Table 2. **Health Insurance Coverage Status: Monthly Average, First Quarter 1989 Through Fourth Quarter 1990**

Characteristic	1989				1990			
	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4
All persons	243,654	244,223	244,871	245,488	246,194	246,818	247,492	248,195
Percent Covered by Private or Government Health Insurance								
Total	87.0	87.1	87.2	87.1	86.4	87.0	87.2	87.1
Age								
Less than 16 years	84.5	85.1	85.0	85.6	85.4	86.0	86.4	86.2
16 to 24 years	81.1	80.8	80.1	79.5	78.2	78.7	78.7	78.1
25 to 34 years	83.7	83.8	84.0	82.7	81.3	82.8	83.1	83.0
35 to 44 years	87.1	87.3	87.7	88.1	86.9	87.4	88.1	87.9
45 to 54 years	89.1	89.0	89.6	89.4	88.3	88.6	88.5	88.6
55 to 64 years	90.0	89.9	90.2	89.2	89.9	89.9	89.9	89.5
65 years and over	99.5	99.5	99.6	99.7	99.6	99.7	99.7	99.7
Race and Hispanic Origin								
White	88.1	88.2	88.1	87.8	87.3	87.8	88.1	88.0
Black	80.9	81.8	83.0	82.5	81.4	82.2	82.2	82.0
Hispanic origin[1]	70.7	70.4	70.4	68.8	68.7	70.2	71.2	71.8
Covered by Private Health Insurance								
Total	76.8	77.1	77.2	77.0	75.6	76.3	76.5	76.1
Age								
Less than 16 years	70.6	71.3	71.4	71.9	70.8	71.2	71.1	70.7
16 to 24 years	73.4	73.4	72.9	72.3	69.8	70.1	70.6	70.0
25 to 34 years	76.4	76.9	77.3	75.9	73.4	74.8	75.0	74.9
35 to 44 years	81.5	81.9	81.8	82.4	81.4	82.1	82.9	82.7
45 to 54 years	83.4	83.2	83.9	83.6	83.2	83.8	83.9	83.8
55 to 64 years	82.5	82.2	82.2	80.9	80.8	80.9	80.8	80.2
65 years and over	77.9	78.1	78.2	78.4	77.1	78.4	77.8	77.4
Race and Hispanic Origin								
White	80.4	80.5	80.5	80.2	79.0	79.7	79.9	79.5
Black	55.2	57.0	57.9	58.4	56.0	56.9	56.2	55.9
Hispanic origin[1]	55.1	55.1	54.9	53.3	50.4	52.3	52.9	53.0
Covered by Private Health Insurance Related to Employment of Self or Other Family Member								
Total	62.3	62.6	62.8	62.8	61.1	61.6	61.4	61.3
Age								
Less than 16 years	59.9	60.4	60.6	61.5	59.6	59.5	59.1	59.0
16 to 24 years	56.6	57.2	57.1	56.5	54.8	54.3	54.0	53.4
25 to 34 years	69.6	70.4	70.8	69.0	66.3	67.6	67.3	67.1
35 to 44 years	74.0	74.0	73.9	75.3	74.1	75.0	75.7	75.3
45 to 54 years	75.0	74.2	74.9	74.9	72.9	73.7	73.4	73.5
55 to 64 years	65.0	65.2	65.4	64.8	65.0	65.4	64.8	64.7
65 years and over	35.4	35.8	35.5	35.5	34.2	34.6	34.6	35.1
Race and Hispanic Origin								
White	65.0	65.1	65.2	65.1	63.6	64.1	64.1	64.0
Black	46.8	48.4	48.4	49.8	47.0	46.9	46.4	46.2
Hispanic origin[1]	46.6	47.4	47.4	45.9	42.8	43.8	44.1	44.8
Percent Covered by Medicaid								
Total	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.8	7.9	8.1
Age								
Less than 16 years	12.6	12.8	12.9	13.3	13.8	14.5	14.9	15.5
16 to 24 years	7.4	7.0	6.6	6.8	7.4	7.8	7.7	8.0
25 to 34 years	5.6	5.3	5.3	5.5	6.2	6.6	6.6	6.8
35 to 44 years	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.2	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.8
45 to 54 years	3.6	3.6	3.6	4.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.4
55 to 64 years	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.6	4.6	4.9	5.1
65 years and over	8.6	8.3	8.4	8.0	7.6	7.5	7.6	7.4
Race and Hispanic Origin								
White	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	5.2	5.4	5.4	5.7
Black	22.4	22.1	22.7	21.6	21.7	22.6	22.8	23.0
Hispanic origin[1]	13.4	12.9	13.2	14.0	15.8	15.9	16.4	16.9

[1]Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.