

**Table 7.**  
**People Without Health Insurance Coverage by Selected Characteristics: 2007 and 2008**

(Numbers in thousands, confidence intervals [C.I.] in thousands or percentage points as appropriate. People as of March of the following year. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [www.census.gov/apspd/techdoc/cps/cpsmar09.pdf](http://www.census.gov/apspd/techdoc/cps/cpsmar09.pdf))

Characteristic	2007					2008					Change in uninsured (2008 less 2007) <sup>1</sup>		
	Total	Uninsured				Total	Uninsured				Number	Percentage	
		Number	90 percent C.I. <sup>2</sup> (±)	Percentage	90 percent C.I. <sup>2</sup> (±)		Number	90 percent C.I. <sup>2</sup> (±)	Percentage	90 percent C.I. <sup>2</sup> (±)			
<b>PEOPLE</b>													
<b>Total</b> . . . . .	<b>299,106</b>	<b>45,657</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>301,483</b>	<b>46,340</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>*682</b>	<b>0.1</b>	
<b>Family Status</b>													
In families . . . . .	245,443	34,629	468	14.1	0.2	248,301	35,248	472	14.2	0.2	*618	0.1	
Householder . . . . .	77,908	10,272	168	13.2	0.2	78,874	10,535	170	13.4	0.2	*264	0.2	
Related children under 18 . . . . .	72,792	7,802	233	10.7	0.3	72,980	7,025	222	9.6	0.3	*-777	*-1.1	
Related children under 6 . . . . .	24,543	2,555	135	10.4	0.5	24,884	2,142	124	8.6	0.5	*-413	*-1.8	
In unrelated subfamilies . . . . .	1,516	363	51	23.9	2.9	1,207	300	46	24.9	3.3	*-627	1.0	
Unrelated individuals . . . . .	52,147	10,665	272	20.5	0.5	51,975	10,791	273	20.8	0.5	126	0.3	
<b>Race<sup>3</sup> and Hispanic Origin</b>													
White . . . . .	239,399	34,300	466	14.3	0.2	240,852	34,890	470	14.5	0.2	*590	0.2	
White, not Hispanic . . . . .	196,768	20,548	370	10.4	0.2	197,159	21,322	377	10.8	0.2	*774	*0.4	
Black . . . . .	37,775	7,372	258	19.5	0.7	38,076	7,284	257	19.1	0.6	-88	-0.4	
Asian . . . . .	13,268	2,234	144	16.8	1.0	13,315	2,344	147	17.6	1.1	110	*0.8	
Hispanic (any race) . . . . .	46,026	14,770	321	32.1	0.7	47,485	14,558	323	30.7	0.7	-212	*-1.4	
<b>Age</b>													
Under 18 years . . . . .	74,403	8,149	238	11.0	0.3	74,510	7,348	227	9.9	0.3	*-801	*-1.1	
18 to 24 years . . . . .	28,398	7,991	236	28.1	0.7	28,688	8,200	239	28.6	0.7	209	0.4	
25 to 34 years . . . . .	40,146	10,329	267	25.7	0.6	40,520	10,754	273	26.5	0.6	*425	*0.8	
35 to 44 years . . . . .	42,132	7,717	232	18.3	0.5	41,322	8,035	237	19.4	0.5	*318	*1.1	
45 to 64 years . . . . .	77,237	10,784	273	14.0	0.3	78,655	11,355	280	14.4	0.3	*571	*0.5	
65 years and older . . . . .	36,790	686	70	1.9	0.2	37,788	646	68	1.7	0.2	-40	-0.2	
<b>Nativity</b>													
Native born . . . . .	261,842	33,269	460	12.7	0.2	264,733	34,036	465	12.9	0.2	*767	0.2	
Foreign born . . . . .	37,264	12,388	333	33.2	0.7	36,750	12,304	331	33.5	0.8	-85	0.2	
Naturalized citizen . . . . .	15,050	2,651	157	17.6	0.9	15,475	2,792	161	18.0	0.9	141	0.4	
Not a citizen . . . . .	22,214	9,737	296	43.8	1.0	21,274	9,511	293	44.7	1.0	-226	0.9	
<b>Region</b>													
Northeast . . . . .	54,031	6,143	202	11.4	0.4	54,191	6,277	205	11.6	0.4	134	0.2	
Midwest . . . . .	65,480	7,495	221	11.4	0.3	65,672	7,588	223	11.6	0.3	93	0.1	
South . . . . .	109,710	20,210	358	18.4	0.3	110,845	20,154	357	18.2	0.3	-57	-0.2	
West . . . . .	69,883	11,809	278	16.9	0.4	70,775	12,321	284	17.4	0.4	*511	*0.5	
<b>Residence</b>													
Inside metropolitan statistical areas . . . . .	251,363	38,497	490	15.3	0.2	253,399	39,023	493	15.4	0.2	525	0.1	
Inside principal cities . . . . .	96,874	17,935	348	18.5	0.3	97,364	17,963	348	18.4	0.3	28	-0.1	
Outside principal cities . . . . .	154,489	20,563	370	13.3	0.2	156,036	21,060	375	13.5	0.2	*497	0.2	
Outside metropolitan statistical areas <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	47,743	7,160	274	15.0	0.5	48,083	7,317	277	15.2	0.5	157	0.2	
<b>Household Income</b>													
Less than \$25,000 . . . . .	55,267	13,539	304	24.5	0.5	55,814	13,673	306	24.5	0.5	133	-	
\$25,000 to \$49,999 . . . . .	68,915	14,515	315	21.1	0.4	69,621	14,908	319	21.4	0.4	*393	0.4	
\$50,000 to \$74,999 . . . . .	58,355	8,488	243	14.5	0.4	57,525	8,034	237	14.0	0.4	*-454	*-0.6	
\$75,000 or more . . . . .	116,568	9,115	252	7.8	0.2	118,523	9,725	260	8.2	0.2	*610	*0.4	
<b>Work Experience</b>													
Total, 18 to 64 years old . . . . .	187,913	36,822	497	19.6	0.3	189,185	38,345	505	20.3	0.3	*1,524	*0.7	
Worked during year . . . . .	148,603	26,840	438	18.1	0.3	148,463	27,772	444	18.7	0.3	*932	*0.6	
Worked full-time . . . . .	123,882	21,060	395	17.0	0.3	121,468	20,908	393	17.2	0.3	-152	0.2	
Worked part-time . . . . .	24,721	5,780	216	23.4	0.8	26,995	6,864	234	25.4	0.8	*1,084	*2.0	
Did not work . . . . .	39,310	9,981	282	25.4	0.6	40,723	10,573	289	26.0	0.6	*592	0.6	

