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## Part I. Health Status

Population - Demographic Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Total Population</b>	Total population	2008	5,220,393	641,481	304,059,728
	Percent change in population	2000-2008	6.1%	-0.1%	8.0%
<b>Metro Status</b>	Population in Metropolitan Statistical Areas - Percent	2008	73.0%	48.6%	83.6%
<b>Age</b>	Population ages 0 to 17 - Percent	2008	23.9%	22.0%	24.3%
	Percent change in population ages 0 to 17	2000-2008	-2.9%	-12.1%	2.3%
	Population ages 65 and older - Percent	2008	12.5%	14.6%	12.8%
	Percent change in population ages 65 and older	2000-2008	9.6%	-0.8%	10.9%
	Percent change in population ages 65 and older (PROJECTION)	2008-2020	45.5%	59.6%	41.2%
	Median age - in years	2008	37.4	37.0	36.9
<b>Race and Ethnicity</b>	White alone - Percent	2008	88.1%	91.0%	75.0%
	Percent change in White alone	2000-2008	4.6%	-1.6%	7.9%
	Black alone - Percent	2008	4.4%	1.0%	12.4%
	American Indian alone - Percent	2008	1.0%	5.3%	0.8%
	Asian, Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander alone - Percent	2008	3.5%	0.9%	4.6%
	Some other race alone - Percent	2008	1.1%	0.6%	4.9%
	Two or more races - Percent	2008	1.8%	1.3%	2.3%
	Percent change in 'non-white alone' and 'two or more races'	2000-2008	19.3%	17.8%	8.5%
	Hispanic origin of any race - Percent	2008	4.1%	2.0%	15.4%
<b>Disability</b>	Population with a disability	2008	496,458	67,795	36,071,802
	Population with a disability - Percent	2008	9.6%	10.9%	12.1%
	Population ages 0 to 4 - Percent with a disability	2008	0.8%	0.3%	0.7%
	Population ages 5 to 17 - Percent with a disability	2008	4.7%	3.3%	5.2%
	Population ages 18 to 34 - Percent with a disability	2008	4.8%	4.6%	5.6%
	Population ages 35 to 64 - Percent with a disability	2008	9.4%	11.0%	12.7%
	Population ages 65 to 74 - Percent with a disability	2008	20.9%	23.3%	26.5%
	Population ages 75 and older - Percent with a disability	2008	45.9%	47.7%	51.4%
	Total population with a disability - Percent below poverty	2008	19.2%	20.1%	21.2%

Population - Social Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Household Composition</b>	Total households	2008	2,089,449	274,743	113,101,329
	Percent change in total households	2000-2008	10.3%	6.8%	7.2%
	Householders living alone - Percent of households	2008	29.1%	31.2%	27.8%
	Percent change in householders living alone	2000-2008	19.4%	13.8%	15.3%
	Family households - Percent of households	2008	64.3%	62.2%	66.3%
	Total family households	2008	1,342,724	170,921	75,030,551
	Married couple families with own children under 18 - Percent of families	2008	34.9%	33.2%	31.8%
	Percent change in married couple families with own children under 18	2000-2008	-1.8%	-8.4%	-4.0%
	Single mothers with own children under 18 - Percent of families	2008	9.2%	8.7%	11.1%
	Percent change in single mothers with own children under 18	2000-2008	11.0%	9.0%	10.2%
<b>Education</b>	Total population ages 25 and older	2008	3,456,013	418,893	200,030,018
	With less than a high school diploma - Percent	2008	8.4%	10.4%	15.0%
	With bachelor's degree or higher - Percent	2008	31.5%	26.9%	27.7%
<b>Limited English Proficiency</b>	Total population ages 5 and older	2008	4,865,059	600,752	283,149,507
	Speaking non-English language at home - Percent	2008	9.7%	5.5%	19.7%

## Population - Economic Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Income and Unemployment</b>	Median household income - In dollars	2008	\$57,288	\$45,685	\$52,029
	Labor force (civilian labor force and armed forces)	2008	2,976,185	367,350	157,465,113
	Average wage per job - In dollars	2007	\$43,460	\$32,755	\$43,889
	Unemployed - Percent of civilian labor force	2008	4.9%	3.2%	6.4%
<b>Poverty</b>	Total persons - Percent living in poverty	2008	9.6%	12.0%	13.2%
	Children ages 0 to 17 - Percent living in poverty	2008	11.4%	15.3%	18.2%
	Elderly ages 65 and older - Percent living in poverty	2008	8.6%	13.1%	9.9%
	Single mothers with related children under 18 - Percent living in poverty	2008	32.7%	43.8%	36.3%
	White population - Percent living in poverty	2008	7.8%	9.8%	10.7%
	Black population - Percent living in poverty	2008	30.1%	--	24.1%
	American Indian population - Percent living in poverty	2008	37.3%	41.1%	24.2%
	Asian population - Percent living in poverty	2008	16.9%	--	10.7%
	Hispanic population (of any race) - Percent living in poverty	2008	20.3%	--	21.3%
	Households - Percent with incomes below poverty	2008	9.8%	12.5%	12.6%
	<b>Assistance</b>	Households receiving public assistance - Percent	2008	3.1%	1.9%
Aggregate public assistance income in past 12 months for households - In 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars		2008	\$181,277,000	\$16,167,700	\$8,589,381,700
Average public assistance income per month for households - In 2008 inflation-adjusted dollars		2008	\$235	\$259	\$271

Note: -- indicates that data cannot be displayed because the number of cases is too small.

