

# **Health Insurance Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behaviors of Mississippi Residents**

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### **Executive Summary**

In collaboration with Center for Mississippi Health Policy, the Survey Research Unit (SRU) in the School of Public Health at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) developed and fielded a survey instrument designed to assess Mississippi residents' knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors concerning the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA). Generally, the results show:

- Survey respondent demographics were representative of Mississippi residents as a whole and consistent with other published population statistics.
- Almost 77% of Mississippians are covered by some form of health insurance on the day of the survey while about 23% are not covered.
- Overall, Mississippians without health insurance report poorer health status than the Mississippi population as a whole
- Of Mississippians not covered by health insurance, almost 55% are ages 45-64.
- Mississippians without health insurance coverage are spread across all education levels.
- 50% of Mississippians without health insurance are working full or part time while almost one-third are unemployed.
- Mississippi residents overwhelmingly believe that health insurance is very important and something that they need.
- Nearly 60% of Mississippians are covered by health insurance through their employer and just over 20% are covered by either Medicare or Medicaid.
- Mississippians report that the reason that they do not have health insurance is because it is too expensive or because they are unemployed, their employer does not offer it or they are not eligible for insurance from their employer.
- Mississippians do not consider themselves well informed about ACA in general, the health insurance exchange or marketplace, or Medicaid expansion.
- Approximately one-third of Mississippians support the ACA while just over 45% are not in support.
- The health insurance attributes important to Mississippi residents are primarily out-of pocket costs, low monthly costs, and doctor availability.

- Most Mississippians believe that larger employers should be required to provide health insurance to their employees and that the Medicaid program should be expanded to cover everyone below the federal poverty level.
- Just over 44% of residents believe that there will be generally higher insurance costs as a result of the health insurance exchanges or marketplaces.
- There is considerable uncertainty regarding Mississippians' perception as to whether they will be better off in 2014 as a result of the ACA.
- Generally, Mississippians are not favorably disposed to buying health insurance through the health insurance exchange or marketplace.
- Most Mississippians with health insurance do not expect to change their existing health insurance plan.
- The majority of those likely to receive a subsidy through the insurance exchanges would buy coverage at the subsidized price; the likelihood of purchase increases as the out-of-pocket premium declines.

## **Introduction**

In collaboration with Center for Mississippi Health Policy, the Survey Research Unit (SRU) in the School of Public Health at the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) developed and fielded a survey instrument designed to assess Mississippi residents' knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors concerning the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA), Medicaid expansion, and health insurance coverage options, including new services and programs to be implemented in 2013 and 2014. The UAB SRU administered the survey using Computer Assisted Telephone Interviewing (CATI) to a sample of the Mississippi adult population (ages 19-64). Additionally, the SRU analyzed the survey data and prepared this report for the Center for Mississippi Health Policy.

## **Study Overview**

The study examined Mississippians health status and current insurance coverage as well as their knowledge, attitudes and anticipated behaviors regarding the forthcoming federally facilitated insurance exchange or marketplace and coverage options. The survey instrument was developed in collaboration with the Center for Mississippi Health Policy and drew on a review of previous health insurance research. Demographic questions included age, gender, race, education, respondent's Public Health District, family size, and income. Health status and insurance coverage questions included a self-assessment of health, current health insurance coverage status, and the type of coverage and deductible of those with insurance. Knowledge questions explored such issues as whether Mississippians are aware of the health insurance exchange and the open enrollment period as well as their understanding of the ACA and related issues. Knowledge of the availability of subsidies and the requirement to have coverage were also addressed. Attitudinal questions related to issues of general support for expanded access to affordable insurance coverage, plan attributes, Medicaid expansion and ACA effectiveness. Questions related to anticipated behaviors included the likelihood that Mississippians will buy coverage, intended participation in the health insurance exchange, and importantly, whether they would likely buy coverage if they were eligible for a subsidy as well as questions gauging whether residents intend to drop existing individual or group coverage.