- Represents or rounds to zero.  
\* Statistically different from zero at the 90 percent confidence level.

<sup>1</sup> Details may not sum to totals because of rounding.

<sup>2</sup> A 90 percent confidence interval is a measure of an estimate's variability. The larger the confidence interval in relation to the size of the estimate, the less reliable the estimate. For more information, see "Standard Errors and Their Use" at [www.census.gov/hhes/www/p60\\_236sa.pdf](http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/p60_236sa.pdf).

<sup>3</sup> Federal surveys now give respondents the option of reporting more than one race. Therefore, two basic ways of defining a race group are possible. A group such as Asian may be defined as those who reported Asian and no other race (the race-alone or single-race concept) or as those who reported Asian regardless of whether they also reported another race (the race-alone-or-in-combination concept). This table shows data using the first approach (race alone). The use of the single-race population does not imply that it is the preferred method of presenting or analyzing data. The Census Bureau uses a variety of approaches. Information on people who reported more than one race, such as White and American Indian and Alaska Native or Asian and Black or African American, is available from Census 2000 through American FactFinder. About 2.6 percent of people reported more than one race in Census 2000. Data for American Indians and Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians and Other Pacific Islanders, and those reporting two or more races are not shown separately.

<sup>4</sup> The "Outside metropolitan statistical areas" category includes both micropolitan statistical areas and territory outside of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas. For more information, see "About Metropolitan and Micropolitan Statistical Areas" at [www.census.gov/population/www/estimates/aboutmetro.html](http://www.census.gov/population/www/estimates/aboutmetro.html).

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2008 and 2009 Annual Social and Economic Supplements.