

**Table C-5a. Age-adjusted percent distributions (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status for children under age 18 years by selected characteristics: United States, 2013**

Selected characteristics	All children under age 18 years	Excellent <sup>1</sup>	Very good <sup>1</sup>	Good <sup>1</sup>	Fair or poor <sup>1</sup>
Total	100.0	58.4 (0.57)	25.6 (0.47)	14.3 (0.38)	1.7 (0.12)
Sex					
Male	100.0	58.8 (0.64)	25.0 (0.56)	14.3 (0.44)	1.8 (0.15)
Female	100.0	58.0 (0.72)	26.2 (0.61)	14.2 (0.47)	1.6 (0.15)
Age					
0-4 years	100.0	62.9 (0.89)	23.3 (0.76)	12.2 (0.54)	1.5 (0.18)
5-11 years	100.0	57.5 (0.76)	26.0 (0.66)	14.8 (0.51)	1.8 (0.18)
12-17 years	100.0	55.8 (0.77)	27.0 (0.65)	15.2 (0.51)	1.9 (0.19)
Race					
One race <sup>2</sup>	100.0	58.4 (0.58)	25.5 (0.48)	14.3 (0.39)	1.7 (0.13)
White	100.0	59.5 (0.67)	25.6 (0.55)	13.4 (0.44)	1.5 (0.14)
Black or African American	100.0	55.3 (1.24)	23.9 (1.07)	17.7 (1.00)	3.0 (0.41)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	43.3 (5.38)	25.7 (3.80)	28.8 (4.28)	*2.1 (0.97)
Asian	100.0	55.4 (1.92)	29.9 (1.87)	13.8 (1.43)	1.0 (0.27)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	63.3 (11.84)	*13.5 (5.49)	*23.2 (10.92)	-
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	100.0	56.9 (2.15)	27.3 (1.87)	14.3 (1.41)	1.4 (0.42)
Black or African American and white	100.0	57.0 (3.33)	27.1 (2.82)	15.1 (2.25)	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	100.0	51.1 (5.45)	25.2 (4.75)	21.0 (3.67)	*2.7 (1.31)
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race					
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	51.5 (1.09)	25.3 (0.86)	20.9 (0.85)	2.4 (0.30)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	48.9 (1.27)	26.1 (1.07)	22.8 (1.06)	2.2 (0.38)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	60.6 (0.62)	25.7 (0.55)	12.1 (0.39)	1.5 (0.13)
White, single race	100.0	63.0 (0.74)	25.6 (0.67)	10.2 (0.45)	1.2 (0.14)
Black or African American only, single race	100.0	55.3 (1.30)	24.1 (1.12)	17.7 (1.04)	3.0 (0.41)
Family structure <sup>5</sup>					
Mother and father	100.0	61.2 (0.66)	25.4 (0.55)	12.1 (0.43)	1.3 (0.13)
Mother, no father	100.0	51.4 (1.01)	25.8 (0.89)	20.0 (0.76)	2.8 (0.27)
Father, no mother	100.0	56.9 (2.69)	27.3 (2.43)	14.4 (1.75)	*1.3 (0.44)
Neither mother nor father	100.0	47.2 (2.93)	28.8 (2.67)	19.9 (2.18)	4.1 (1.00)
Parent's education <sup>6</sup>					
Less than high school diploma	100.0	47.0 (1.56)	24.2 (1.28)	24.6 (1.25)	4.2 (0.50)
High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup>	100.0	51.2 (1.16)	27.4 (0.98)	19.4 (0.92)	2.1 (0.28)
More than high school	100.0	63.0 (0.64)	25.2 (0.57)	10.7 (0.40)	1.1 (0.11)
Family income <sup>8</sup>					
Less than \$35,000	100.0	49.0 (0.95)	25.5 (0.80)	22.1 (0.75)	3.5 (0.30)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	63.2 (0.67)	25.6 (0.59)	10.2 (0.40)	1.0 (0.12)
\$35,000-\$49,999	100.0	52.9 (1.42)	30.7 (1.33)	14.9 (0.94)	1.5 (0.25)
\$50,000-\$74,999	100.0	57.6 (1.43)	27.6 (1.24)	13.4 (0.90)	1.4 (0.25)
\$75,000-\$99,999	100.0	63.9 (1.48)	24.8 (1.22)	10.3 (0.98)	*1.1 (0.44)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	71.6 (0.97)	22.1 (0.89)	5.8 (0.46)	0.5 (0.10)