## **Survey Method**

The survey method was a telephone survey using Random Digit Dialing (RDD) staffed by experienced IRB and HIPPA certified interviewers. The survey instrument is included as Appendix A. Telephone numbers were computer generated from a vendor-supplied set of telephone exchanges (a three digit area code and three digit prefixes) unique to Mississippi and the computer generated the four digit suffix to complete the telephone number to be dialed by the CATI system. Survey calls were made Monday through Thursday 10:00 am until 4:00 pm and 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Calls were also made on Friday and Saturday from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm in the period from August 9, 2013 through October 31, 2013. During this period there were 1,108 completed surveys. An attempt to contact each residential landline telephone number and residential cellular number was made six times. Of the 1,108 completed surveys, 406 or 36.6%

were landlines while 702 or 63.4% were cell phones. Results of the survey, presented as weighted percentages for all Mississippians, is included as Appendix B.

### **Sampling Strategy**

A stratified random sampling strategy by Public Health District was conducted and yielded a plus or minus 3% margin of error for the state population as a whole; however, conclusions for each Public Health District cannot be made with statistical significance due to the nature of the stratified sampling design. Results should not be treated as representative of Mississippi or the Public Health District, but rather as characteristics of respondents from that location.

In order to ensure the sample was reflective of the state as a whole, survey response percentages were weighted based on a calculated sampling rate determined by the sample population for each Public Health District and the eligible population by Public Health District as reported in county-level 2010 Census data. Frequencies and percentages presented in the Survey Respondent Demographics section of this report are actual and un-weighted while the statistics reported in the remainder of the report are weighted to represent the Mississippi population as a whole.

## Survey Respondent Demographics

Demographic questions included age, gender, race, education, respondent's Public Health District, family size, and income. Survey respondent demographics were representative of Mississippi residents as a whole and consistent with other published population statistics. Of the respondents, 44% were male and 56% were female. Concerning race, 57.8% respondents reported being White, 36.2% reported being African-American, 3% reported being Asian or other races while 3.1% did not know or refused to answer. These percentages are consistent with estimates by the 2013 American Community Survey for Mississippi that reports the Mississippi population to be 59% White, 37% African-American and less than 1% Asian and Other.<sup>1</sup> Regarding ethnicity, 1.4% reported being Hispanic. Similarly, the 2013 American Community Survey reports 2.9% Hispanic in Mississippi.<sup>2</sup>

As shown in Table 1, all nine Mississippi Public Health Districts were well represented in the survey with the highest number of survey respondents from the Tombigbee District IV (144) and the fewest number of respondents from The Coastal Plains District IX (86). The Table also shows the District population reported in county-level 2010 Census data and the survey sampling rate for each District.

<b>Table 1</b>				
<b>Responses by Health District</b>				
<b>Health District</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent of Respondents</b>	<b>Eligible Population</b>	<b>Sampling Rate (%)</b>
<b>Northwest</b>	137	12.36	193,465	0.07
<b>Northeast</b>	135	12.18	221,119	0.06
<b>Delta/Hills</b>	150	13.54	129,912	0.12
<b>Tombigbee</b>	144	13.00	152,262	0.09
<b>West Central</b>	108	9.75	390,569	0.03
<b>East Central</b>	104	9.39	144,007	0.07
<b>Southwest</b>	117	10.56	103,997	0.11
<b>Southeast</b>	127	11.46	186,700	0.07
<b>Coastal Plains</b>	86	7.76	288,970	0.03
<b>Total</b>	1,108	100.00	1,811,001	0.65
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.				

Because of provisions in the Affordable Care Act, the survey was limited to respondents age 19 to 64. As presented in Table 2 the largest category of respondents was the category of ages 55 to 64 with 37.2%. The fewest number of respondents, 7.6%, were in the age category 19-25.

<b>Table 2</b> <b>Respondent's Current Age</b>			
<b>Ages</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>19-25</b>	84	7.58	0.80
<b>26-34</b>	129	11.64	0.96
<b>35-44</b>	191	17.24	1.14
<b>45-54</b>	273	24.64	1.30
<b>55-64</b>	412	37.18	1.45
<b>Refused</b>	19	1.71	0.39
<b>Total</b>	1,108	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.			
SE is the standard error of the percent (all Tables)			

Table 3 shows the highest level of formal education or highest degree received for the respondents. The largest number of respondents, 26%, reported high school or GED, approximately 19% reported a bachelor's degree, 15.3% some college, 13.4% an associate degree, and 10.1% reported post-graduate or professional degrees.

