

VENTURA COUNTY

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

Based on Data from the 2005 California Health Interview Survey

Approximately **130,000 children and adults who were uninsured** for all or part of the year reside in Ventura County, out of a total of 6.5 million uninsured Californians statewide. Approximately **28,000 uninsured children** and **103,000 uninsured nonelderly adults** reside in this county, out of 1.1 million uninsured children and 5.4 million uninsured adults statewide. There are 482,000 non-elderly adults and 236,000 children in this county, for a total non-elderly population of 718,000.

	VENTURA COUNTY	CALIFORNIA
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF THE NONELDERLY (AGES 0-64)		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	18.2% (14.3 - 22.0)	20.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	58.7% (54.2 - 63.3)	54.3%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	12.5% (9.2 - 15.7)	15.9%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED AND OTHER (95% RANGE)	10.6% (7.8 - 13.4)	9.5%
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF CHILDREN (AGES 0-18)		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	11.8% (6.6 - 17.1)	10.7%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	54.3% (46.4 - 62.2)	50.3%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	24.2% (17.0 - 31.4)	31.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED AND OTHER (95% RANGE)	9.7% (5.5 - 13.9)	7.8%
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE OF ADULTS (AGES 19-64)		
% UNINSURED ALL OR PART YEAR (95% RANGE)	21.3% (16.2 - 26.3)	24.8%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, EMPLOYMENT-BASED (95% RANGE)	60.9% (55.3 - 66.5)	56.2%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, MEDI-CAL/HEALTHY FAMILIES (95% RANGE)	6.8% (3.7 - 9.9)	8.7%
% INSURED ALL YEAR, PRIVATELY PURCHASED OR OTHER (95% RANGE)	11.0% (7.4 - 14.7)	10.4%
% OF UNINSURED NONELDERLY (AGES 0-64) WITH ANNUAL FAMILY INCOMES OF LESS THAN 300% FPL[†]	71.5%	74.5%
% OF UNINSURED CHILDREN (AGES 0-18) WITH INCOMES < 300% FPL	87.1%	82.1%
% OF UNINSURED ADULTS (AGES 19-64) WITH INCOMES < 300% FPL	67.2%	72.9%

[†] 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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