24.5 (2.49)	12.1 (1.50)	5.2 (1.39)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	37.6 (0.63)	26.5 (0.54)	26.2 (0.51)	7.9 (0.25)	1.7 (0.10)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	37.0 (0.81)	25.9 (0.71)	27.4 (0.65)	7.9 (0.32)	1.7 (0.12)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	36.3 (0.34)	30.6 (0.29)	23.2 (0.25)	7.4 (0.13)	2.4 (0.07)
White, single race	100.0	36.7 (0.40)	31.7 (0.35)	22.2 (0.28)	7.0 (0.15)	2.4 (0.09)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	32.1 (0.68)	26.8 (0.66)	27.7 (0.59)	10.5 (0.33)	3.0 (0.17)
Education ⁵						
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	15.8 (0.47)	20.8 (0.52)	34.1 (0.59)	21.6 (0.50)	7.8 (0.35)
High school diploma or GED ⁶	100.0	19.9 (0.40)	29.9 (0.48)	33.3 (0.46)	12.8 (0.31)	4.1 (0.18)
Some college	100.0	25.6 (0.45)	33.7 (0.43)	28.5 (0.41)	9.4 (0.27)	2.7 (0.14)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	38.8 (0.51)	36.2 (0.47)	19.8 (0.38)	4.1 (0.17)	1.1 (0.09)

Table P-1c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Family income ⁷						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	27.7 (0.47)	25.3 (0.43)	28.9 (0.41)	13.4 (0.28)	4.7 (0.17)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	41.2 (0.39)	32.2 (0.34)	20.7 (0.28)	4.8 (0.12)	1.2 (0.06)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	31.4 (0.83)	31.5 (0.72)	26.9 (0.68)	8.0 (0.33)	2.2 (0.18)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	35.9 (0.76)	32.6 (0.68)	24.1 (0.56)	5.8 (0.28)	1.5 (0.13)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	40.9 (0.83)	33.5 (0.78)	20.6 (0.65)	4.0 (0.26)	1.0 (0.12)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	49.3 (0.64)	31.8 (0.57)	15.5 (0.41)	2.8 (0.15)	0.5 (0.06)
Poverty status ⁸						
Poor	100.0	31.1 (0.69)	23.0 (0.62)	28.8 (0.63)	12.5 (0.37)	4.6 (0.23)
Near poor	100.0	31.1 (0.64)	27.3 (0.56)	27.0 (0.53)	11.1 (0.31)	3.6 (0.18)
Not poor	100.0	39.9 (0.39)	32.7 (0.33)	21.1 (0.28)	5.1 (0.12)	1.3 (0.06)
Health insurance coverage ⁹						
Under 65:						
Private	100.0	43.6 (0.40)	32.4 (0.34)	19.5 (0.28)	3.8 (0.10)	0.7 (0.04)
Medicaid	100.0	37.7 (0.62)	24.2 (0.56)	24.8 (0.52)	9.6 (0.28)	3.7 (0.18)
Other	100.0	28.8 (1.45)	22.3 (1.01)	22.2 (0.99)	17.8 (0.98)	8.9 (0.67)
Uninsured	100.0	30.4 (0.64)	29.0 (0.59)	30.3 (0.62)	8.7 (0.33)	1.6 (0.13)
65 and over:						
Private	100.0	18.2 (0.65)	33.4 (0.80)	32.3 (0.72)	12.3 (0.49)	3.9 (0.29)
Medicare and Medicaid	100.0	6.0 (1.01)	17.4 (1.66)	31.7 (1.70)	28.8 (1.66)	16.1 (1.44)
Medicare only	100.0	14.2 (0.68)	27.7 (0.84)	34.5 (0.83)	17.7 (0.65)	5.8 (0.39)
Other	100.0	11.6 (1.17)	24.9 (1.70)	35.3 (1.85)	19.4 (1.47)	8.7 (1.16)
Uninsured	100.0	14.3 (3.63)	22.3 (4.46)	34.3 (4.55)	23.8 (4.26)	*5.3 (2.26)
Place of residence ¹⁰						
Large MSA	100.0	38.6 (0.43)	29.3 (0.34)	23.2 (0.32)	6.9 (0.16)	1.9 (0.08)
Small MSA	100.0	36.1 (0.51)	30.8 (0.48)	23.5 (0.41)	7.4 (0.20)	2.2 (0.11)
Not in MSA	100.0	29.9 (0.77)	30.4 (0.72)	26.2 (0.56)	9.8 (0.36)	3.6 (0.23)
Region						
Northeast	100.0	36.8 (0.81)	30.8 (0.66)	23.9 (0.59)	6.7 (0.28)	1.7 (0.13)
Midwest	100.0	35.5 (0.63)	32.5 (0.56)	22.7 (0.45)	7.1 (0.26)	2.2 (0.14)
South	100.0	36.0 (0.50)	28.9 (0.44)	23.9 (0.37)	8.4 (0.20)	2.7 (0.12)
West	100.0	38.3 (0.59)	28.4 (0.48)	24.3 (0.47)	7.0 (0.22)	2.1 (0.12)