<b>Table 3</b> <b>Highest Level Of School Highest Degree Received</b>			
<b>Education</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Less Than High School (Grades 1-8)</b>	34	3.07	0.52
<b>Some High School (Grades 9-11)</b>	84	7.58	0.80
<b>High School / GED</b>	288	25.99	1.32
<b>Some College</b>	170	15.34	1.08
<b>Associate Degree</b>	149	13.45	1.03
<b>Bachelor's Degree</b>	212	19.13	1.18
<b>Some Postgraduate/Professional School</b>	45	4.06	0.59
<b>Postgrad / Professional Degree</b>	112	10.11	0.91
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	1	0.09	0.09
<b>Refused</b>	13	1.17	0.32
<b>Total</b>	1,108	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.			

Table 4 shows the employment status of the respondents. Just over 47% of the respondents reported that they were employed full time, 8.4% reported part-time employment, 13.6% reported being disabled or cannot work while 10% reported being unemployed. Survey respondent employment numbers are consistent with 2012 Work Status in the Past 12 Months Report from the 2013 American Community Survey which reports 49.6% of Mississippian's worked 50 to 52 weeks.<sup>3</sup> The unemployment statistics reported by respondents in the survey also are consistent with numbers reported by the Mississippi Department of Employment Statistics 2013 Labor Market Information Report. According to the Report unemployment in Mississippi has been as high as 10.7 (January) percent in 2013 and was at approximately 8.4% in August 2013.<sup>4</sup> Survey reported disability rates are also consistent with the Institute on Disability that reports a disability rate of 14.8% for Mississippi for ages 18-64.<sup>5</sup> Of those employed, most (69.1%) worked for organizations with 50 or more employees.



<b>Table 4</b>			
<b>Employment Situation</b>			
<b>Employment Status</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Full-Time</b>	522	47.11	1.50
<b>Part-Time</b>	93	8.39	0.83
<b>Student</b>	31	2.80	0.50
<b>Retired</b>	124	11.19	0.95
<b>Disability / Can't Work</b>	151	13.63	1.03
<b>Homemaker</b>	62	5.60	0.69
<b>Unemployed</b>	111	10.02	0.90
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	6	0.54	0.22
<b>Refused</b>	8	0.72	0.25
<b>Total</b>	1,108	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.			

Table 5 shows the distribution of total family income from all sources before taxes. The largest category of income was \$10,000 to \$30,000 with 37.7% of the respondents. Approximately 10.2% of the respondents reported earning \$100,000 or more.

<b>Table 5</b>			
<b>Total Family Income From All Sources Before Taxes</b>			
<b>Total Family Income</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>\$10,000 - \$29,999</b>	418	37.73	1.46
<b>\$30,000 - \$59,999</b>	242	21.84	1.24
<b>\$60,000 - \$99,999</b>	145	13.09	1.01
<b>&gt;= \$100,000</b>	113	10.20	0.91
<b>Not Sure / Refused</b>	190	17.15	1.13
<b>Total</b>	1,108	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.			

## Mississippi Population Health Status and Insurance Coverage

A key objective of the survey was to determine general health status and the state of health insurance coverage in Mississippi as of fall 2013 when ACA implementation began. Health status and insurance coverage questions included a self-assessment of health, current health insurance coverage status, and the type of coverage and deductible of those with insurance. Generally, Mississippians report good or better health status – almost 70% rate their health status as good or excellent, nearly 19% rate it as fair and 10.4% rate their health as poor.

Concerning health insurance coverage, 76.9% of Mississippians are covered by some form of health insurance while 22.9% are not covered and 0.1% are not sure or do not know. Of those covered by health insurance, 8.3% did not have coverage at some point in the past 12 months. Of those not covered by health insurance, 24.6% were covered by health insurance at some point in the past 12 months.

As shown in Table 6, overall those without health insurance report poorer health status than the population as a whole, with 57.9% reporting good or excellent, 24.2% fair and 15.5% as poor. However, for the general population, 46.2% believe that they would be considered to have a pre-existing health condition while 50.8% indicated that they do not think they have a pre-existing condition. Yet, only 8% have been denied health insurance coverage because of a pre-existing condition.

