

**Table A-17a. Age-adjusted percent distribution (with standard errors) of number of office visits to doctors or other health care professionals in past 12 months among adults aged 18 and over, by selected characteristics: United States, 2018**

Selected characteristic	All adults aged 18 and over	No office visits <sup>1</sup>	1 office visit <sup>1</sup>	2-3 office visits <sup>1</sup>	4-9 office visits <sup>1</sup>	10 or more office visits <sup>1</sup>
Total	100.0	18.1 (0.36)	18.8 (0.35)	27.2 (0.39)	22.4 (0.34)	13.5 (0.28)
Sex						
Male	100.0	23.9 (0.52)	21.7 (0.50)	25.1 (0.52)	19.1 (0.45)	10.3 (0.32)
Female	100.0	12.5 (0.43)	16.0 (0.44)	29.1 (0.54)	25.7 (0.47)	16.7 (0.41)
Age (years)						
18–44	100.0	23.8 (0.59)	21.6 (0.54)	26.4 (0.59)	17.3 (0.49)	10.9 (0.38)
45–64	100.0	14.9 (0.52)	18.0 (0.51)	27.9 (0.59)	24.7 (0.56)	14.4 (0.44)
65–74	100.0	6.9 (0.44)	13.0 (0.60)	28.3 (0.80)	32.9 (0.84)	19.0 (0.67)
75 and over	100.0	4.8 (0.44)	9.8 (0.66)	28.2 (0.98)	35.6 (1.00)	21.6 (0.93)
Race						
One race <sup>2</sup>	100.0	18.1 (0.36)	18.9 (0.35)	27.2 (0.39)	22.4 (0.34)	13.4 (0.28)
White	100.0	17.4 (0.40)	18.3 (0.39)	27.3 (0.44)	23.0 (0.39)	14.1 (0.31)
Black or African American	100.0	18.2 (0.95)	21.0 (0.96)	27.5 (1.03)	21.3 (0.88)	12.0 (0.72)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	23.1 (2.54)	11.9 (2.01)	22.5 (3.15)	26.7 (3.53)	15.7 (3.23)
Asian	100.0	24.1 (1.51)	22.0 (1.34)	27.3 (1.50)	17.8 (1.33)	8.7 (0.85)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	27.7 (5.89)	*	21.1 (6.22)	*	*
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	100.0	20.5 (2.30)	15.6 (1.96)	26.0 (2.33)	21.8 (2.12)	16.1 (1.84)
Black or African American, white	100.0	19.8 (4.43)	9.0 (2.46)	17.4 (3.62)	29.0 (5.48)	24.9 (4.07)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	19.8 (4.38)	19.9 (4.76)	22.6 (3.69)	20.3 (3.53)	17.4 (2.80)
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	26.3 (0.99)	17.9 (0.84)	25.4 (0.96)	19.5 (0.88)	10.8 (0.66)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	27.6 (1.35)	16.7 (1.03)	24.9 (1.30)	19.5 (1.25)	11.2 (0.93)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	16.3 (0.37)	19.0 (0.38)	27.5 (0.43)	23.0 (0.37)	14.2 (0.31)
White, single race	100.0	14.8 (0.41)	18.3 (0.43)	27.9 (0.49)	24.0 (0.43)	15.0 (0.37)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	18.1 (0.99)	21.3 (1.00)	27.3 (1.06)	21.2 (0.90)	12.1 (0.74)
Education <sup>5</sup>						
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	29.5 (1.23)	15.9 (0.99)	21.6 (1.08)	21.1 (0.98)	11.9 (0.76)
High school diploma or GED <sup>6</sup>	100.0	19.9 (0.75)	18.7 (0.74)	26.4 (0.81)	21.8 (0.74)	13.1 (0.57)
Some college	100.0	16.2 (0.61)	19.3 (0.64)	25.9 (0.66)	23.2 (0.62)	15.4 (0.53)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	12.8 (0.46)	18.2 (0.53)	29.8 (0.60)	24.7 (0.55)	14.5 (0.46)
Current employment status <sup>7</sup>						
Employed	100.0	18.8 (0.43)	21.3 (0.49)	27.8 (0.49)	21.5 (0.50)	10.7 (0.38)
Full-time	100.0	19.2 (0.51)	21.8 (0.64)	28.5 (0.70)	20.5 (0.66)	10.0 (0.54)
Part-time	100.0	17.2 (0.99)	20.1 (1.05)	25.8 (1.12)	23.6 (1.05)	13.2 (0.83)
Not employed but has worked previously	100.0	14.5 (0.74)	14.5 (0.71)	25.3 (0.82)	24.7 (0.78)	21.0 (0.71)
Not employed and has never worked	100.0	24.5 (1.84)	14.1 (1.21)	24.2 (1.92)	23.0 (1.76)	14.1 (1.50)