## Summary Health Measures

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Overall Health</b>	Adults ages 18 and older whose overall health status is fair or poor - Percent	2008	11.4%	13.4%	14.4%
	Children ages 0 to 17 whose overall health status is fair or poor - Percent	2007	1.5%	2.1%	3.5%
<b>Unhealthy Days</b>	Average number of physically or mentally unhealthy days experienced by adults ages 18 and older in past month	2008	5.1	4.5	6.1
<b>Life Expectancy</b>	Life expectancy at birth - Average number of years	1997-2001	78.9	77.6	76.5

## Nativity Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Births</b>	Total resident live births	2007	73,745	8,840	4,317,119
	Percent change in total resident live births	2000-2007	9.1%	15.2%	6.4%
	Births to mothers less than 20 years old - Percent	2007	7.1%	8.0%	10.5%
	Low-weight births (less than 2,500 grams) - Percent	2007	6.7%	6.3%	8.2%
	Preterm births (less than 37 weeks of gestation) - Percent	2007	10.4%	11.6%	12.7%
		2000	25.8%	28.3%	33.2%
	Births to unmarried women - Percent	2007	32.7%	32.6%	39.7%
		2000	19.9%	20.9%	22.9%
	Cesarean delivered births - Percent	2007	26.2%	28.4%	31.8%
<b>Birth Rates</b>	Birth rate - Total resident live births per 1,000 population	2007	14.2	13.8	14.3
	Percent change in birth rate	2000-2007	1.4%	13.1%	-2.7%
	Fertility rate - Total resident live births per 1,000 women ages 15 to 44	2007	69.7	69.8	69.5
	Percent change in fertility rate	2000-2007	9.2%	18.9%	3.0%
	Teen birth rate - Total resident live births to teens per 1,000 females ages 15 to 19	2007	27.5	27.0	42.5
	Percent change in teen birth rate	2000-2007	-7.1%	-4.2%	-12.4%
<b>Infant Deaths</b>	Infant deaths (less than 1 year) - Rate per 1,000 live births	2006	5.2	5.8	6.7
<b>Risk</b>	Mothers receiving late (after first trimester) or no prenatal care - Percent	2002	18.5%	21.1%	--
		2006	20.1%	--	--
	Mothers with unintended pregnancy - Percent	2002	33.8%	36.1%	--
		2006	36.0%	--	--
	Mothers who smoked during last three months of pregnancy - Percent	2002	15.4%	15.6%	--
		2006	13.6%	--	--

Note: -- indicates that data are not available.

## Mortality - Deaths and Leading Causes of Death

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Deaths</b>	Total deaths	2006	37,028	5,868	2,426,264
	Total deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2006	672.8	726.9	776.5
	Percent change in age adjusted death rate	2000-2006	-12.2%	-5.2%	-11.0%
<b>Leading Causes of Death (Rank is included in parenthesis, 1=leading cause of death)</b>	Total deaths	2004-2006 3-year avg.	37,237	6,011	2,423,965
	Malignant neoplasm (cancer) deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	24.3% (1)	23.0% (2)	23.0% (2)
	Diseases of heart deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	20.8% (2)	26.1% (1)	26.6% (1)
	Cerebrovascular disease (stroke) deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	6.4% (3)	7.4% (3)	5.9% (3)
	Accidental deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	5.1% (4)	4.9% (5)	4.8% (5)
	Chronic lower respiratory disease deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	5.0% (5)	4.8% (6)	5.2% (4)
	Alzheimer's disease deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	3.4% (6)	5.1% (4)	2.9% (7)
	Diabetes mellitus deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	3.2% (7)	3.6% (7)	3.0% (6)
	Influenza and pneumonia deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	2.0% (8)	2.8% (8)	2.5% (8)
	Kidney diseases - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	1.8% (9)	1.1% (10)	1.8% (9)
	Intentional self-harm (suicide) deaths - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	1.4% (10)	1.4% (9)	1.4% (11)
Other - Percent	2004-2006 3-year avg.	26.6%	19.9%	22.9%	

Mortality - Top 10 Causes of Death in Minnesota over the Past Century

Subject	Rank	1910	1950	2006
<b>Leading Causes of Death in Minnesota</b>	1	Tuberculosis (all forms)	Diseases of the heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)
	2	Diseases of the heart	Cancer and other malignant tumors	Diseases of the heart
	3	Pneumonia (all forms) and influenza	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	Cerebrovascular disease (stroke)
	4	Diarrhea, enteritis, and ulceration of the intestines	All accidents	All accidents
	5	All accidents	Congenital malformations and diseases peculiar to first year of life	Chronic lower respiratory disease
	6	Cancer and other malignant tumors	Pneumonia and influenza	Alzheimer's disease
	7	Congenital malformations and diseases peculiar to first year of life	Diseases of the digestive system	Diabetes mellitus
	8	Nephritis (all forms) (kidney diseases)	Nephritis and other diseases of the genitor-urinary system (kidney diseases)	Pneumonia and influenza
	9	Intracranial lesions of vascular origin	Diabetes mellitus	Kidney diseases
	10	Senility	Tuberculosis	Intentional self-harm (suicide)

Mortality - Top 10 Causes of Death in North Dakota over the Past Century

Subject	Rank	1925	1950	2006
<b>Leading Causes of Death in North Dakota</b>	1	Pneumonia (all forms) and influenza	Diseases of the heart	Diseases of the heart
	2	Diseases of the heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)
	3	Congenital malformations and diseases peculiar to first year of life	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	Cerebrovascular disease (stroke)
	4	Cancer and other malignant tumors	All accidents	Alzheimer's disease
	5	Intracranial lesions of vascular origin	Congenital malformations and diseases peculiar to first year of life	All accidents
	6	Tuberculosis (all forms)	Diseases of the digestive system	Chronic lower respiratory disease
	7	Accidents	Pneumonia and influenza	Diabetes mellitus
	8	Nephritis (all forms) (kidney diseases)	Senility	Pneumonia and influenza
	9	Diarrhea, enteritis, and ulceration of the intestines	Diabetes mellitus	Intentional self-harm (suicide)
	10	Appendicitis	Kidney diseases	Kidney diseases

Mortality - Top 10 Causes of Death in the United States over the Past Century

Subject	Rank	1910	1950	2006
<b>Leading Causes of Death in the United States</b>	1	Diseases of the heart	Diseases of the heart	Diseases of the heart
	2	Pneumonia (all forms) and influenza	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)
	3	Tuberculosis (all forms)	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	Cerebrovascular disease (stroke)
	4	Diarrhea, enteritis, and ulceration of the intestines	All accidents	Chronic lower respiratory disease
	5	Intracranial lesions of vascular origin	Certain diseases of early infancy	All accidents
	6	Nephritis (all forms) (kidney diseases)	Pneumonia and influenza	Diabetes mellitus
	7	Accidents excluding motor-vehicle	Tuberculosis	Alzheimer's disease
	8	Cancer and other malignant tumors	General arteriosclerosis	Pneumonia and influenza
	9	Premature birth	Chronic and unspecified nephritis and other renal sclerosis	Kidney diseases
	10	Senility	Diabetes mellitus	Septicemia (blood poisoning)

