

**Table 4 - MEPS**

**Characteristics of the Uninsured: Children**

**Calendar Years 2000 - 2005: Uninsured Point In Time**

Year	2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005		2000 - 2005	
Characteristic	Uninsured (Millions)	Uninsured Rate	Overall Change in Uninsured Population (Millions)	Overall Change in Uninsured Rate										
<b>TOTAL</b>	11.3	14.2%	11.9	14.9%	10.4	12.9%	9.7	12.0%	9.9	12.3%	9.0	11.1%	-19.9%	-21.7%
<b>GENDER</b>														
<b>Male</b>	5.8	14.3%	6.3	15.4%	5.6	13.6%	5.0	12.1%	5.1	12.3%	4.6	11.0%	-21.0%	-22.6%
<b>Female</b>	5.4	14.0%	5.6	14.3%	4.8	12.3%	4.7	12.0%	4.8	12.2%	4.4	11.1%	-18.7%	-20.7%
<b>AGE</b>														
<b>Under age 6</b>	3.1	11.2%	3.1	11.6%	2.6	9.9%	2.3	8.5%	2.4	8.9%	2.2	8.0%	-28.1%	-28.4%
<b>Age 6-11</b>	3.5	14.5%	3.7	15.0%	3.3	13.4%	3.1	12.5%	2.8	11.7%	2.4	10.2%	-31.2%	-29.8%
<b>Age 12-18</b>	4.7	16.8%	5.1	17.9%	4.4	15.4%	4.4	14.8%	4.7	15.8%	4.4	14.7%	-5.9%	-12.8%
<b>RACE</b>														
<b>White</b>	8.8	14.1%	9.7	15.5%	8.4	13.6%	7.8	12.4%	7.8	12.4%	6.7	10.8%	-23.7%	-23.0%
<b>Black</b>	2.0	15.4%	1.6	12.4%	1.3	11.0%	1.2	10.0%	1.4	11.2%	1.3	10.5%	-35.6%	-32.0%
<b>Asian</b>	0.3	12.2%	0.4	12.0%	0.3	9.5%	0.4	11.7%	0.4	10.5%	0.5	12.9%	32.4%	5.6%
<b>American Indian</b>	0.1	9.6%	0.2	19.5%	0.1	17.0%	0.1	16.0%	0.1	15.1%	0.2	23.1%	89.4%	141.0%
<b>Biracial</b>	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.2	8.2%	0.3	12.6%	0.4	17.4%	0.4	14.5%	NA	NA
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN</b>														
<b>Hispanic</b>	3.5	26.4%	4.1	28.7%	3.5	23.5%	3.2	20.9%	3.4	21.4%	3.1	19.2%	-10.2%	-27.4%
<b>Non Hispanic</b>	7.8	11.7%	7.9	11.9%	6.9	10.6%	6.6	10.0%	6.6	10.1%	5.9	9.1%	-24.2%	-22.7%
<b>FAMILY WORK STATUS</b>														
<b>2 or more full time</b>	1.7	8.5%	2.1	9.6%	2.0	10.3%	1.9	9.6%	1.9	9.6%	1.6	8.3%	-5.6%	-2.0%
<b>only 1 full time</b>	5.2	12.7%	5.6	14.4%	4.6	11.3%	4.2	10.4%	4.0	10.3%	4.0	9.6%	-24.3%	-24.4%
<b>only part time</b>	1.5	22.8%	1.5	20.1%	1.4	19.0%	1.2	17.3%	1.2	15.8%	0.9	13.7%	-37.7%	-40.1%
<b>only self employed</b>	1.3	27.4%	1.3	27.8%	1.0	20.3%	1.1	22.3%	1.4	24.4%	1.3	22.6%	0.9%	-17.7%
<b>no workers</b>	1.6	21.4%	1.5	20.3%	1.4	17.6%	1.3	15.1%	1.4	16.1%	1.3	14.7%	-20.2%	-31.4%
<b>WAGES/SALARY</b>														
<b>no wage earner</b>	2.8	23.6%	2.7	23.2%	2.4	18.7%	2.4	17.8%	2.8	19.3%	2.5	17.8%	-10.5%	-24.4%
<b>under \$7/hour</b>	1.5	20.6%	1.4	23.6%	1.1	22.7%	1.0	22.1%	0.7	16.3%	0.6	14.1%	-62.6%	-31.3%
<b>\$7-\$15/hour</b>	4.7	18.3%	5.6	20.5%	4.7	17.1%	4.2	16.2%	4.2	16.5%	3.5	14.9%	-24.8%	-18.6%
<b>\$15-\$25/hour</b>	1.7	8.8%	1.5	8.2%	1.6	8.2%	1.5	7.8%	1.3	7.3%	1.6	7.9%	-9.4%	-10.0%
<b>more than \$25/hour</b>	0.6	3.6%	0.6	4.0%	0.6	3.9%	0.7	3.8%	0.9	4.9%	0.9	4.4%	57.8%	20.1%

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<b>FAMILY COMPOSITION</b>														
<b>1 adult</b>	3.9	20.9%	3.4	19.7%	2.8	15.3%	2.9	15.4%	2.5	13.3%	2.5	13.3%	-35.5%	-36.4%
<b>2 married adults</b>	5.5	10.4%	6.5	12.1%	6.0	11.1%	5.3	10.0%	6.0	11.3%	5.3	10.0%	-3.2%	-4.1%
<b>other</b>	1.8	22.9%	1.9	21.4%	1.6	18.7%	1.5	17.0%	1.2	14.3%	1.1	12.8%	-36.4%	-44.2%
<b>INCOME/POVERTY LEVEL</b>														
<b>under 100% FPL</b>	2.8	21.5%	2.9	22.0%	2.5	18.1%	2.2	15.4%	2.3	16.0%	1.9	13.0%	-30.7%	-39.3%
<b>100% - 200% FPL</b>	3.6	22.2%	4.5	25.9%	3.3	19.7%	3.1	18.4%	3.0	17.7%	2.8	16.4%	-24.1%	-26.0%
<b>200% - 400% FPL</b>	3.5	13.2%	3.0	11.7%	3.2	11.7%	2.9	11.0%	3.2	12.1%	3.0	11.2%	-15.0%	-14.8%
<b>more than 400% FPL</b>	1.4	5.7%	1.5	6.4%	1.3	6.1%	1.5	6.4%	1.4	6.0%	1.4	5.9%	1.4%	2.9%