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Family income <sup>8</sup>						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	23.6 (0.72)	16.9 (0.63)	22.2 (0.67)	21.3 (0.62)	16.0 (0.55)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	15.7 (0.39)	19.5 (0.42)	28.7 (0.47)	23.0 (0.42)	13.1 (0.33)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	20.4 (1.00)	18.6 (0.96)	25.7 (1.07)	21.5 (0.97)	13.7 (0.76)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	18.8 (0.85)	16.8 (0.75)	27.5 (0.96)	23.3 (0.84)	13.7 (0.68)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	16.2 (0.96)	19.5 (0.91)	27.8 (1.04)	22.8 (0.90)	13.7 (0.78)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	12.5 (0.57)	21.1 (0.70)	30.4 (0.74)	23.3 (0.70)	12.7 (0.51)
Poverty status <sup>9</sup>						
Poor	100.0	24.5 (1.08)	15.6 (0.87)	20.2 (1.03)	21.9 (0.98)	17.8 (0.86)
Near poor	100.0	23.3 (0.90)	17.8 (0.80)	24.0 (0.85)	20.4 (0.79)	14.5 (0.67)
Not poor	100.0	15.6 (0.39)	19.4 (0.41)	28.9 (0.47)	23.1 (0.42)	13.1 (0.33)
Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup>						
Under 65:						
Private	100.0	16.6 (0.45)	22.0 (0.49)	29.0 (0.53)	21.0 (0.45)	11.4 (0.36)
Medicaid	100.0	17.0 (1.05)	15.9 (0.99)	23.7 (1.19)	22.6 (1.06)	20.7 (1.04)
Other coverage	100.0	16.5 (2.11)	14.2 (1.54)	26.0 (2.15)	23.6 (2.02)	19.7 (1.66)
Uninsured	100.0	46.3 (1.35)	18.0 (0.96)	19.6 (1.08)	11.1 (0.88)	5.0 (0.51)
65 and over:						
Private	100.0	3.8 (0.37)	11.8 (0.76)	27.9 (0.94)	35.8 (1.00)	20.7 (0.90)
Medicare and Medicaid	100.0	3.4 (0.78)	6.6 (1.19)	22.6 (2.24)	37.6 (2.48)	29.8 (2.36)
Medicare Advantage	100.0	5.8 (0.63)	12.0 (0.88)	30.8 (1.31)	33.3 (1.32)	18.0 (1.07)
Medicare only	100.0	11.0 (1.05)	11.4 (1.05)	27.7 (1.68)	33.0 (1.68)	17.0 (1.45)
Other coverage	100.0	7.0 (1.06)	11.7 (1.28)	28.1 (2.11)	30.3 (2.04)	22.8 (1.90)
Uninsured	100.0	*	25.2 (6.89)	*	*	*
Marital status						
Married	100.0	15.8 (0.46)	19.4 (0.48)	28.3 (0.51)	23.1 (0.48)	13.4 (0.37)
Widowed	100.0	9.7 (2.06)	16.8 (4.22)	30.7 (4.99)	21.4 (4.08)	21.4 (4.49)
Divorced or separated	100.0	18.8 (1.11)	17.0 (0.94)	24.4 (1.05)	22.9 (1.01)	16.8 (0.87)
Never married	100.0	21.5 (0.74)	18.2 (0.74)	25.6 (0.89)	20.8 (0.78)	13.9 (0.68)
Living with a partner	100.0	21.9 (1.18)	18.9 (1.30)	24.5 (1.50)	20.3 (1.33)	14.4 (1.22)
Place of residence <sup>11</sup>						
Large MSA	100.0	17.9 (0.46)	19.8 (0.45)	28.0 (0.52)	21.5 (0.43)	12.9 (0.34)
Small MSA	100.0	18.4 (0.61)	17.1 (0.64)	26.2 (0.68)	23.6 (0.66)	14.7 (0.55)
Not in MSA	100.0	18.5 (1.21)	18.1 (1.00)	25.5 (1.14)	24.1 (1.10)	13.8 (0.82)
Region						
Northeast	100.0	13.9 (0.77)	20.4 (0.90)	28.7 (1.08)	22.7 (0.85)	14.3 (0.69)
Midwest	100.0	16.6 (0.77)	19.6 (0.75)	27.4 (0.81)	22.4 (0.70)	13.9 (0.62)
South	100.0	19.5 (0.61)	17.9 (0.58)	26.9 (0.62)	22.7 (0.52)	13.0 (0.45)
West	100.0	20.3 (0.70)	18.3 (0.66)	26.4 (0.73)	21.6 (0.76)	13.3 (0.51)

