

# MENDOCINO COUNTY

## Health Insurance Coverage, the Lack of Coverage, and Demographic Characteristics

*Based on Data from the 2005 California Health Interview Survey*

Approximately **18,000 children and adults who were uninsured** for all or part of the year reside in Mendocino County, out of a total of 6.5 million uninsured Californians statewide. Approximately **3,000 uninsured children** and **15,000 uninsured nonelderly adults** reside in this county, out of 1.1 million uninsured children and 5.4 million uninsured adults statewide. There are 54,000 non-elderly adults and 22,000 children in this county, for a total non-elderly population of 77,000.

	MENDOCINO COUNTY	CALIFORNIA
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF THE NONELDERLY (AGES 0-64)</b>		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	23.6% (18.5 - 28.7)	20.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	41.5% (35.9 - 47.1)	54.3%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	18.5% (13.8 - 23.3)	15.9%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED AND OTHER (95% RANGE)	16.4% (12.0 - 20.8)	9.5%
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF CHILDREN (AGES 0-18)</b>		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	13.1% (4.3 - 21.8)	10.7%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	34.5% (24.2 - 44.8)	50.3%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	40.2% (28.5 - 51.9)	31.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED AND OTHER (95% RANGE)	12.3% (5.0 - 19.5)	7.8%
<b>HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF ADULTS (AGES 19-64)</b>		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	28.0% (21.8 - 34.1)	24.8%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	44.4% (37.8 - 50.9)	56.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	9.6% (5.9 - 13.2)	8.7%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED OR OTHER (95% RANGE)	18.1% (12.7 - 23.5)	10.4%
<b>% OF UNINSURED NONELDERLY (AGES 0-64) WITH ANNUAL FAMILY INCOMES OF LESS THAN 300% FPL<sup>†</sup></b>	77.3%	74.5%
% OF UNINSURED CHILDREN (AGES 0-18) WITH INCOMES < 300% FPL	96.2%	82.1%
% OF UNINSURED ADULTS (AGES 19-64) WITH INCOMES < 300% FPL	73.6%	72.9%

<sup>†</sup> FPL = Federal Poverty Level (The 2005 FPL was \$9,973 for one person, \$12,755 for a two-person family and \$15,577 for a three-person family.)

Note: The "95% range" (more commonly called the "margin of error") provides a more reliable estimate of the uninsured rate for persons in the population group than does the "point estimate." Point estimates with narrower 95% ranges are more precise or reliable than those with wider ranges.



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