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Selected characteristics	All children under age 18 years	Excellent <sup>1</sup>	Very good <sup>1</sup>	Good <sup>1</sup>	Fair or poor <sup>1</sup>
<b>Poverty status<sup>9</sup></b>					
Poor	100.0	47.6 (1.17)	24.4 (0.98)	24.1 (0.98)	3.9 (0.37)
Near poor	100.0	52.7 (1.07)	29.2 (1.01)	16.3 (0.81)	1.8 (0.22)
Not poor	100.0	66.2 (0.73)	24.3 (0.62)	8.6 (0.39)	0.9 (0.14)
<b>Health insurance coverage<sup>10</sup></b>					
Private	100.0	65.6 (0.69)	24.7 (0.62)	8.9 (0.39)	0.8 (0.10)
Medicaid or other public	100.0	48.9 (0.84)	26.5 (0.73)	21.5 (0.69)	3.1 (0.26)
Other	100.0	63.7 (3.36)	26.6 (3.07)	8.7 (1.50)	*1.1 (0.48)
Uninsured	100.0	54.1 (1.78)	26.5 (1.56)	17.7 (1.34)	1.7 (0.40)
<b>Place of residence<sup>11</sup></b>					
Large MSA	100.0	59.2 (0.74)	24.9 (0.60)	14.2 (0.51)	1.7 (0.15)
Small MSA	100.0	58.8 (1.16)	25.9 (0.97)	13.4 (0.69)	1.9 (0.27)
Not in MSA	100.0	54.5 (1.33)	27.4 (1.04)	16.4 (1.09)	1.7 (0.27)
<b>Region</b>					
Northeast	100.0	58.9 (1.38)	26.1 (1.26)	13.7 (0.92)	1.3 (0.23)
Midwest	100.0	57.7 (1.18)	28.1 (1.06)	12.7 (0.86)	1.5 (0.22)
South	100.0	58.5 (1.01)	24.7 (0.75)	14.8 (0.63)	2.0 (0.25)
West	100.0	58.3 (1.00)	24.5 (0.90)	15.4 (0.68)	1.8 (0.22)

\* 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.

<sup>1</sup>Based on the question, "Would you say [subject's name]'s health in general was excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor?"

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

<sup>3</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>4</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>5</sup>Refers 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."

<sup>6</sup>Refers 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.

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

<sup>9</sup>"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.

<sup>10</sup>Based 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.

<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: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about all children in the family, not only the sample child. Data came from the Person File and were weighted using the Person 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>.

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

**Table C-5b. Frequency distributions (in thousands) of respondent-assessed health status for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013**

