

Vermont Health Insurance Facts

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| Population: | 625,000 (2011 US Census Estimate) |
| Total Uninsured: | 47,500 – 7.6% |
| Adult Uninsured: | 44,700, 33% of uninsured adults 18-64 are eligible for coverage through Medicaid or VHAP and another 20% are eligible for Catamount Health Premium A |
| Children: | 2800 - 2.8% of children (2009), 77% of uninsured eligible children are eligible for coverage through Medicaid or Dr. Dynasaur. |
| Private Insurance: | 59% of residents have private insurance (365,000). 92% are covered by policies through employer, 6% purchase on their own. Among uninsured <u>employed</u> adults – 26% have employers that offer insurance. They do not enroll because: 21% have not worked long enough to be eligible for coverage, 22% work too few hours to be eligible, 65% indicate it costs too much. |
| Children <u>Under</u> insured: | 16,800 |
| Adults <u>Under</u> insured*: | 80,460 |
| Source: | Data from 2009 Vermont Health Insurance Study, conducted by Market Decisions, unless otherwise noted. |

* Underinsured meet any of three conditions: Have insurance deductibles of 5% or more of income. If below 200% of Federal Poverty Level and have total health care expenses of 5% of income. If above 200% of FPL and have total health care expenses of 10% of income.