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Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	32.8 (1.53)	20.3 (1.34)	22.4 (1.35)	16.7 (1.28)	7.8 (0.90)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	19.8 (1.17)	15.5 (0.99)	28.7 (1.31)	22.5 (1.16)	13.6 (0.92)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	100.0	20.1 (0.62)	21.6 (0.63)	26.2 (0.65)	20.9 (0.55)	11.3 (0.42)
White, single race, female	100.0	9.4 (0.46)	15.1 (0.52)	29.5 (0.69)	27.2 (0.60)	18.8 (0.55)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	23.8 (1.52)	25.1 (1.62)	25.5 (1.66)	15.9 (1.20)	9.6 (1.01)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	13.2 (1.10)	18.2 (1.27)	28.6 (1.48)	25.7 (1.35)	14.4 (1.10)

\* Estimate does not meet NCHS standards of reliability.

<sup>1</sup>Based on a survey question that asked respondents, "During the past 12 months, how many times have you seen a doctor or other health care professional about your own health at a doctor's office, a clinic, or some other place?" Respondents were instructed to exclude overnight hospitalizations, visits to hospital emergency rooms, home visits, dental visits, and telephone calls.

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<sup>5</sup>Shown only for adults aged 25 and over. Estimates are age adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population using four age groups: 25-44, 45-64, 65-74, and 75 and over.

<sup>6</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

<sup>7</sup>"Full-time" employment is 35 or more hours per week. "Part-time" employment is 34 or fewer hours per week.

<sup>8</sup>Includes persons who reported a dollar amount or who would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

<sup>9</sup>"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.

<sup>10</sup>Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Adults with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes adults 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.

<sup>11</sup>MSA 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: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on data from the Sample Adult file and was weighted using the Sample Adult 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 four age groups: 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>).

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SOURCE: NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2018.

**Table A-17b. Frequency distribution (in thousands) of number of office visits to doctors or other health care professionals in past 12 months among adults aged 18 and over, by selected characteristics: United States, 2018**

