

WOMEN'S FACT SHEETS

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Health Insurance Coverage of Women Ages 18 to 64, by State, 2001-2002

	Estimated Number of Women (Thousands)	Percent Distribution		
		Private/Other*	Medicaid	Uninsured
United States (2002)	90,394	73.7%	8.6%	17.7%
Alabama	1,396	75.4%	8.7%	16.0%
Alaska	192	73.7%	8.7%	17.6%
Arizona	1,613	72.5%	8.8%	18.7%
Arkansas	806	69.4%	8.9%	21.7%
California	10,869	68.9%	9.8%	21.4%
Colorado	1,378	78.1%	4.3%	17.6%
Connecticut	1,044	80.9%	6.9%	12.3%
Delaware	258	82.4%	8.7%	8.9%
District of Columbia	196	71.8%	15.7%	12.6%
Florida	4,961	71.9%	7.2%	20.9%
Georgia	2,749	75.6%	5.4%	19.0%
Hawaii	364	79.6%	8.6%	11.7%
Idaho	401	71.3%	8.5%	20.1%
Illinois	3,946	76.9%	7.3%	15.8%
Indiana	1,906	79.6%	5.2%	15.2%
Iowa	896	82.6%	6.8%	10.7%
Kansas	816	80.5%	5.1%	14.4%
Kentucky	1,291	75.8%	7.9%	16.3%
Louisiana	1,395	66.0%	8.2%	25.8%
Maine	403	74.0%	13.3%	12.8%
Maryland	1,715	82.9%	4.0%	13.1%
Massachusetts	2,061	78.1%	12.4%	9.5%
Michigan	3,213	77.9%	8.6%	13.5%
Minnesota	1,624	84.2%	7.9%	7.9%
Mississippi	912	65.2%	14.2%	20.5%
Missouri	1,790	76.4%	9.0%	14.5%
Montana	272	73.6%	8.9%	17.5%
Nebraska	525	82.1%	6.4%	11.6%
Nevada	647	77.5%	4.0%	18.5%
New Hampshire	401	84.5%	3.4%	12.0%
New Jersey	2,736	77.1%	7.6%	15.3%
New Mexico	556	62.0%	9.9%	28.1%
New York	6,150	69.2%	12.5%	18.3%
North Carolina	2,597	72.2%	8.4%	19.4%
North Dakota	193	79.9%	7.7%	12.4%
Ohio	3,604	78.1%	8.1%	13.8%
Oklahoma	1,041	71.2%	7.0%	21.8%
Oregon	1,123	72.2%	11.6%	16.3%
Pennsylvania	3,887	79.8%	8.5%	11.7%
Rhode Island	337	76.0%	13.3%	10.7%
South Carolina	1,274	74.2%	10.6%	15.2%
South Dakota	226	80.9%	6.1%	13.0%
Tennessee	1,900	70.5%	17.1%	12.4%
Texas	6,577	65.6%	6.0%	28.3%
Utah	704	78.6%	6.6%	14.8%
Vermont	206	75.2%	13.3%	11.5%
Virginia	2,298	81.2%	5.1%	13.7%
Washington	1,906	74.3%	10.6%	15.1%
West Virginia	560	69.1%	12.1%	18.8%
Wisconsin	1,690	82.9%	8.2%	8.9%
Wyoming	154	73.0%	5.1%	21.9%

* Private/Other category includes: employer-based coverage, other private insurance, and other public insurance, such as Medicare and military-related coverage.

Source: State-level figures based on Urban Institute and Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the Uninsured estimates using pooled March 2002 and 2003 Current Population Surveys. U.S. total based on March 2003 Current Population Survey.

Health Insurance Coverage of Low-Income Women Ages 18 to 64, by State, 2001-2002

	Estimated Number of Low-Income Women (Thousands)	% of Women who are Low-Income	Percent Distribution		
			Private/Other *	Medicaid	Uninsured
United States (2002)	29,477	32.6%	42.6%	22.3%	35.2%
Alabama	517	37.0%	45.8%	22.1%	32.1%
Alaska	49	25.4%	35.4%	27.8%	36.7%
Arizona	559	34.7%	41.2%	21.8%	37.0%
Arkansas	323	40.1%	45.4%	17.4%	37.2%
California	3,849	35.4%	37.9%	22.4%	39.7%
Colorado	376	27.3%	48.8%	11.5%	39.7%
Connecticut	249	23.8%	47.3%	24.1%	28.7%
Delaware	64	25.0%	50.3%	27.2%	22.5%
District of Columbia	66	33.5%	34.9%	39.9%	25.2%
Florida	1,729	34.9%	43.3%	17.7%	39.0%
Georgia	887	32.3%	48.4%	14.5%	37.1%
Hawaii	129	35.4%	57.4%	21.3%	21.3%
Idaho	144	35.8%	43.0%	20.1%	36.9%
Illinois	1,185	30.0%	45.1%	20.9%	34.0%
Indiana	556	29.2%	54.1%	14.6%	31.3%
Iowa	236	26.4%	52.4%	20.6%	27.1%
Kansas	228	28.0%	49.7%	14.6%	35.7%
Kentucky	458	35.5%	47.2%	19.4%	33.4%
Louisiana	593	42.5%	38.8%	18.1%	43.1%
Maine	127	31.5%	41.5%	34.6%	23.9%
Maryland	368	21.4%	48.6%	15.0%	36.4%
Massachusetts	550	26.7%	40.8%	40.3%	18.9%
Michigan	1,010	31.4%	49.0%	22.6%	28.4%
Minnesota	338	20.8%	47.4%	27.9%	24.7%
Mississippi	415	45.5%	38.0%	27.9%	34.0%
Missouri	531	29.6%	44.4%	25.6%	30.0%
Montana	101	37.3%	49.7%	20.0%	30.2%
Nebraska	137	26.0%	55.6%	19.8%	24.6%
Nevada	200	31.0%	51.6%	7.8%	40.6%
New Hampshire	83	20.7%	53.5%	13.0%	33.6%
New Jersey	711	26.0%	40.7%	24.0%	35.3%
New Mexico	248	44.5%	34.9%	20.7%	44.4%
New York	2,130	34.6%	35.9%	30.3%	33.8%
North Carolina	912	35.1%	42.5%	20.7%	36.8%
North Dakota	60	31.0%	53.7%	22.4%	23.8%
Ohio	1,066	29.6%	45.5%	24.2%	30.3%
Oklahoma	350	33.6%	41.7%	18.2%	40.0%
Oregon	383	34.1%	39.4%	29.4%	31.2%
Pennsylvania	1,134	29.2%	49.8%	24.5%	25.7%
Rhode Island	92	27.4%	38.4%	36.6%	25.0%
South Carolina	429	33.7%	42.6%	27.7%	29.7%
South Dakota	65	28.9%	53.0%	17.3%	29.7%
Tennessee	668	35.2%	40.8%	38.2%	21.0%
Texas	2,600	39.5%	36.4%	13.6%	50.0%
Utah	233	33.1%	53.3%	16.7%	29.9%
Vermont	58	28.0%	44.1%	36.7%	19.2%
Virginia	615	26.8%	54.2%	15.2%	30.6%
Washington	614	32.2%	46.1%	26.0%	27.9%
West Virginia	234	41.8%	41.8%	25.9%	32.4%
Wisconsin	443	26.2%	54.7%	25.8%	19.5%
Wyoming	47	30.7%	44.2%	13.4%	42.4%

Note: Low-income is defined as <200% of poverty, or \$30,040 for a family of three in 2002.

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