<b>Table 6</b>						
<b>Health Status of Mississippians by Insurance Coverage</b>						
<b>Health Status</b>	<b>All</b>		<b>Insured</b>		<b>Uninsured</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b><u>Health Status</u></b>						
<b>Excellent</b>	22.83	1.40	24.27	1.63	17.82	2.70
<b>Good</b>	47.10	1.69	49.23	1.93	40.08	3.52
<b>Fair</b>	18.90	1.35	17.29	1.49	24.20	3.03
<b>Poor</b>	10.43	0.98	8.98	1.04	15.45	2.48
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	0.73	0.24	0.23	0.13	2.45	0.92
<b><u>Pre-existing Condition</u></b>						
<b>Yes</b>	46.19	1.70	47.45	1.96	42.28	3.50
<b>No</b>	50.77	1.71	49.93	1.96	53.21	3.55
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	2.91	0.61	2.45	0.65	4.51	1.54
<b>Refused</b>	0.13	0.09	0.16	0.12	--	--
<b><u>Denied Coverage because of Pre-existing Condition</u></b>						
<b>Yes</b>	7.99	0.93	7.29	1.00	10.44	2.29
<b>No</b>	91.10	0.97	92.12	1.02	87.96	2.44
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	0.83	0.29	0.49	0.22	1.60	0.98
<b>Refused</b>	0.08	0.08	0.10	0.10	--	--
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.						

Mississippi residents without health insurance coverage were 52.4% White, 43.8% African-American, and 2.8% Asian or Other. As shown in Table 7, of those not covered by health insurance, somewhat surprisingly, almost 55% are ages 45-64 while only 12.8% of those without health insurance are ages 19-25 and 13.2% are ages 26-34. The smaller percentages in the 19 to 25 category may begin to reflect the ACA provision that allows dependents under age 26 to be covered under their parent's policy.

<b>Table 7</b>		
<b>Ages of Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Ages</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>19-25</b>	12.80	2.44
<b>26-34</b>	13.22	2.49
<b>35-44</b>	18.65	2.73
<b>45-54</b>	27.99	3.21
<b>55-64</b>	26.74	3.11
<b>Refused</b>	0.61	0.45
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Not surprising, over 62% of Mississippians without health insurance and willing to reveal their income earned less than \$30,000 and another 16% earned less than \$60,000 but over \$30,000.

As shown in Table 8, Mississippians without health insurance coverage are spread across all education levels; however, over 35% had only a high school education or GED. Additionally, as shown in Table 9, nearly 50% of those without health insurance are working full or part time while almost one-third are unemployed.

<b>Table 8</b>		
<b>Education Level of Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Education Level</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Less than High School (Grades 1-8)</b>	2.19	0.84
<b>Some High School (Grades 9-11)</b>	11.60	2.22
<b>High School / GED</b>	35.24	3.38
<b>Some College</b>	20.25	2.85
<b>Associate Degree</b>	9.98	2.11
<b>Bachelor's Degree</b>	12.80	2.44
<b>Some Postgraduate/Professional School</b>	1.60	0.98
<b>Postgrad / Professional Degree</b>	5.05	1.66
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	--	--
<b>Refused</b>	1.2979	0.92
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

<b>Table 9</b>		
<b>Employment Status of Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Employment Status</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Full-Time</b>	34.79	3.38
<b>Part-Time</b>	14.77	2.52
<b>Student</b>	3.98	1.28
<b>Retired</b>	5.90	1.62
<b>Disability / Can't Work</b>	5.41	1.54
<b>Homemaker</b>	4.25	1.46
<b>Unemployed</b>	29.35	3.30
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	1.22	0.93
<b>Refused</b>	0.34	0.34
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Mississippi residents overwhelmingly believe that health insurance is very important (88.5%) or somewhat important (7.5%) and 91.5% view it as something that they need. However, a smaller percentage believe that it is worth the money (62.2%) while 23.1% believe that it is was not worth the money and 14.7% do not know or are unsure. For the uninsured population, only 47.7% believe health insurance is worth the money, 31.8 believe that it is not worth the money, and 20.5% do not know or are unsure as shown in Table 10.

