

## Florida Health Insurance Survey

### COVINT

Now I will list several types of health insurance or health coverage obtained through jobs, purchased directly, or from government programs.

For each one, please tell me if anyone is currently covered by that type of plan.

C1/COV1 Are (you/is anyone) who lives there covered by a health insurance plan from a CURRENT employer or union, other than the military? (this includes insurance from family members' employment.)

INTERVIEWER: REMEMBER WE ARE NOT INCLUDING MILIRARY COVERAGE HERE. DO NOT INCLUDE INSURANCE PANS PURCHASED THROUGH A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION OR TRADE GROUP. DO NO INCLUDE PLANS THAT PROVIDE EXTRA CASH WHILE IN THE HOSPITAL OR PLANS THAT PAY ONLY FOR ONE TYPE OF SERVICE, SUCH AS DENTAL CARE, VISION CARE, NURSING HOME CARE, OR ACCIDENTS.

The following response set appears for all COV questions, but is not repeated here:

- 1 Yes – LIST NAMES
- 2 No (go to [next COV question])
- 8 Don't know
- 9 Not available

COV1\_ SHOWS A LIST OF NAMES OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS  
Who is covered?  
Are there any others?

C1a/COV1D Are (you/is anyone) who lives there covered by a health insurance plan from a PAST employer or union, other than the military?

INTERVIEWER: THIS INCLUDES COBRA AND RETIREMENT PLANS.

C2/COV2A Are (you/is anyone) covered by a health insurance plan bought on your own and not through an employer or union?

INTERVIEWER: REMEMBER WE ARE NOT INCLUDING MILITARY COVERAGE HERE. INCLUDE HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS PROVIDED BY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITYIES TO STUDENTS. ALSO INCLUDE HERE ANY COVERAGE BOUGHT THROUGH A PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION OR ASSOCIATION.

DO NOT INCLUDE PLANS THAT PROVIDE EXTRA CASH WHILE IN THE HOSPITAL OR PLANS THAT PAY ONLY FOR ONE TYPE OF SERVICES, SUCH AS DENTAL CARE, VISION CARE, NURSING HOME CARE, OR ACCIDENTS.

C3/COV3A Are (you/is anyone) covered by a health insurance plan held in the name of someone who does not live in the household?

INTERVIEWER: \* NO MILITARY COVERAGE HERE. INCLUDE.  
\* INCLUDE MEDICAID IN SOEMTHONE ELSE'S NAME  
\* NO HEALTHY KIDS HERE.

DO NOT INCLUDE PLANS THAT PROVIDE EXTRA CASH WHILE IN THE HOSPITAL OR PLANS THAT PAY ONLY FOR ONE TYPE OF SERVICES, SUCH AS DENTAL CARE, VISION CARE, NURSING HOME CARE, OR ACCIDENTS.

*Please ask COV4A of all households whether there is someone 65 years of age or not in the household. Medicare provides coverage for younger people with disabilities and is not just for the elderly.*

C4/COV4A Are (you/is anyone) covered by Medicare, the health insurance plan for people 65 years old or older or persons with certain disabilities? DO NOT INCLUDE MEDIGAP PLANS HERE; WE WILL ASK ABOUT THAT LATER.

INTERVIEWER: REMEMBER WE ARE NOT INCLUDING MILITARY COVERAGE HERE. INCLUDE COVERAGE IF BY AN HMO AS WELL AS TRADITIONAL MEDICARE. INCLUDE PART A AND PART B. A PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATION OR ASSOCIATION.

*TEST C4: If person in household is 65 and not covered by Medicare; go to (C4C1/COV5A); else go to Medigap/COV5SUP).*

C4C1/COV5A I noticed that NAME PERSON is AGE 65 OR OLDER, but is not covered by Medicare. Is that correct?

- 1 Yes, that is correct (go to C5/COV6A)
- 2 No, they should be added to Medicare (go to C4/COV4A)
- 3 No, they are younger than 65

../COV5B What is the correct age?