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Total	249,456	42,330	45,183	67,144	57,132	34,244
Sex						
Male	120,442	27,133	25,408	30,198	23,472	12,646
Female	129,014	15,197	19,775	36,946	33,660	21,598
Age (years)						
18-44	115,008	27,010	24,472	29,941	19,670	12,343
45-64	83,038	12,237	14,762	22,889	20,252	11,753
65-74	30,809	2,107	3,958	8,609	10,005	5,773
75 and over	20,601	978	1,991	5,706	7,205	4,375
Race						
One race <sup>2</sup>	243,677	41,080	44,225	65,671	55,979	33,357
White	193,454	30,872	33,790	52,383	46,046	27,931
Black or African American	30,813	5,512	6,426	8,302	6,335	3,587
American Indian or Alaska Native	2,810	678	344	602	709	448
Asian	15,960	3,837	3,489	4,253	2,796	1,329
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	640	180	*	*	*	*
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	5,779	1,251	958	1,473	1,153	888
Black or African American, white	1,567	369	202	340	381	253
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	1,879	347	337	440	384	345
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race						
Hispanic or Latino	40,749	11,280	7,438	10,256	7,398	3,943
Mexican or Mexican American	24,415	7,186	4,216	6,017	4,408	2,333
Not Hispanic or Latino	208,706	31,051	37,745	56,888	49,734	30,301
White, single race	157,289	20,752	27,142	43,399	39,582	24,401
Black or African American, single race	29,089	5,135	6,127	7,749	6,011	3,415
Education <sup>5</sup>						
Less than a high school diploma	24,710	6,158	3,663	5,339	5,869	3,278
High school diploma or GED <sup>6</sup>	52,455	9,229	9,184	13,946	11,971	7,211
Some college	62,770	9,503	11,664	16,032	14,932	9,772
Bachelor's degree or higher	78,964	9,942	14,263	23,403	19,326	11,201
Current employment status <sup>7</sup>						
Employed	158,301	31,478	33,850	43,862	31,536	15,443
Full-time	129,152	26,278	28,013	36,454	25,044	11,684
Part-time	27,087	4,736	5,439	6,940	6,102	3,489
Not employed but has worked previously	78,269	7,876	9,452	20,188	22,604	17,064
Not employed and has never worked	12,669	2,921	1,860	3,027	2,941	1,726

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<b>Family income<sup>8</sup></b>						
Less than \$35,000	58,573	12,456	9,316	13,109	13,184	9,666
\$35,000 or more	166,985	25,260	32,013	47,722	38,529	21,698
\$35,000–\$49,999	24,817	4,728	4,395	6,433	5,494	3,520
\$50,000–\$74,999	38,139	6,673	6,152	10,384	9,138	5,317
\$75,000–\$99,999	30,794	4,801	5,987	8,594	7,021	4,216
\$100,000 or more	73,236	9,059	15,479	22,311	16,876	8,645
<b>Poverty status<sup>9</sup></b>						
Poor	24,028	5,952	3,760	4,769	5,118	4,136
Near poor	40,315	8,861	6,902	9,611	8,492	5,860
Not poor	173,576	25,257	32,562	49,854	40,951	22,884
<b>Health insurance coverage<sup>10</sup></b>						
Under 65:						
Private	136,568	21,617	29,221	39,395	29,049	15,558
Medicaid	24,908	4,187	3,931	5,824	5,497	5,035
Other coverage	9,857	1,398	1,297	2,388	2,499	2,143
Uninsured	25,525	11,667	4,510	4,924	2,764	1,243
65 and over:						
Private	21,274	825	2,539	5,902	7,418	4,277
Medicare and Medicaid	3,529	124	229	781	1,289	1,031
Medicare Advantage	13,113	765	1,594	3,977	4,339	2,309
Medicare only	7,945	894	921	2,154	2,571	1,292
Other coverage	5,181	359	607	1,444	1,532	1,175
Uninsured	274	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Marital status</b>						
Married	130,518	18,368	23,913	37,082	31,807	17,957
Widowed	14,263	1,030	1,715	3,715	4,619	2,886
Divorced or separated	27,100	4,096	4,145	6,780	6,856	4,798
Never married	58,300	14,244	11,650	14,760	10,339	6,211
Living with a partner	18,856	4,522	3,671	4,661	3,455	2,371
<b>Place of residence<sup>11</sup></b>						
Large MSA	142,041	24,224	27,299	39,429	30,829	18,415
Small MSA	75,044	12,825	12,281	19,448	18,180	11,149
Not in MSA	32,370	5,282	5,602	8,267	8,123	4,680
<b>Region</b>						
Northeast	43,262	5,443	8,273	12,181	10,279	6,421
Midwest	54,818	8,557	10,482	14,908	12,501	7,640
South	92,043	16,746	15,803	24,527	21,435	12,295
West	59,333	11,584	10,625	15,528	12,917	7,888

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Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	20,279	7,119	4,215	4,363	3,001	1,363
Hispanic or Latina, female	20,470	4,160	3,223	5,893	4,396	2,579
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	76,416	13,734	15,554	20,095	16,948	9,207
White, single race, female	80,872	7,018	11,588	23,304	22,634	15,193
Black or African American, single race, male	13,250	3,091	3,319	3,308	1,995	1,185
Black or African American, single race, female	15,840	2,044	2,808	4,441	4,016	2,229

\* Corresponding crude percentage for the frequency does not meet NCHS standards of reliability, so the frequency is not shown.