Mortality - Death Rates and Cancer Deaths by Site

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Leading Causes of Death - Top 10 Death Rates in Minnesota</b>	Malignant neoplasm (cancer) deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	172.6	179.7	183.3
	Diseases of heart deaths – Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	137.9	183.4	209.0
	Cerebrovascular disease (stroke) deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	42.1	50.2	46.6
	Accidental deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	34.9	40.5	38.9
	Chronic lower respiratory disease deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	34.8	35.6	41.6
	Alzheimer's disease deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	21.9	31.9	22.4
	Diabetes mellitus deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	21.9	27.0	24.1
	Influenza and pneumonia deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	12.5	18.3	19.2
	Kidney diseases - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	12.3	7.2	14.3
	Intentional self-harm (suicide) deaths - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2004-2006 3-year avg.	10.2	13.1	10.9
<b>Other Deaths</b>	Occupational deaths - Number	2008	65	27	5,071
	Infant deaths (less than 1 year) - Rate per 1,000 live births	2006	5.2	5.8	6.7
	Induced terminations of pregnancy - Rate per 1,000 women ages 15 to 44	2005	12.0	10.0	15.0
<b>Cancer Deaths - Top 5 in Minnesota</b>	Lung and bronchus - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	44.7	43.0	52.8
	Male prostate - Rate per 100,000 males, age adjusted	2005	24.1	26.9	24.7
	Female breast - Rate per 100,000 females, age adjusted	2005	22.3	22.8	24.0
	Colon and rectum - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	14.8	18.8	17.4
	Pancreatic - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	10.7	10.0	10.8

## Morbidity - Chronic and Infectious Disease Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Chronic Diseases</b>	<b>Cancer Related Disease (Incidence Rates) - Top 10 in Minnesota</b>				
	Male prostate - Rate per 100,000 males, age adjusted	2005	181.7	169.6	142.4
	Female breast - Rate per 100,000 females, age adjusted	2005	124.5	117.9	117.7
	Lung and bronchus - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	57.6	62.2	67.7
	Colon and rectum - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	46.9	51.7	48.3
	Corpus and uterus - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	28.1	22.0	23.4
	Urinary bladder - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	22.9	24.2	21.1
	Non-Hodgkin lymphoma - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	21.1	19.4	18.9
	Melanomas of the skin - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	19.3	12.1	18.5
	Kidney and renal pelvis - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	14.9	13.7	14.5
	Leukemia - Rate per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2005	14.8	16.6	11.6
	<b>Other Chronic Diseases</b>				
	Alzheimer's: Projections of adults ages 65+ with Alzheimer's disease	2010	94,000	18,000	5,292,100
	Percent change in projections of adults ages 65+ with Alzheimer's	2010-2020	6.4%	5.6%	8.6%
	Arthritis: Adults ages 18+ who have ever been told they have arthritis - Percent	2007	22.9%	26.9%	27.5%
	Asthma: Adults ages 18+ who currently have asthma - Percent	2008	7.8%	7.9%	8.8%
Diabetes: Adults ages 18+ who have ever been told they have diabetes - Percent	2008	7.1%	8.4%	9.2%	
<b>Infectious Diseases</b>	Tuberculosis cases - Rate per 100,000 population	2007	4.6	1.1	4.4
	Human West Nile virus - New cases	2008	10	37	1,356
	AIDS cases reported - Rate per 100,000 population	2007	3.8	1.3	12.4
	Chlamydia cases - Rate per 100,000 population	2007	259.6	281.3	370.2
	Gonorrhea cases - Rate per 100,000 population	2007	66.9	18.2	118.9
	Syphilis cases - Rate per 100,000 population	2007	3.6	0.3	13.7

## Morbidity - Disability and Mental and Oral Health Characteristics

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Disabilities</b>	Adults ages 18 and older who are limited in any activities because of physical, mental, or emotional problems - Percent	2008	19.9%	17.0%	20.6%
	Adults ages 18 and older who require special equipment such as cane, wheelchair, special bed, or telephone - Percent	2008	7.7%	5.6%	7.2%
	Children ages 0 to 17 with special health care needs - Percent	2005/06	14.4%	12.2%	13.9%
<b>Mental Health</b>	Adults ages 18 and older with 14 or more mentally unhealthy days - Percent	2008	7.5%	6.0%	10.3%
	Average number of mentally unhealthy days experienced by adults ages 18 and older in past year	2008	2.7	2.2	3.4
	Children ages 4 months to 5 years who are at high risk of developmental, behavioral, or social delays - Percent	2007	8.2%	7.5%	10.6%
	Children ages 6 to 17 who consistently exhibit problematic social behaviors - Percent	2007	3.6%	5.5%	8.8%
	Children ages 2 to 17 who needed mental health care services - Percent who received needed services	2007	67.0%	72.4%	60.0%
<b>Oral Health</b>	Adults ages 18 and older who visited a dentist or dental clinic in the past year - Percent	2008	75.3%	74.1%	71.3%
	Adults ages 18 and older who have had any permanent teeth extracted - Percent	2008	35.0%	45.7%	43.9%
	Adults ages 65 and older who have had all of their natural teeth extracted - Percent	2008	13.0%	20.1%	18.5%
	Children ages 1 to 17 whose teeth are in fair or poor condition - Percent	2007	3.9%	6.2%	8.4%
	Children ages 1 to 17 with 2 or more oral health problems in past six months - Percent	2007	4.4%	7.0%	8.4%
	Population on public water supply systems receiving fluoridated water - Percent	2006	98.7%	96.2%	69.2%