Selected characteristics	All children under age 18 years	Excellent <sup>1</sup>	Very good <sup>1</sup>	Good <sup>1</sup>	Fair or poor <sup>1</sup>
Total	73,484	42,892	18,811	10,475	1,270
Sex					
Male	37,530	22,067	9,387	5,363	693
Female	35,954	20,826	9,424	5,112	577
Age					
0-4 years	19,891	12,514	4,642	2,432	295
5-11 years	28,910	16,608	7,506	4,285	509
12-17 years	24,683	13,770	6,664	3,758	467
Race					
One race <sup>2</sup>	70,266	41,046	17,945	10,020	1,221
White	54,797	32,580	14,032	7,329	839
Black or African American	10,885	6,018	2,602	1,924	330
American Indian or Alaska Native	782	337	202	229	*15
Asian	3,660	2,023	1,091	504	37
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	142	*88	*19	*	-
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	3,219	1,847	865	455	*49
Black or African American and white	1,390	799	368	211	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	541	271	137	119	*15
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race					
Hispanic or Latino	17,767	9,171	4,475	3,702	419
Mexican or Mexican American	12,263	6,011	3,192	2,790	271
Not Hispanic or Latino	55,717	33,722	14,336	6,773	851
White, single race	38,948	24,491	9,988	3,976	475
Black or African American only, single race	10,111	5,582	2,434	1,785	298
Family structure <sup>5</sup>					
Mother and father	51,483	31,569	13,013	6,215	651
Mother, no father	17,539	8,999	4,517	3,520	501
Father, no mother	2,375	1,345	667	330	*33
Neither mother nor father	2,087	980	614	409	85
Parent's education <sup>6</sup>					
Less than high school diploma	8,748	4,113	2,119	2,149	366
High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup>	13,411	6,875	3,660	2,592	274
More than high school	48,803	30,722	12,297	5,219	544
Family income <sup>8</sup>					
Less than \$35,000	22,183	10,919	5,636	4,870	758
\$35,000 or more	45,955	28,993	11,772	4,712	458
\$35,000-\$49,999	8,637	4,566	2,653	1,285	131
\$50,000-\$74,999	11,414	6,581	3,151	1,524	156
\$75,000-\$99,999	8,744	5,588	2,162	894	*91
\$100,000 or more	17,161	12,257	3,805	1,008	80

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Poverty status <sup>9</sup>					
Poor	14,973	7,193	3,647	3,568	565
Near poor	14,446	7,619	4,221	2,347	258
Not poor	37,003	24,430	9,012	3,208	332
Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup>					
Private	38,859	25,389	9,640	3,491	312
Medicaid or other public	27,540	13,584	7,269	5,831	847
Other	1,857	1,196	483	158	*19
Uninsured	4,847	2,560	1,316	882	89
Place of residence <sup>11</sup>					
Large MSA	39,532	23,377	9,853	5,611	664
Small MSA	23,201	13,653	6,008	3,103	429
Not in MSA	10,751	5,862	2,950	1,761	177
Region					
Northeast	11,630	6,841	3,036	1,590	153
Midwest	16,467	9,506	4,630	2,088	243
South	28,151	16,491	6,926	4,150	562
West	17,236	10,055	4,219	2,647	311

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**Table C-5c. Crude percent distributions (with standard errors) of respondent-assessed health status for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013**