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A person may be represented in more than one column.

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<sup>5</sup>Shown only for adults aged 25 and over.

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NOTES: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on data from the Sample Adult file and was weighted using the Sample Adult weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the frequencies, but they are included in the "All adults aged 18 and over" column. "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>).

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SOURCE: NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2018.

**Table A-17c. Crude percent distribution (with standard errors) of number of office visits to doctors or other health care professionals in past 12 months among adults aged 18 and over, by selected characteristics: United States, 2018**

Selected characteristic	All adults aged 18 and over	No office visits <sup>1</sup>	1 office visit <sup>1</sup>	2-3 office visits <sup>1</sup>	4-9 office visits <sup>1</sup>	10 or more office visits <sup>1</sup>
Total	100.0	17.2 (0.34)	18.4 (0.33)	27.3 (0.37)	23.2 (0.34)	13.9 (0.27)
Sex						
Male	100.0	22.8 (0.51)	21.4 (0.48)	25.4 (0.50)	19.7 (0.46)	10.6 (0.32)
Female	100.0	11.9 (0.40)	15.5 (0.42)	29.1 (0.51)	26.5 (0.46)	17.0 (0.40)
Age (years)						
18-44	100.0	23.8 (0.59)	21.6 (0.54)	26.4 (0.59)	17.3 (0.49)	10.9 (0.38)
45-64	100.0	14.9 (0.52)	18.0 (0.51)	27.9 (0.59)	24.7 (0.56)	14.4 (0.44)
65-74	100.0	6.9 (0.44)	13.0 (0.60)	28.3 (0.80)	32.9 (0.84)	19.0 (0.67)
75 and over	100.0	4.8 (0.44)	9.8 (0.66)	28.2 (0.98)	35.6 (1.00)	21.6 (0.93)
Race						
One race <sup>2</sup>	100.0	17.1 (0.35)	18.4 (0.33)	27.3 (0.37)	23.3 (0.34)	13.9 (0.27)
White	100.0	16.2 (0.38)	17.7 (0.37)	27.4 (0.42)	24.1 (0.39)	14.6 (0.31)
Black or African American	100.0	18.3 (0.97)	21.3 (0.97)	27.5 (1.03)	21.0 (0.90)	11.9 (0.72)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	24.4 (2.71)	12.4 (2.17)	21.6 (2.86)	25.5 (3.29)	16.1 (3.34)
Asian	100.0	24.4 (1.58)	22.2 (1.34)	27.1 (1.49)	17.8 (1.34)	8.5 (0.84)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	28.2 (6.21)	*	*	*	*
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	100.0	21.9 (2.49)	16.7 (2.20)	25.7 (2.47)	20.1 (2.15)	15.5 (1.86)
Black or African American, white	100.0	23.9 (5.26)	13.1 (3.61)	22.0 (4.89)	24.6 (5.47)	16.4 (4.13)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	100.0	18.7 (3.88)	18.2 (4.15)	23.7 (3.56)	20.7 (3.42)	18.6 (2.92)
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race						
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	28.0 (1.05)	18.4 (0.85)	25.4 (0.98)	18.3 (0.87)	9.8 (0.61)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	29.7 (1.44)	17.5 (1.06)	24.9 (1.33)	18.2 (1.23)	9.7 (0.83)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	15.1 (0.35)	18.3 (0.35)	27.7 (0.40)	24.2 (0.36)	14.7 (0.30)
White, single race	100.0	13.4 (0.36)	17.5 (0.39)	27.9 (0.45)	25.5 (0.41)	15.7 (0.35)
Black or African American, single race	100.0	18.1 (1.00)	21.5 (1.01)	27.3 (1.05)	21.1 (0.92)	12.0 (0.74)
Education <sup>5</sup>						
Less than a high school diploma	100.0	25.3 (1.12)	15.1 (0.87)	22.0 (1.00)	24.1 (1.02)	13.5 (0.77)
High school diploma or GED <sup>6</sup>	100.0	17.9 (0.66)	17.8 (0.67)	27.1 (0.76)	23.2 (0.73)	14.0 (0.56)
Some college	100.0	15.4 (0.59)	18.8 (0.62)	25.9 (0.64)	24.1 (0.63)	15.8 (0.53)
Bachelor's degree or higher	100.0	12.7 (0.47)	18.3 (0.52)	30.0 (0.60)	24.7 (0.56)	14.3 (0.46)
Current employment status <sup>7</sup>						
Employed	100.0	20.2 (0.45)	21.7 (0.45)	28.1 (0.46)	20.2 (0.40)	9.9 (0.29)
Full-time	100.0	20.6 (0.50)	22.0 (0.48)	28.6 (0.51)	19.6 (0.44)	9.2 (0.31)
Part-time	100.0	17.7 (1.05)	20.4 (1.06)	26.0 (1.12)	22.8 (1.03)	13.1 (0.81)
Not employed but has worked previously	100.0	10.2 (0.44)	12.2 (0.44)	26.2 (0.57)	29.3 (0.57)	22.1 (0.53)
Not employed and has never worked	100.0	23.4 (1.76)	14.9 (1.30)	24.3 (1.91)	23.6 (1.74)	13.8 (1.36)