### Behavioral Health - Obesity, Tobacco, and Alcohol

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Obesity and Physical Activity</b>	Adults ages 18 and older with 30+ minutes of moderate physical activity five or more days per week, or vigorous physical activity for 20+ minutes three or more days per week - Percent	2007	48.9%	52.7%	49.5%
	Adults ages 18 and older who consume 5+ servings of fruits and vegetables per day - Percent	2007	19.4%	21.9%	24.4%
	Adults ages 18 and older who are overweight (BMI <30 and >=25) - Percent	2008	37.6%	39.6%	36.5%
	Adults ages 18 and older who are obese (BMI >=30) - Percent	2008	25.2%	27.8%	26.7%
	Percent change in the proportion of adults ages 18 and older who are obese (BMI >=30)	2000-2008	44.8%	36.3%	33.5%
	Children ages 1 to 5 watching more than 1 hour of TV/day - Percent	2007	40.9%	50.7%	54.4%
	Children ages 10 to 17 who are overweight or obese (at or above 85th percentile for BMI) - Percent	2007	23.1%	25.7%	31.6%
<b>Tobacco Use</b>	Adults ages 18 and older who are current smokers - Percent	2008	17.6%	18.1%	18.4%
	Children ages 0 to 17 living in households where someone smokes inside the home - Percent	2007	4.9%	6.0%	7.6%
<b>Alcohol Use</b>	Heavy drinkers - Percent of adult men having more than two drinks per day and adult women having more than one drink per day	2008	4.7%	5.1%	5.1%
	Binge drinkers - Percent of adult men having 5+ drinks on one occasion and female adults having 4+ drinks on one occasion	2008	19.8%	21.6%	15.6%

### Behavioral Health - Immunization, Screening, and Education

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Immunization</b>	Children ages 19 to 35 months with recommended immunizations - Percent	2008	77.4%	74.2%	78.2%
	Adults ages 65 and older receiving influenza vaccine in past year - Percent	2008	76.4%	73.2%	71.1%
	Adults ages 65 and older who have ever received a pneumonia vaccination - Percent	2008	70.5%	68.4%	66.9%
<b>Screening</b>	Colonoscopy/sigmoidoscopy ever performed - Percent of adults ages 50 and older	2008	71.0%	57.9%	62.2%
	Blood stool test within past two years - Percent of adults ages 50 and older	2008	15.5%	20.1%	21.0%
	Pap test within past three years - Percent of women ages 18 and older	2008	86.0%	82.8%	82.9%
	Mammogram within past two years - Percent of women ages 40 and older	2008	79.1%	76.9%	76.0%
	Children ages 10 months to 5 years who received a standardized developmental/behavioral screening during a health care visit - Percent	2007	41.6%	17.6%	19.5%
<b>Education</b>	Schools that required students to take two or more health education courses - Percent	2008	67.0%	67.2%	50.6%
	Schools with a health education curriculum that addresses all 8 national standards for health education* - Percent	2008	56.8%	62.8%	66.1%

\*See the Data Sources and Notes section for an explanation of the eight national standards for health education.

**Part II. Health Care**

## Health Care - Infrastructure and Quality of Health Care

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Infrastructure</b>	Community hospitals	2007	131	41	4,897
	Critical access hospitals	2009	79	36	1,305
	Rural health clinics	2009	79	61	3,757
	Certified nursing facilities	2007	378	80	15,281
	Federally-funded, federally-qualified health centers	2007	14	5	1,067
<b>Quality</b>	Heart failure patients given written instructions at discharge - Percent	2007	76.6%	88.8%	74.7%
	Medicare patients whose health care provider always listens, explains, shows respect, and spends enough time with them - Percent	2007	77.4%	70.8%	74.1%
	Medicare patients giving a "best" rating for health care received in the past year - Percent	2007	66.4%	59.7%	61.4%
	High risk nursing home residents - Percent with pressure sores	2007	7.7%	7.5%	12.0%

## Access to Health Care - Health Insurance

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Coverage</b>	People with health insurance coverage - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	91.3%	88.6%	84.5%
<b>Sources of Coverage</b>	Employer sponsored - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	66.1%	60.7%	59.2%
	Direct purchase - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	12.6%	16.5%	9.0%
	Medicare - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	13.5%	13.5%	13.9%
	Medicaid - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	11.9%	8.7%	13.4%
	Military health care - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	2.5%	4.0%	3.7%
<b>Uninsured</b>	People without health insurance coverage	2006-2008 3-year avg.	450,000	70,000	46,330,000
	People without health insurance coverage - Percent of population	2006-2008 3-year avg.	8.7%	11.4%	15.5%
	Children without health insurance coverage	2006-2008 3-year avg.	88,000	13,000	8,053,000
	Children without health insurance coverage - Percent of children ages 0 to 17	2006-2008 3-year avg.	7.1%	8.7%	10.8%
<b>Other Health Insurance Related Indicators</b>	Private-sector employers offering health insurance to employees - Percent	2008	53.5%	52.2%	56.4%
	Employees enrolling in health coverage offered by private-sector employer - Percent	2008	78.4%	78.9%	78.7%
	Working adults spending 20% or more of income on out-of-pocket medical expenses (including copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles) - Percent	2004	5.0%	5.8%	8.0%
	Medicaid enrollment - Percent of population <200% of the federal poverty level	2005	55.6%	28.4%	46.4%

## Access to Health Care - Health Care Workforce and Utilization of Health Care Services

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Health Care Workforce</b>	Nonfederal primary care physicians - Rate per 1,000 population	2008	1.4	1.2	1.2
	Dentists - Rate per 1,000 population	2008	0.8	0.6	0.8
	Registered nurses - Rate per 1,000 population	2008	10.7	9.9	8.4
	Physician assistants - Rate per 1,000 population	2008	0.2	0.5	0.2
	Population living in primary care health professional shortage area - Percent	2008	5.3%	22.0%	11.8%
	Population living in mental health professional shortage area - Percent	2008	26.6%	34.4%	18.7%
	Population living in dental health professional shortage area - Percent	2008	3.7%	7.6%	10.4%
<b>Utilization of Health Care Services</b>	Hospital admissions - Rate per 1,000 population	2007	122.0	139.0	117.0
	Hospital inpatient days - Rate per 1,000 population	2007	756.0	1,208.0	645.0
	Hospital outpatient visits - Rate per 1,000 population	2007	1,896.0	2,733.0	2,000.0
	Hospital emergency room visits - Rate per 1,000 population	2007	332.0	429.0	401.0
	Hospital beds - Rate per 1,000 population	2007	3.0	5.5	2.7
	Certified nursing facility occupancy - Residents as a percent of beds	2007	92.4%	92.1%	84.8%
	Prescription drugs filled at retail pharmacies - Per capita	2008	10.1	11.6	12.0
	Adults ages 18 and older not able to see doctor in past year due to cost - Percent	2008	9.6%	6.2%	14.1%
	Children ages 0 to 17 with one or more unmet needs for health care - Percent	2007	4.5%	5.3%	6.9%