<b>Table 10</b>						
<b>Beliefs about of Health Insurance among Mississippians</b>						
<b>Beliefs</b>	<b>All</b>		<b>Insured</b>		<b>Uninsured</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b><u>Importance of Health Insurance</u></b>						
<b>Very important</b>	88.47	1.11	91.99	1.10	76.88	3.01
<b>Somewhat important</b>	7.51	0.94	5.76	0.94	13.46	2.58
<b>Not too important</b>	1.83	0.43	1.17	0.44	4.09	1.12
<b>Not at all important</b>	1.52	0.42	0.68	0.33	4.38	1.46
<b>Don't know</b>	0.50	0.19	0.29	0.15	0.79	0.56
<b>Refused</b>	0.17	0.12	0.11	0.11	0.40	0.40
<b><u>Need for Insurance</u></b>						
<b>Something I need</b>	91.46	0.98	92.71	1.04	87.55	2.41
<b>Healthy / don't need</b>	6.63	0.88	4.87	0.88	12.24	2.40
<b>Don't know</b>	1.29	0.34	1.61	0.43	0.21	0.21
<b>Refused</b>	0.63	0.31	0.81	0.40	--	--
<b><u>Value of Insurance</u></b>						
<b>Worth the money</b>	62.24	1.66	66.65	1.85	47.72	3.51
<b>Not worth the money</b>	23.08	1.46	20.58	1.61	31.76	3.38
<b>Don't know</b>	13.75	1.19	11.57	1.26	20.52	2.95
<b>Refused</b>	0.92	0.30	1.20	0.39	--	--
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.						

As shown in Table 11, of Mississippians covered by health insurance, 59.1% are covered by their employer, 11.1% have self-purchased insurance, and 20.5% are covered by either Medicare or Medicaid. The percentage with self-purchased coverage is nearly 50% larger than the results from national surveys.<sup>6</sup>

<b>Table 11</b>		
<b>Main Source Of Health Insurance For Mississippians With Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Type of Coverage</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Employer</b>	59.14	1.87
<b>Self-Purchased</b>	11.13	1.16
<b>Medicare</b>	13.15	1.28
<b>Medicaid</b>	7.34	0.90
<b>Other Government</b>	5.90	0.95
<b>Parent's Plan</b>	2.33	0.58
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	0.62	0.23
<b>Refused</b>	0.40	0.20
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

There are a wide range of health insurance deductibles in Mississippi health plans ranging from \$0 to \$9,800. As presented in Table 12, while 40% of Mississippians refuse to reveal or do not know their deductible, the most common deductible is between \$1,000 and \$3,499.

<b>Table 12</b>		
<b>Individual Annual Deductible For Mississippians With Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Deductible Amount</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>No Deductible</b>	7.05	1.03
<b>Less than \$500</b>	10.50	1.19
<b>\$500-\$999</b>	11.09	1.26
<b>\$1000-\$3499</b>	26.56	1.77
<b>\$3500 or greater</b>	4.32	0.76
<b>Don't Know / Refused</b>	40.47	1.92
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

As shown in Table 13, over 48% of Mississippians not covered by health insurance report that the reason that they do not have health insurance coverage is because it is too expensive or because they are unemployed, their employer does not offer it or they are not eligible for insurance from their employer.

<b>Table 13</b> <b>Reasons for No Health Insurance for Mississippians</b> <b>Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Reason for No Health Insurance</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Too Expensive</b>	48.45	3.56
<b>Unemployed</b>	24.73	3.13
<b>Don't Need It</b>	1.74	1.00
<b>Employer Doesn't Offer</b>	5.69	1.43
<b>Can't Get</b>	5.53	1.49
<b>Not Eligible For Employer</b>	3.60	1.42
<b>Don't Know How To Get</b>	0.40	0.40
<b>Other</b>	9.87	2.19
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Finally, a majority (over 68%) of residents, not covered by health insurance, has not had coverage for two years or more, 16% have not had coverage for the past one to two years, 15.6% have not had coverage in the previous year.

## Affordable Care Act and Exchange (Marketplace) Knowledge

A second key objective of the study was to determine the extent of Mississippi residents' knowledge concerning the ACA and the associated health insurance exchange or marketplace. Knowledge questions explored the extent of knowledge about the ACA as well as such issues as whether Mississippians are aware of the health insurance exchange or marketplace and the open enrollment period. As shown in Table 14 only just over 11% of the population know a lot about the ACA, 27.5% know something and just over 32% know only a little while almost 28% know nothing. In contrast, those without health insurance tend to know less about the Act.