Selected characteristics	All children under age 18 years	Excellent <sup>1</sup>	Very good <sup>1</sup>	Good <sup>1</sup>	Fair or poor <sup>1</sup>
Total	100.0	58.4 (0.57)	25.6 (0.47)	14.3 (0.38)	1.7 (0.12)
Sex					
Male	100.0	58.8 (0.64)	25.0 (0.56)	14.3 (0.44)	1.8 (0.15)
Female	100.0	57.9 (0.72)	26.2 (0.61)	14.2 (0.47)	1.6 (0.15)
Age					
0-4 years	100.0	62.9 (0.89)	23.3 (0.76)	12.2 (0.54)	1.5 (0.18)
5-11 years	100.0	57.5 (0.76)	26.0 (0.66)	14.8 (0.51)	1.8 (0.18)
12-17 years	100.0	55.8 (0.77)	27.0 (0.65)	15.2 (0.51)	1.9 (0.19)
Race					
One race <sup>2</sup>	100.0	58.4 (0.58)	25.6 (0.48)	14.3 (0.39)	1.7 (0.13)
White	100.0	59.5 (0.67)	25.6 (0.55)	13.4 (0.44)	1.5 (0.14)
Black or African American	100.0	55.3 (1.24)	23.9 (1.07)	17.7 (0.99)	3.0 (0.41)
American Indian or Alaska Native	100.0	43.0 (5.34)	25.8 (3.78)	29.2 (4.45)	*1.9 (0.85)
Asian	100.0	55.3 (1.94)	29.8 (1.88)	13.8 (1.44)	1.0 (0.27)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	100.0	62.1 (13.05)	*13.3 (5.35)	*	-
Two or more races <sup>3</sup>	100.0	57.4 (2.14)	26.9 (1.86)	14.1 (1.39)	*1.5 (0.47)
Black or African American and white	100.0	57.5 (3.34)	26.4 (2.78)	15.2 (2.23)	*
American Indian or Alaska Native and white	100.0	50.1 (5.45)	25.2 (4.64)	22.0 (3.90)	*2.7 (1.30)
Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race					
Hispanic or Latino	100.0	51.6 (1.09)	25.2 (0.86)	20.8 (0.85)	2.4 (0.30)
Mexican or Mexican American	100.0	49.0 (1.28)	26.0 (1.08)	22.7 (1.06)	2.2 (0.39)
Not Hispanic or Latino	100.0	60.6 (0.62)	25.7 (0.55)	12.2 (0.39)	1.5 (0.13)
White, single race	100.0	62.9 (0.74)	25.7 (0.67)	10.2 (0.45)	1.2 (0.14)
Black or African American only, single race	100.0	55.3 (1.29)	24.1 (1.12)	17.7 (1.03)	3.0 (0.41)
Family structure <sup>5</sup>					
Mother and father	100.0	61.4 (0.66)	25.3 (0.55)	12.1 (0.43)	1.3 (0.13)
Mother, no father	100.0	51.3 (1.00)	25.8 (0.88)	20.1 (0.77)	2.9 (0.27)
Father, no mother	100.0	56.6 (2.62)	28.1 (2.38)	13.9 (1.64)	*1.4 (0.48)
Neither mother nor father	100.0	46.9 (2.93)	29.4 (2.62)	19.6 (2.14)	4.1 (0.99)
Parent's education <sup>6</sup>					
Less than high school diploma	100.0	47.0 (1.57)	24.2 (1.29)	24.6 (1.25)	4.2 (0.51)
High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup>	100.0	51.3 (1.16)	27.3 (0.98)	19.3 (0.92)	2.0 (0.27)
More than high school	100.0	63.0 (0.64)	25.2 (0.57)	10.7 (0.40)	1.1 (0.11)
Family income <sup>8</sup>					
Less than \$35,000	100.0	49.2 (0.95)	25.4 (0.80)	22.0 (0.75)	3.4 (0.30)
\$35,000 or more	100.0	63.1 (0.67)	25.6 (0.58)	10.3 (0.40)	1.0 (0.12)
\$35,000-\$49,999	100.0	52.9 (1.43)	30.7 (1.33)	14.9 (0.94)	1.5 (0.25)
\$50,000-\$74,999	100.0	57.7 (1.43)	27.6 (1.24)	13.4 (0.90)	1.4 (0.25)
\$75,000-\$99,999	100.0	64.0 (1.48)	24.7 (1.22)	10.2 (0.98)	*1.0 (0.43)
\$100,000 or more	100.0	71.5 (0.97)	22.2 (0.89)	5.9 (0.47)	0.5 (0.10)

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Near poor	100.0	52.7 (1.08)	29.2 (1.02)	16.2 (0.81)	1.8 (0.21)
Not poor	100.0	66.1 (0.73)	24.4 (0.62)	8.7 (0.39)	0.9 (0.14)
Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup>					
Private	100.0	65.4 (0.69)	24.8 (0.62)	9.0 (0.40)	0.8 (0.10)
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\* 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.

<sup>1</sup>Based on the question, "Would you say [subject's name]'s health in general was excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor?"

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

<sup>3</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>4</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>5</sup>Refers 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."

<sup>6</sup>Refers 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.

<sup>7</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

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

<sup>9</sup>"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.

<sup>10</sup>Based 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.

<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: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about all children in the family, not only the sample child. 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 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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