## Financing Health Care

Subject	Indicator	Year	Minnesota	North Dakota	United States
<b>Health Care Expenditures: All Payers</b>	Personal health care expenditures - Millions of dollars	2004	\$29,524	\$3,693	\$1,551,255
	Personal health care expenditures - Dollars per capita	2004	\$5,795	\$5,808	\$5,283
	Personal health care expenditures - Annual average growth	2000-2004	8.6%	8.0%	8.0%
<b>Health Care Expenditures: Medicare Funded</b>	Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Millions of dollars	2004	\$4,418	\$603	\$303,417
	Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Dollars per enrollee	2004	\$6,435	\$5,823	\$7,439
	Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Annual average growth	2000-2004	10.3%	9.4%	8.8%
<b>Hospital Expenses</b>	Hospital adjusted expenses per inpatient day - Dollars	2007	\$1,500	\$958	\$1,696
	Hospital adjusted expenses per inpatient day - Annual average growth	1999-2007	7.3%	4.7%	5.5%

## Data Sources and Notes

Subject	Indicator, Source, and Notes
<b>Part I. Health Status</b>	
<b>POPULATION</b>	
<b>Total Population</b>	<p><b>Total population:</b> American Community Survey, 2008 1-Year Estimates, Table B01003. U.S. Census Bureau. Retrieved at <a href="http://factfinder.census.gov">http://factfinder.census.gov</a>.</p> <p><b>Percent change in population:</b> American Community Survey, 2008 1-Year Estimates, Table B01003. U.S. Census Bureau. Retrieved at <a href="http://factfinder.census.gov">http://factfinder.census.gov</a>. Census 2000 Summary File 1, 100-Percent Data, Table QT-P1. Age Groups and Sex: 2000. U.S. Census Bureau. Retrieved at <a href="http://factfinder.census.gov">http://factfinder.census.gov</a>.</p>
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<p><b>Other Causes of Death</b></p>	<p><b>Occupational deaths - Number:</b> U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State, New York City, District of Columbia, and Federal agencies, <i>Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries. Table 5. Fatal occupational injuries by State and event or exposure, 2008</i>. August 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.bls.gov/news.release/cfoi.t05.htm">http://www.bls.gov/news.release/cfoi.t05.htm</a>.</p> <p><b>Infant deaths (less than 1 year) - Rate per 1,000 live births:</b> Heron MP, Hoyert DL, Murphy SL, Xu JQ, Kochanek KD, Tejada-Vera B. <i>Deaths: Final data for 2006</i>. National vital statistics reports; vol. 57 no. 14. Hyattsville, MD: National Center for Health Statistics. Released April 17, 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/NCHS/data/nvsr/nvsr57/nvsr57_14.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/NCHS/data/nvsr/nvsr57/nvsr57_14.pdf</a>.</p> <p><b>Induced terminations of pregnancy - Rate per 1,000 women ages 15 to 44:</b> Abortion Surveillance -- United States, 2005. Table 3. <i>Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report</i>, vol. 57, no. SS-13. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, November 2008. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/ss/ss5713.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/pdf/ss/ss5713.pdf</a>. NOTE: As data are reported voluntarily by providers to state or area health departments, information may be incomplete and result in undercounting abortions when calculating rates and ratios in some states. Abortions by state of occurrence include abortions obtained by non-residents of the state as well as those obtained by residents.</p>
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Mental Health	<b>Adults ages 18 and older with 14 or more mentally unhealthy days - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/27/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/HRQOL/">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/HRQOL/</a> .
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	<b>Adults ages 65 and older who have had all of their natural teeth extracted - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/15/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=6606&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=6606&amp;state=MN</a> .
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	<b>Children ages 1 to 17 with 2 or more oral health problems in past six months - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 1.2a. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/12/09 at <a href="http://www.nschdata.org">http://www.nschdata.org</a> .
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#### BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

<b>Obesity and Physical Activity</b>	<b>Adults ages 18 and older with 30+ minutes of moderate physical activity five or more days per week, or vigorous physical activity for 20+ minutes three or more days per week - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2007. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=PA&amp;yr=2007&amp;qkey=4418&amp;state=All">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=PA&amp;yr=2007&amp;qkey=4418&amp;state=All</a> .
	<b>Adults ages 18 and older who consume 5+ servings of fruits and vegetables per day - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2007. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=FV&amp;yr=2007&amp;qkey=4415&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=FV&amp;yr=2007&amp;qkey=4415&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Adults ages 18 and older who are overweight (BMI &lt;30 and &gt;=25) - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Adults ages 18 and older who are obese (BMI &gt;=30) - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Percent change in the proportion of adults ages 18 and older who are obese (BMI &gt;=30):</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN</a> . Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2000. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 11/03/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2000&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=OB&amp;yr=2000&amp;qkey=4409&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Children ages 1 to 5 watching more than 1 hour of television per day - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 6.10a. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/16/09 at <a href="http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind6_10achbk">http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind6_10achbk</a> .
<b>Children ages 10 to 17 who are overweight or obese (at or above 85th percentile for BMI) - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 1.4a. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/16/09 at <a href="http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind1_4a">http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind1_4a</a> .	
<b>Tobacco Use</b>	<b>Adults ages 18 and older who are current smokers - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=TU&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4396&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=TU&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4396&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Children ages 0 to 17 living in households where someone smokes inside the home - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 6.4a. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/16/09 at <a href="http://www.nschdata.org">http://www.nschdata.org</a> .
<b>Alcohol Use</b>	<b>Heavy drinkers - Percent of adult men having more than two drinks per day and adult women having more than one drink per day:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=AC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4413&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=AC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4413&amp;state=MN</a> .
	<b>Binge drinkers - Percent of adult men having 5+ drinks on one occasion and female adults having 4+ drinks on one occasion:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=AC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=7307&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=AC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=7307&amp;state=MN</a> .