<b>Table 14</b>				
<b>Mississippians' Knowledge Of The Affordable Care Act</b>				
<b>Know about the ACA</b>	<b>All</b>		<b>Uninsured</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>A Lot</b>	11.28	1.13	5.94	1.78
<b>Some</b>	27.52	1.52	16.66	2.57
<b>Only A Little</b>	32.06	1.60	30.05	3.21
<b>Nothing</b>	27.98	1.55	46.58	3.56
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	0.90	0.32	0.77	0.45
<b>Refused</b>	0.26	0.20	--	--
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.				

Further, almost 60% of Mississippians believe they do not have enough information concerning the ACA, while 37.3% think that they do have enough information. About 3% do not know or are unsure. An even larger percentage (72.9%) of those without health insurance believes they do not have enough information concern the ACA.

As presented in Table 15, during the September – October, 2013 period, Mississippi residents as a whole know even less about the health insurance exchange or marketplace – just over 41% know nothing about the insurance marketplace and almost 29% know only a little. Those without health insurance are less informed with nearly 60% reporting that they know nothing about the insurance marketplace and another 20% know only a little. Similarly, over 50% of Mississippians are unaware of the open enrollment period for obtaining health insurance—among the uninsured, 65% are unaware of the open enrollment period.

<b>Table 15</b> <b>Mississippians' Knowledge Concerning the Health Insurance Marketplace</b>				
<b>Know about the ACA Marketplace</b>	<b>All</b>		<b>No Insurance Coverage</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>A Lot</b>	7.65	0.94	5.36	1.74
<b>Some</b>	19.98	1.38	11.52	2.28
<b>Only A Little</b>	28.70	1.57	20.10	2.69
<b>Nothing</b>	41.05	1.68	59.06	3.48
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	2.62	0.52	3.96	1.40
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.				

As with the ACA in general and the health insurance exchange or marketplace, Mississippians are not well informed concerning Medicaid expansion. For example, a little over 24% of residents are very aware and another 36% have heard something but do not know very much that states have an option to expand Medicaid and over 58% have not heard if Mississippi has opted on not opted to expand Medicaid as seen in Table 16.

<b>Table 16</b> <b>Awareness of Medicaid Expansion in General and in Mississippi</b>		
<b>Awareness</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b><u>General Awareness of Medicaid Expansion</u></b>		
<b>Very aware</b>	24.29	1.48
<b>Don't know much about</b>	36.26	1.64
<b>Not aware</b>	36.30	1.65
<b>Don't know / not sure</b>	3.06	0.58
<b>Refused</b>	0.10	0.07
<b><u>Awareness of Mississippi Medicaid Expansion</u></b>		
<b>Will expand</b>	5.34	0.81
<b>Will not expand</b>	17.02	1.29
<b>Not decided</b>	8.79	0.98
<b>Not heard</b>	58.18	1.67
<b>Don't know / not sure</b>	10.41	1.03
<b>Refused</b>	0.26	0.13
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Finally, as presented in Table 17, residents prefer to obtain additional information concerning the ACA and new insurance options through pamphlets, the internet, television, and email; however, over 10% do not want more information. Preferences for the uninsured are similar; however, with an even greater preference for pamphlets (45.8%).



<b>Table 17</b>		
<b>Format Preference for Information concerning Health Insurance Options</b>		
<b>Information Source</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Pamphlet</b>	36.53	1.61
<b>Television</b>	11.30	1.11
<b>Radio</b>	0.97	0.35
<b>Internet</b>	20.10	1.41
<b>Email</b>	6.68	0.82
<b>Call To Home</b>	0.93	0.33
<b>Family &amp; Friends</b>	1.12	0.35
<b>Employer</b>	2.77	0.56
<b>Agent Or Broker</b>	1.28	0.40
<b>Church</b>	0.78	0.33
<b>Community Organization</b>	0.22	0.13
<b>Physician's Office</b>	1.32	0.44
<b>Don't Want More Info</b>	10.30	1.08
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	4.40	0.71
<b>Refused</b>	1.02	0.32
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

## Affordable Care Act and Marketplace Attitudes

Another objective of the survey was to assess the attitudes of Mississippi residents toward the provisions in the ACA. Attitudinal questions relate to issues of general support for expanded access to affordable insurance coverage, plan attributes, Medicaid expansion as well as attitudes toward the ACA itself and its impacts.