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Selected characteristic	All adults aged 18 and over	No office visits <sup>1</sup>	1 office visit <sup>1</sup>	2-3 office visits <sup>1</sup>	4-9 office visits <sup>1</sup>	10 or more office visits <sup>1</sup>
<b>Family income<sup>8</sup></b>						
Less than \$35,000	100.0	21.6 (0.67)	16.1 (0.58)	22.7 (0.64)	22.8 (0.61)	16.7 (0.54)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	15.3 (0.39)	19.4 (0.41)	28.9 (0.45)	23.3 (0.42)	13.1 (0.33)
\$35,000–\$49,999	100.0	19.2 (0.94)	17.9 (0.91)	26.2 (1.02)	22.4 (0.96)	14.3 (0.76)
\$50,000–\$74,999	100.0	17.7 (0.81)	16.3 (0.72)	27.6 (0.93)	24.3 (0.82)	14.1 (0.68)
\$75,000–\$99,999	100.0	15.7 (0.93)	19.6 (0.89)	28.1 (1.01)	22.9 (0.88)	13.8 (0.75)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	12.5 (0.56)	21.4 (0.68)	30.8 (0.72)	23.3 (0.67)	11.9 (0.47)
<b>Poverty status<sup>9</sup></b>						
Poor	100.0	25.1 (1.12)	15.8 (0.90)	20.1 (1.04)	21.6 (1.00)	17.4 (0.86)
Near poor	100.0	22.3 (0.87)	17.4 (0.78)	24.2 (0.83)	21.4 (0.79)	14.8 (0.66)
Not poor	100.0	14.7 (0.36)	19.0 (0.39)	29.1 (0.44)	23.9 (0.41)	13.3 (0.32)
<b>Health insurance coverage<sup>10</sup></b>						
Under 65:						
Private	100.0	16.0 (0.43)	21.7 (0.48)	29.2 (0.51)	21.5 (0.45)	11.5 (0.35)
Medicaid	100.0	17.1 (1.07)	16.1 (1.00)	23.8 (1.20)	22.5 (1.06)	20.6 (1.05)
Other coverage	100.0	14.4 (1.64)	13.3 (1.28)	24.6 (1.78)	25.7 (1.79)	22.0 (1.64)
Uninsured	100.0	46.5 (1.36)	18.0 (0.96)	19.6 (1.09)	11.0 (0.89)	4.9 (0.51)
65 and over:						
Private	100.0	3.9 (0.39)	12.1 (0.77)	28.2 (0.94)	35.4 (0.99)	20.4 (0.88)
Medicare and Medicaid	100.0	3.6 (0.83)	6.6 (1.18)	22.6 (2.22)	37.3 (2.44)	29.8 (2.32)
Medicare Advantage	100.0	5.9 (0.63)	12.3 (0.90)	30.6 (1.30)	33.4 (1.32)	17.8 (1.05)
Medicare only	100.0	11.4 (1.10)	11.8 (1.08)	27.5 (1.62)	32.8 (1.64)	16.5 (1.39)
Other coverage	100.0	7.0 (1.09)	11.9 (1.27)	28.2 (2.11)	29.9 (2.04)	23.0 (1.90)
Uninsured	100.0	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Marital status</b>						
Married	100.0	14.2 (0.40)	18.5 (0.44)	28.7 (0.48)	24.6 (0.46)	13.9 (0.36)
Widowed	100.0	7.4 (0.63)	12.3 (0.80)	26.6 (1.05)	33.1 (1.07)	20.7 (0.96)
Divorced or separated	100.0	15.4 (0.75)	15.5 (0.69)	25.4 (0.83)	25.7 (0.84)	18.0 (0.68)
Never married	100.0	24.9 (0.84)	20.4 (0.77)	25.8 (0.84)	18.1 (0.69)	10.9 (0.53)
Living with a partner	100.0	24.2 (1.25)	19.7 (1.17)	25.0 (1.28)	18.5 (1.08)	12.7 (0.97)
<b>Place of residence<sup>11</sup></b>						
Large MSA	100.0	17.3 (0.46)	19.5 (0.44)	28.1 (0.50)	22.0 (0.43)	13.1 (0.34)
Small MSA	100.0	17.4 (0.59)	16.6 (0.60)	26.3 (0.66)	24.6 (0.66)	15.1 (0.54)
Not in MSA	100.0	16.5 (1.06)	17.5 (0.90)	25.9 (1.04)	25.4 (1.01)	14.6 (0.80)
<b>Region</b>						
Northeast	100.0	12.8 (0.70)	19.4 (0.82)	28.6 (1.03)	24.1 (0.85)	15.1 (0.68)
Midwest	100.0	15.8 (0.75)	19.4 (0.71)	27.6 (0.77)	23.1 (0.69)	14.1 (0.61)
South	100.0	18.4 (0.59)	17.4 (0.55)	27.0 (0.59)	23.6 (0.53)	13.5 (0.44)
West	100.0	19.8 (0.69)	18.1 (0.64)	26.5 (0.72)	22.1 (0.76)	13.5 (0.51)