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Immunization	<p><b>Children ages 19 to 35 months with recommended immunizations - Percent:</b> Estimated Vaccination Coverage with Individual Vaccines and Selected Vaccination Series Among Children 19-35 Months of Age by State -- U.S., National Immunization Survey, Q1/2008-Q4/2008. National Immunization Program, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/stats-surv/nis/data/tables_2008.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/stats-surv/nis/data/tables_2008.htm</a>. NOTE: For the purpose of this dataset, immunized children are those who receive 4:3:1:3:3, which is four or more doses of diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis, three or more doses of poliovirus vaccine, one or more doses of any measles containing vaccine (MCV), three or more doses of Haemophilus Influenza type B (Hib), and three or more doses of hepatitis B vaccine (HepB).</p> <p><b>Adults ages 65 and older receiving influenza vaccine in past year - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=IM&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4407&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=IM&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4407&amp;state=MN</a>.</p> <p><b>Adults ages 65 and older who have ever received a pneumonia vaccination - Percent:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=IM&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4408&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=IM&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4408&amp;state=MN</a>.</p>
Screening	<p><b>Colonoscopy/sigmoidoscopy ever performed - Percent of adults ages 50 and older:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=CC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4425&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=CC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4425&amp;state=MN</a>.</p> <p><b>Blood stool test within past two years - Percent of adults ages 50 and older:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=CC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4424&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=CC&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4424&amp;state=MN</a>.</p> <p><b>Pap test within past three years - Percent of women ages 18 and older:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=WH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4426&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=WH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4426&amp;state=MN</a>.</p> <p><b>Mammogram within past two years - Percent of women ages 40 and older:</b> Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2008. National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Retrieved 10/19/09 at <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=WH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4421&amp;state=MN">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/list.asp?cat=WH&amp;yr=2008&amp;qkey=4421&amp;state=MN</a>.</p> <p><b>Children ages 10 months to 5 years who received a standardized developmental/behavioral screening during a health care visit - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 4.16. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/12/09 at <a href="http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind4_16">http://nschdata.org/Rankings/RankingMap.aspx?item=07_ind4_16</a>.</p>
Education	<p><b>Schools that required students to take two or more health education courses - Percent:</b> Brener ND, McManus T, Foti K, Shanklin SL, Hawkins J, Kann L, Speicher N. School Health Profiles 2008: Characteristics of Health Programs Among Secondary Schools. Atlanta: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/profiles/index.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/profiles/index.htm</a>. NOTE: Survey data include responses from principals and lead health education teachers at public schools that serve students in grades 6 through 12.</p> <p><b>Schools with a health education curriculum that addresses all 8 national standards for health education - Percent:</b> Brener ND, McManus T, Foti K, Shanklin SL, Hawkins J, Kann L, Speicher N. School Health Profiles 2008: Characteristics of Health Programs Among Secondary Schools. Atlanta: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/profiles/index.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/profiles/index.htm</a>. NOTES: Survey data include responses from principals and lead health education teachers at public schools that serve students in grades 6 through 12. The National Health Education Standards are written expectations for what students should know and be able to do by specified grade levels to promote personal, family, and community health. The standards provide a framework for curriculum development and selection, instruction, and student assessment in health education. The most recent version of the National Health Education Standards was released in 2007 and includes the following: 1) Students will comprehend concepts related to health promotion and disease prevention to enhance health. 2) Students will analyze the influence of family, peers, culture, media, technology, and other factors on health behaviors. 3) Students will demonstrate the ability to access valid information and products and services to enhance health. 4) Students will demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal communication skills to enhance health and avoid or reduce health risks. 5) Students will demonstrate the ability to use decision-making skills to enhance health. 6) Students will demonstrate the ability to use goal-setting skills to enhance health. 7) Students will demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks. 8) Students will demonstrate the ability to advocate for personal, family, and community health.</p>