MEDSUP/  
COV5SUP

Does NAME have any supplemental Medigap policies that assists with any medical care costs that are not covered by the main Medicare coverage.

*Surveyer: only ask C5/COV6A if there is a child in the house age 6 or younger.*

C5/COV6A Are any children under 5 years old covered by MediKids?

MediKids is a government assistance program for children age birth to 5 who are in need. They would have a "gold card" or a "blue card" for their insurance.

C5A/COV6D Are (you/is anyone) covered by Medicaid or MediPass? Medicaid and MediPass are government assistance programs for people in need. You may have a "gold card" or a "blue card" for your insurance.

INTERVIEWER: REMEMBER WE ARE INCLUDING Medicaid and MediPass here. Also families may say they have a "gold card" or a "blue card" from the state. This is Medicaid. WE ARE NOT INCLUDING MediKids HERE.

*Surveyer: only ask C6/COV7A if there are children in the house who are 19 years of age or younger.*

C6/COV7A Are any children in the household covered by the Healthy Kids Program? The Healthy Kids Program is a health insurance program where families receive help from the state so that the insurance is affordable. It is for children only.

*Surveyer: age ranges for CMS may vary widely. There should not be children over the age of 21 in this program but sometimes exceptions are made. Therefore ask if there are people in the house who are 21 years of age or younger.*

C7/COV8A Are any of the children in the program called Children's Medical Services or CMS? This is a special program for children who have chronic health care conditions and whose families need help with their health care.

C8/COV9A Are (you/is anyone) covered by CHAMPUS, CHAMP-VA, TRICARE, VA or some other type of military health insurance?

C9/COV10A Are (you/is anyone) covered by a state-sponsored or public health insurance program that I have not mentioned?

(plannam/COV10B) What is the name of that program or programs?

INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT NAMES AN INSURANCE COMPANY SUCH AS H.I.P., BLUE CROSS/BLUE SHIELD, HUMANA, and so on ASK:

(testc9/PLANCKA) You said that you have NAME PLAN. Are you sure this is a state-sponsored or public health insurance program?

(testc9a/PLANCKB) Was this coverage obtained...

- 1 Through a current employer or union (recode as current employer-based coverage)
- 2 Through a past employer or union (recode as current employer-based coverage)
- 3 Directly from PLAN NAME (recode as purchased by self)
- 4 Because you are enrolled in Medicaid or Medipass (recode as Medicaid)
- 5 Because you are enrolled in MediKids (recode as MediKids)
- 6 Because the child is enrolled in Healthy Kids (recode as Healthy Kids)
- 7 Because you are enrolled in Medicare (recode as Medicare)
- 8 Don't Know
- 9 Not Available

*If a household member is not covered under some plan, go to CIC2/NOCHECK; Else go to CCOV/CONTCOV*

C1C2/NOCHECK According to the information we have, NAME does not have health care coverage of any kind. Does NAME have health insurance or coverage through a plan that I might have missed?

INTERVIEWER: REPEAT IF NECESSARY

- 0 No not covered by any plan
- 1 Health insurance from a current or past employer/union
- 2 Health insurance bought on his or her own
- 3 A plan bought by someone who does not live in the household
- 4 Medicare
- 5 MediKids
- 6 Medicaid, MediPass
- 7 Healthy Kids Program
- 8 Children's Medical Services or CMS
- 9 CHAMPUS/CHAMP-VA, TRICARE, VA, other military
- 10 Other state plan
- 8 Don't Know
- 9 Not Available

*Once CATI has confirmed who is uninsured, ask the following question for each household member who is uninsured*

Unirea/NINSREA What is the main reason that NAME does not have health insurance?

Ccov/CONTCOV Since INSERT DATE THAT IS 12 MONTHS BEFORE THE TIME OF THE INTERVIEW, was NAME OF INSURED continuously covered by health insurance?

Com/CONMNTH For how many months was NAME not covered by some type of health insurance plan?