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Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	100.0	35.5 (1.62)	21.0 (1.34)	21.7 (1.34)	15.0 (1.23)	6.8 (0.80)
Hispanic or Latina, female	100.0	20.5 (1.23)	15.9 (1.00)	29.1 (1.35)	21.7 (1.17)	12.7 (0.91)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	100.0	18.2 (0.56)	20.6 (0.58)	26.6 (0.62)	22.4 (0.56)	12.2 (0.42)
White, single race, female	100.0	8.8 (0.40)	14.5 (0.47)	29.2 (0.62)	28.4 (0.55)	19.1 (0.51)
Black or African American, single race, male	100.0	24.0 (1.59)	25.7 (1.65)	25.7 (1.66)	15.5 (1.20)	9.2 (1.04)
Black or African American, single race, female	100.0	13.2 (1.10)	18.1 (1.25)	28.6 (1.47)	25.8 (1.37)	14.3 (1.09)

\* Estimate does not meet NCHS standards of reliability.

<sup>1</sup>Based on a survey question that asked respondents, "During the past 12 months, how many times have you seen a doctor or other health care professional about your own health at a doctor's office, a clinic, or some other place?" Respondents were instructed to exclude overnight hospitalizations, visits to hospital emergency rooms, home visits, dental visits, and telephone calls.

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

<sup>3</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>4</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>5</sup>Shown only for adults aged 25 and over.

<sup>6</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

<sup>7</sup>"Full-time" employment is 35 or more hours per week. "Part-time" employment is 34 or fewer hours per week.

<sup>8</sup>Includes persons who reported a dollar amount or who would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

<sup>9</sup>"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.

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