Table P-1c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status, by selected characteristics: United States, 2014

Selected characteristic	All persons	Excellent ¹	Very Good ¹	Good ¹	Fair ¹	Poor ¹
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	38.7 (0.71)	26.7 (0.62)	25.8 (0.61)	7.3 (0.29)	1.5 (0.12)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	36.5 (0.70)	26.4 (0.60)	26.6 (0.56)	8.6 (0.32)	1.9 (0.13)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	100.0	37.4 (0.46)	31.4 (0.39)	22.2 (0.34)	6.7 (0.19)	2.4 (0.12)
White, single race, female	100.0	36.1 (0.44)	32.0 (0.40)	22.3 (0.32)	7.2 (0.19)	2.4 (0.11)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	35.6 (0.87)	26.1 (0.82)	26.5 (0.72)	9.2 (0.40)	2.6 (0.21)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	28.9 (0.72)	27.4 (0.75)	28.6 (0.66)	11.6 (0.45)	3.4 (0.23)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and poverty status						
Hispanic or Latino:						
Poor	100.0	33.9 (1.15)	22.7 (0.99)	30.5 (1.00)	10.4 (0.54)	2.6 (0.24)
Near poor	100.0	35.3 (1.10)	26.9 (0.98)	27.2 (0.93)	8.5 (0.47)	2.1 (0.21)
Not poor	100.0	40.8 (0.92)	29.1 (0.81)	23.4 (0.72)	5.8 (0.34)	0.9 (0.12)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race:						
Poor	100.0	27.2 (1.12)	24.2 (0.95)	28.0 (1.05)	14.2 (0.68)	6.3 (0.42)
Near poor	100.0	28.1 (0.93)	28.7 (0.82)	26.6 (0.75)	12.0 (0.49)	4.6 (0.30)
Not poor	100.0	40.2 (0.47)	33.6 (0.40)	20.0 (0.32)	4.9 (0.14)	1.4 (0.08)
Black or African American, single race:						
Poor	100.0	33.6 (1.40)	21.3 (1.21)	27.1 (1.25)	13.4 (0.70)	4.5 (0.38)
Near poor	100.0	30.2 (1.30)	24.9 (1.29)	27.8 (1.24)	13.4 (0.79)	3.6 (0.39)
Not poor	100.0	33.3 (1.06)	31.5 (1.05)	26.8 (0.85)	6.9 (0.41)	1.6 (0.21)

* 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%.

¹Based on the question, "Would you say [person's] health in general is excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor?"

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.

⁹Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Persons with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes persons 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.

¹⁰MSA 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 all persons 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. "Total" includes other races not shown separately and persons with unknown education, family income, poverty status, and health insurance characteristics. 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: Adams PF, Benson V. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for the U.S. Population: 2014 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2014.