## Part II. Health Care

### INFRASTRUCTURE AND QUALITY OF HEALTH CARE

Infrastructure	<p><b>Community hospitals:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/28/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=382&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=382&amp;cat=8</a>. NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.</p>
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Subject	Indicator, Source, and Notes
	<p><b>Critical access hospitals:</b> Flex Monitoring Team - University of Minnesota, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and the University of Southern Maine Rural Health Research Centers. "Number of CAHs per State." Last updated on 7/30/09. Retrieved 11/12/09 at <a href="http://www.flexmonitoring.org/cahlistRA.cgi">http://www.flexmonitoring.org/cahlistRA.cgi</a>. NOTE: A critical access hospital must meet very specific CMS (Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services) criteria and thus gets special payments for Medicare patients. Hospitals can only provide short-term, limited care and must have a referral agreement.</p> <p><b>Rural health clinics:</b> Rural Assistance Center website. Rural Health Clinics, Medicare Certified Rural Health Clinics by State and County, "Name and Address Listing for Rural Health Clinics Based on Current Survey." Last updated on 10/06/09. Retrieved 10/27/09 at <a href="http://www.raconline.org/info_guides/clinics/rhc.php">http://www.raconline.org/info_guides/clinics/rhc.php</a>. A direct link to the table is at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/rhclistbyprovidername.pdf">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/MLNProducts/downloads/rhclistbyprovidername.pdf</a>. NOTE: Five states do not have rural health clinics. To view an interactive map of rural health clinics nationwide, visit the following link provided by the Center for Applied Research and Environmental Systems: <code>javascript:openCIRCmap('pos12','Rural%20Health%20Clinic')</code>.</p> <p><b>Certified nursing facilities:</b> C. Harrington, H. Carrillo, and B. Blank. Table 1, Nursing, Facilities, Staffing, Residents, and Facility Deficiencies, 2001 Through 2007. Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of California, San Francisco. Retrieved 10/30/09 at <a href="http://www.pascenter.org/nursing_homes/nursing_trends_2007.php">http://www.pascenter.org/nursing_homes/nursing_trends_2007.php</a>. NOTE: Data based on the Online Survey, Certification, and Reporting system (OSCAR), Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.</p> <p><b>Federally-funded, federally qualified health centers:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/29/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=424&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=424&amp;cat=8</a>. NOTES: Data are for calendar year 2007. The federally-funded Federally-Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) meet federal health center grant requirements and are required to report administrative, clinical and other information to the federal Bureau of Primary Health Care. Other health centers known as "FQHC Look-Alikes" are not included here because they do not receive federal health center grants and do not report to the Bureau of Primary Health Care. The data provided here consequently underreport the services provided by FQHCs. There are approximately 100 FQHC Look-Alikes across the United States. US total includes territories.</p>
Quality	<p><b>Heart failure patients given written instructions at discharge - Percent:</b> The Commonwealth Fund, Supplement to Aiming Higher: Results from a State Scorecard on Health System Performance, 2009. Table 3.12. October 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx</a>.</p> <p><b>Medicare patients whose health care provider always listens, explains, shows respect, and spends enough time with them - Percent:</b> The Commonwealth Fund, Supplement to Aiming Higher: Results from a State Scorecard on Health System Performance, 2009. Table 3.13. October 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx</a>. NOTE: The national figure is an average of all 50 states and the District of Columbia.</p> <p><b>Medicare patients giving a "best" rating for health care received in the past year - Percent:</b> The Commonwealth Fund, Supplement to Aiming Higher: Results from a State Scorecard on Health System Performance, 2009. Table 3.14. October 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx</a>. NOTE: The national figure is an average of all 50 states and the District of Columbia.</p> <p><b>High risk nursing home residents - Percent with pressure sores:</b> The Commonwealth Fund, Supplement to Aiming Higher: Results from a State Scorecard on Health System Performance, 2009. Table 3.15. October 2009. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Content/Publications/Fund-Reports/2009/Oct/2009-State-Scorecard.aspx</a>.</p>

#### ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE

Coverage	<p><b>People with health insurance coverage - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p>
Sources of Coverage	<p><b>Employer sponsored - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>Direct purchase - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>Medicare - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>Medicaid - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p>

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	<b>Military health care - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a> . NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.
<b>Uninsured</b>	<p><b>People without health insurance coverage:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>People without health insurance coverage - Percent of population:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>Children without health insurance coverage:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p> <p><b>Children without health insurance coverage - Percent of children ages 0 to 17:</b> U.S. Census Bureau Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2007 through 2009. Data obtained through the Current Population Survey Table Creator at <a href="http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html">http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/cpstc/cps_table_creator.html</a>. NOTE: The Census Bureau recommends using 3-year averages to compare estimates across states.</p>
<b>Other Health Insurance Related Indicators</b>	<p><b>Private-sector employers offering health insurance to employees - Percent:</b> Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. <i>Table II.A.2 Percent of private-sector establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State, 2008.</i> Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component. Retrieved 10/20/09 at <a href="http://www.meps.ahrq.gov/mepsweb/data_stats/meps_query.jsp">http://www.meps.ahrq.gov/mepsweb/data_stats/meps_query.jsp</a>.</p> <p><b>Employees enrolling in health coverage offered by private-sector employer - Percent:</b> Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. <i>Table II.B.2.a.1 Percent of private-sector employees eligible for health insurance that are enrolled in health insurance at establishments that offer health insurance by firm size and State, 2008.</i> Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component. Retrieved 10/20/09 at <a href="http://www.meps.ahrq.gov/mepsweb/data_stats/meps_query.jsp">http://www.meps.ahrq.gov/mepsweb/data_stats/meps_query.jsp</a>.</p> <p><b>Working adults spending 20% or more of income on out-of-pocket medical expenses (including copays, coinsurance, and deductibles) - Percent:</b> State Health Access Profile: A Chartbook of Health Care Access Indicators for States, 2007. The State Health Access Data Assistance Center (SHADAC), a program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and a part of the Health Policy and Management Division of the School of Public Health at the University of Minnesota, December 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.shadac.org/publications/state-health-access-profile-downloadable-file">http://www.shadac.org/publications/state-health-access-profile-downloadable-file</a>.</p> <p><b>Medicaid enrollment - Percent of population &lt;200% of the federal poverty level:</b> State Health Access Profile: A Chartbook of Health Care Access Indicators for States, 2007. The State Health Access Data Assistance Center (SHADAC), a program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and a part of the Health Policy and Management Division of the School of Public Health at the University of Minnesota, December 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.shadac.org/publications/state-health-access-profile-downloadable-file">http://www.shadac.org/publications/state-health-access-profile-downloadable-file</a>. NOTE: The population under 200% of poverty includes those people living below poverty as well as those with incomes up to twice the federal poverty level.</p>

#### HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE AND UTILIZATION OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES

<b>Health Care Workforce</b>	<p><b>Nonfederal primary care physicians - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/20/09 at <a href="http://statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=689&amp;cat=8">http://statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=689&amp;cat=8</a>.</p> <p><b>Dentists - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10-20-09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=691&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=691&amp;cat=8</a>.</p> <p><b>Registered nurses - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Occupation numbers from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, National and State Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates, May 2008. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.bls.gov/oes/2008/may/oesrcst.htm">http://www.bls.gov/oes/2008/may/oesrcst.htm</a>. Population numbers used to calculate the rate from the U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for the United States, Regions, States, and Puerto Rico: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2008 (NST-EST2008-01). Retrieved at <a href="http://www.census.gov/popest/states/NST-ann-est.html">http://www.census.gov/popest/states/NST-ann-est.html</a>.</p> <p><b>Physician assistants - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Occupation numbers from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, National and State Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates, May 2008. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.bls.gov/oes/2008/may/oesrcst.htm">http://www.bls.gov/oes/2008/may/oesrcst.htm</a>. Population numbers used to calculate the rate from the U.S. Census Bureau, Population Division, Annual Estimates of the Resident Population for the United States, Regions, States, and Puerto Rico: April 1, 2000 to July 1, 2008 (NST-EST2008-01). Retrieved at <a href="http://www.census.gov/popest/states/NST-ann-est.html">http://www.census.gov/popest/states/NST-ann-est.html</a>.</p> <p><b>Population living in primary care health professional shortage area - Percent:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=682&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=682&amp;cat=8</a>.</p> <p><b>Population living in mental health professional shortage area - Percent:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=680&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=680&amp;cat=8</a>.</p> <p><b>Population living in dental health professional shortage area - Percent:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=681&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=681&amp;cat=8</a>.</p>
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Utilization of Health Care Services	<b>Hospital admissions - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=398&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=398&amp;cat=8</a> . NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.
	<b>Hospital inpatient days - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=402&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=402&amp;cat=8</a> . NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.
	<b>Hospital outpatient visits - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=404&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=404&amp;cat=8</a> . NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.
	<b>Hospital emergency room visits - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=388&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=388&amp;cat=8</a> . NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.
	<b>Hospital beds - Rate per 1,000 population:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=384&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=384&amp;cat=8</a> . NOTE: Data are for community hospitals, which represent 85% of all hospitals nationally. Federal hospitals, long term care hospitals, psychiatric hospitals, institutions for the mentally retarded, and alcoholism and other chemical dependency hospitals are not included.
	<b>Certified nursing facility occupancy - Residents as a percent of beds:</b> C. Harrington, H. Carrillo, and B. Blank. <i>Table 4, Total Number of Residents and Facility Occupancy Rates For Certified Nursing Facilities</i> , Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of California, San Francisco. Retrieved 10/30/09 at <a href="http://www.pascenter.org/nursing_homes/nursing_trends_2007.php">http://www.pascenter.org/nursing_homes/nursing_trends_2007.php</a> . NOTE: Data based on the Online Survey, Certification, and Reporting system (OSCAR), Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The occupancy rate is calculated by dividing the number of nursing residents in a certified facility by the total number of certified beds (excluding all uncertified residents and beds).
	<b>Prescription drugs filled at retail pharmacies - Per capita:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Health Costs and Budgets. Retrieved 10/21/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=267&amp;cat=5">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=267&amp;cat=5</a> . NOTE: Data shown here are for calendar year 2008 and include the total number of prescription drugs filled at retail pharmacies only. Retail pharmacies include independent pharmacies, chain pharmacies, food stores, and mass merchandisers. These data include prescriptions filled at pharmacies only and exclude those filled by mail order. Retail prescriptions filled by mail order totaled 238 million nationwide or 6.7% of total prescriptions filled in 2008 according to industry statistics reported by The National Association of Chain Drug Stores ( <a href="http://www.nacds.org/wmspage.cfm?parm1=6536">http://www.nacds.org/wmspage.cfm?parm1=6536</a> ).
	<b>Adults ages 18 and older not able to see doctor in past year due to cost - Percent:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Providers and Service Use. Retrieved 10/22/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=747&amp;cat=8">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemactable.jsp?ind=747&amp;cat=8</a> .
	<b>Children ages 0 to 17 with one or more unmet needs for health care - Percent:</b> Child and Adolescent Health Measurement Initiative. 2007 National Survey of Children's Health. Child Health Status Indicator 4.6a. Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health website. Retrieved 10/16/09 at <a href="http://www.nschdata.org">http://www.nschdata.org</a> .

#### FINANCING HEALTH CARE

Health Care Expenditures: All Payers	<b>Personal health care expenditures - Millions of dollars:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a> . NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.
	<b>Personal health care expenditures - Dollars per capita:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a> . NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.

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	<p><b>Personal health care expenditures - Average annual growth:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a>. NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.</p>
<p><b>Health Care Expenditures: Medicare Funded</b></p>	<p><b>Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Millions of dollars:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a>. NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.</p> <p><b>Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Dollars per enrollee:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a>. NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.</p> <p><b>Medicare funded personal health care expenditures - Average annual growth:</b> National Health Expenditure Data, Health Expenditures by State of Residence, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Office of the Actuary, National Health Statistics Group, released September 2007. Retrieved at <a href="http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage">http://www.cms.hhs.gov/NationalHealthExpendData/05_NationalHealthAccountsStateHealthAccountsResidence.asp#TopOfPage</a>. NOTE: Health Care Expenditures measure spending for all privately and publicly funded personal health care services and products (hospital care, physician services, nursing home care, prescription drugs, etc.) by state of residence. Hospital spending is included and reflects the total net revenue (gross charges less contractual adjustments, bad debts, and charity care). Costs such as insurance program administration, research, and construction expenses are not included in this total.</p>
<p><b>Hospital Expenses</b></p>	<p><b>Hospital adjusted expenses per inpatient day - Dollars:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Health Costs and Budgets. Retrieved 10/22/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=273&amp;cat=5">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparemaptable.jsp?ind=273&amp;cat=5</a>. NOTE: Includes all operating and non-operating expenses for registered U.S. community hospitals, defined as nonfederal short-term general and other special hospitals whose facilities and services are available to the public. Adjusted expenses per inpatient day include expenses incurred for both inpatient and outpatient care; inpatient days are adjusted higher to reflect an estimate of the volume of outpatient services. It is important to note that these figures are only an estimate of expenses incurred (by the hospital to provide a day of) inpatient care and are not a substitute for either actual charges or reimbursement for care provided.</p> <p><b>Hospital adjusted expenses per inpatient day - Annual average growth:</b> Kaiser Family Foundation, Health Costs and Budgets. Retrieved 10/22/09 at <a href="http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=275&amp;cat=5">http://www.statehealthfacts.org/comparetable.jsp?ind=275&amp;cat=5</a>. NOTE: Includes all operating and non-operating expenses for registered U.S. community hospitals, defined as nonfederal short-term general and other special hospitals whose facilities and services are available to the public. Adjusted expenses per inpatient day include expenses incurred for both inpatient and outpatient care; inpatient days are adjusted higher to reflect an estimate of the volume of outpatient services. It is important to note that these figures are only an estimate of expenses incurred (by the hospital to provide a day of) inpatient care and are not a substitute for either actual charges or reimbursement for care provided.</p>