

**HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE DURING LAST 12 MONTHS
BY COUNTY AND REGION, AGES 0-18, CALIFORNIA, 2003**

	Uninsured All or Part Year		Job-Based Insurance All Year		Medi-Cal or Healthy Families All Year		Total Population Ages 0-18 2003
	2003	Percentage Point Change from 2001	2003	Percentage Point Change from 2001	2003	Percentage Point Change from 2001	
Northern & Sierra Counties	12.1%	-4.4	44.7%	-6.0	34.5%	+10.1	332,000
Butte	8%	—	45%	NS	40%	+	52,000
Shasta	15%	NS	45%	NS	35%	NS	44,000
Humboldt, Del Norte	12%	NS	42%	NS	36%	NS	36,000
Siskiyou, Lassen, Trinity, Modoc	17%	NS	39%	—	39%	+	22,000
Mendocino, Lake	13%	NS	48%	NS	29%	NS	36,000
Tehama, Glenn, Colusa	15%	NS	33%	NS	44%	+	31,000
Sutter, Yuba	***	***	45%	NS	39%	NS	44,000
Nevada, Plumas, Sierra	***	***	51%	NS	23%	NS	26,000
Tuolumne, Inyo, Calaveras, Amador, Mariposa, Mono, Alpine	***	***	52%	NS	24%	NS	40,000
Greater Bay Area	7.1%	NS	64.6%	-7.2	17.8%	+3.5	1,733,000
Santa Clara	6%	NS	64%	NS	20%	NS	455,000
Alameda	9%	NS	60%	—	22%	NS	378,000
Contra Costa	***	***	69%	NS	14%	NS	277,000
San Francisco	***	***	58%	NS	26%	NS	122,000
San Mateo	***	***	72%	NS	***	***	181,000
Sonoma	***	***	66%	NS	14%	NS	114,000
Solano	6%	NS	66%	—	15%	NS	120,000
Marin	***	***	67%	NS	***	***	52,000
Napa	14%	NS	61%	NS	15%	NS	33,000
Sacramento Area	6.9%	NS	60.7%	-9.8	22.5%	+6.1	540,000
Sacramento	***	***	56%	—	28%	+	367,000

Source: 2003 and 2001-R California Health Interview Surveys
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Placer	***	***	73%	NS	***	***	79,000
Yolo	***	***	70%	NS	13%	NS	51,000
El Dorado	***	***	68%	NS	14%	NS	43,000
San Joaquin Valley	14.1%	NS	43.4%	NS	36.2%	+5.2	1,179,000
Fresno	17%	NS	41%	NS	38%	NS	281,000
Kern	13%	NS	42%	NS	41%	+	237,000
San Joaquin	17%	NS	54%	NS	22%	NS	211,000
Stanislaus	11%	NS	49%	NS	26%	NS	155,000
Tulare	11%	NS	35%	NS	51%	+	133,000
Merced	19%	NS	34%	—	41%	+	81,000
Kings	8%	—	44%	NS	43%	+	41,000
Madera	11%	NS	39%	NS	41%	NS	40,000
Central Coast	10.4%	—7.0	52.0%	—5.9	27.0%	+8.8	595,000
Ventura	***	***	56%	NS	28%	+	235,000
Santa Barbara	16%	NS	50%	NS	25%	NS	104,000
Santa Cruz	11%	NS	51%	NS	26%	NS	66,000
San Luis Obispo	***	***	42%	—	36%	+	55,000
Monterey, San Benito	15%	NS	52%	NS	25%	NS	135,000
Los Angeles	11.3%	—6.5	46.1%	NS	35.8%	+4.8	2,893,000
Los Angeles	11%	—	46%	NS	36%	+	2,893,000
Other Southern California	13.5%	—2.6	48.9%	—5.2	27.8%	+4.9	2,780,000
Orange	13%	NS	50%	—	26%	+	823,000
San Diego	15%	NS	52%	—	24%	NS	777,000
San Bernardino	12%	NS	42%	NS	36%	NS	603,000
Riverside	14%	NS	51%	NS	25%	NS	528,000
Imperial	14%	—	33%	NS	44%	NS	49,000

*** The estimate is not statistically stable (coefficient of variation is over 30%).

Note: — = decline since 2001, + = increase since 2001, NS = no significant change since 2001

Rates of privately purchased insurance, other government programs, and combinations of insurance are not reported.

CHIS 2001 estimates based on CHIS 2001-R data file (reweighted).

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