

Comparison of Health Insurance Coverage by Age Group

Geography	% Uninsured	% with Private Health Insurance	% with Public Health Insurance	% Uninsured ²	% with Private Health Insurance ³	% with Public Health Insurance ⁴	% 18-64 Uninsured	18-64 with Private Health Insurance	18-64 with Public Health Insurance	65+ Uninsured	65+ with Private Health Insurance	65+ with Public Health Insurance
United States	15.1%	69.6%	25.5%	9.9%	64.1%	28.3%	19.8%	71.8%	11.1%	1.4%	69.4%	92.6%
Pennsylvania	9.4%	76.6%	27.1%	6.1%	70.5%	27.5%	12.7%	78.8%	11.7%	0.7%	76.5%	92.5%
Pittsburgh	10.3%	72.0%	30.7%	5.6%	57.4%	42.1%	13.5%	74.7%	15.1%	1.6%	77.2%	88.2%
Allegheny County	7.7%	79.0%	27.5%	3.8%	73.3%	26.5%	10.8%	80.8%	11.3%	0.5%	79.2%	91.5%
Reading	17.5%	47.1%	43.4%	10.0%	26.1%	66.2%	23.5%	55.1%	25.2%	1.6%	61.5%	91.9%
Berks County	8.1%	78.4%	26.0%	4.7%	70.2%	28.6%	11.0%	81.4%	10.1%	0.5%	79.0%	94.7%
Upper Darby	13.8%	76.0%	19.3%	7.3%	73.0%	22.8%	18.5%	77.0%	6.6%	1.8%	76.6%	84.7%
Delaware County	8.0%	81.7%	21.6%	5.7%	78.2%	18.9%	10.5%	83.8%	8.0%	0.6%	78.2%	89.1%
Erie	13.4%	58.2%	39.5%	3.5%	42.8%	58.6%	19.4%	61.7%	21.9%	1.9%	70.6%	92.2%
Erie County	10.0%	70.9%	32.0%	3.5%	62.0%	39.5%	14.4%	73.4%	15.9%	0.8%	74.1%	93.3%
Scranton	11.7%	70.9%	32.2%	6.2%	63.4%	33.7%	16.8%	72.1%	14.4%	0.0%	75.7%	95.3%
Lackawanna County	8.7%	76.9%	29.8%	5.6%	69.2%	29.0%	12.2%	78.7%	12.2%	0.0%	79.5%	94.5%
Allentown	17.1%	54.6%	36.5%	9.4%	43.3%	49.4%	23.8%	58.2%	20.0%	0.3%	63.7%	94.8%
Lehigh County	10.9%	74.6%	27.0%	6.6%	67.3%	28.5%	14.9%	77.0%	10.5%	0.9%	76.4%	94.2%
Philadelphia	14.1%	61.4%	34.6%	8.4%	51.9%	44.5%	18.8%	65.7%	19.4%	1.4%	59.5%	91.8%

Source. U.S. Census, American Community Survey, 2008.

Health Insurance Coverage in Major Pennsylvania Municipalities, 2008

	United States	Pennsylvania	Pittsburgh	Reading	Upper Darby	Erie	Scranton	Allentown	Philadelphia
All Ages									
% Uninsured	15.1%	9.4%	10.3%	17.5%	13.8%	13.4%	11.7%	17.1%	14.1%
% with Private Health Insurance	69.6%	76.6%	72.0%	47.1%	76.0%	58.2%	70.9%	54.6%	61.4%
% with Public Health Insurance	25.5%	27.1%	30.7%	43.4%	19.3%	39.5%	32.2%	36.5%	34.6%
Under 18 Years of Age									
% Uninsured	9.9%	6.1%	5.6%	10.0%	7.3%	3.5%	6.2%	9.4%	8.4%
% with Private Health Insurance	64.1%	70.5%	57.4%	26.1%	73.0%	42.8%	63.4%	43.3%	51.9%
% with Public Health Insurance	28.3%	27.5%	42.1%	66.2%	22.8%	58.6%	33.7%	49.4%	44.5%
Working Age (18-64)									
% Uninsured	19.8%	12.7%	13.5%	23.5%	18.5%	19.4%	16.8%	23.8%	18.8%
% with Private Health Insurance	71.8%	78.8%	74.7%	55.1%	77.0%	61.7%	72.1%	58.2%	65.7%
% with Public Health Insurance	11.1%	11.7%	15.1%	25.2%	6.6%	21.9%	14.4%	20.0%	19.4%
Seniors (65+)									
% Uninsured	1.4%	0.7%	1.6%	1.6%	1.8%	1.9%	0.0%	0.3%	1.4%
% with Private Health Insurance	69.4%	76.5%	77.2%	61.5%	76.6%	70.6%	75.7%	63.7%	59.5%
% with Public Health Insurance	92.6%	92.5%	88.2%	91.9%	84.7%	92.2%	95.3%	94.8%	91.8%

Data Source. U.S. Census, American Community Survey (ACS), 2008.

Note: Only municipalities with 65,000 or more people are currently available from ACS. Data for smaller municipalities will be made available in October 2009.