Support for the ACA is split with 37.6% of Mississippians supporting ACA and 45.6% not in support, while 16.6% do not know or are unsure. At the same time, slightly over half of residents (53.7%) strongly agree or agree that most individuals should be required to have health insurance. Table 18 reports these findings. On the other hand, 35% disagree or strongly disagree that most individuals should be required to have health insurance with 10.8% neither agreeing nor disagreeing or do not know or are unsure.

<b>Table 18</b>		
<b>Support for ACA among Mississippians</b>		
<b>Support</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Supports ACA</b>	37.57	1.63
<b>Does Not Support ACA</b>	45.60	1.70
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	16.61	1.26
<b>Refused</b>	0.22	0.13
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Imposing penalties or fines on people who do not buy health insurance is generally viewed unfavorably with over 75% of Mississippi residents in disagreement. In contrast, there is general agreement (71.5%) that subsidies should be provided to help low income people to buy health insurance.

As shown in Table 19, the health insurance attributes important to residents are primarily out-of-pocket costs, low monthly costs, and doctor availability. Similarly, for the uninsured low monthly costs is the dominate reason followed by out-of-pocket costs. These are the same reasons Mississippians would investigate the buying of coverage through a health insurance exchange or marketplace (see Affordable Care Act and Marketplace Anticipated Behaviors section below).

<b>Table 19</b> <b>Factors Most Important In Determining Plan Choice among Mississippians</b>				
Plan Attributes	All		No Insurance Coverage	
	Percent	SE	Percent	SE
Low Monthly Cost	22.15	1.46	32.34	3.39
Doctor / Hospital Availability	20.74	1.40	13.92	2.46
Out-Of-Pocket Costs	28.30	1.57	27.58	3.18
Customer Satisfaction / Quality Ratings	5.42	0.73	3.91	1.23
Trusted Brand	5.78	0.79	6.95	1.69
Other	4.01	0.61	2.62	1.16
Nothing	2.49	0.52	2.03	1.05
Don't Know / Not Sure	10.28	0.98	10.10	2.13
Refused	0.83	0.29	0.55	0.40
Total	100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.				

Further, regarding coverage attributes, most people (65.9%) believe that children should be able to be covered on their parent's health plan to age 26 and that people with pre-existing conditions should not have to pay more for health insurance (66.4%)

Regarding the provision of health insurance, most people believe that larger employers should be required to provide health insurance to their employees and the Medicaid program should be expanded to cover everyone below the federal poverty level. As shown in Table 20, 76% of Mississippi residents strongly agree or agree that large employers should be required to provide health insurance. Similarly, as shown in Table 21, just almost 64% believe that the Medicaid program should be expanded.

<b>Table 20</b> <b>All Large Employers Should Be Required To Provide Health Insurance To Their Employees</b>		
Level of Agreement	Percent	SE
Strongly Agree	28.69	1.52
Agree	47.30	1.71
Neither Agree Or Disagree	3.45	0.59
Disagree	13.62	1.24
Strongly Disagree	4.60	0.75
Don't Know / Not Sure	2.28	0.50
Refused	0.08	0.08
Total	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

<b>Table 21</b>		
<b>The Medicaid Program In Mississippi Should Be Expanded To Cover Everyone Below The Federal Poverty Level</b>		
<b>Level of Agreement</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Strongly Agree</b>	22.36	1.38
<b>Agree</b>	41.55	1.69
<b>Neither Agree Or Disagree</b>	5.69	0.74
<b>Disagree</b>	19.01	1.40
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	6.53	0.90
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	4.71	0.68
<b>Refused</b>	0.14	0.10
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Regarding attitudes toward the impact of the ACA, Mississippi residents vary in their perception of what would be the most important factors in judging its success or failure of the Act. In addition, as shown in Table 22, there is considerable uncertainty in this view.

<b>Table 22</b>		
<b>The Most Important Factors For Judging the Success Or Failure Of the ACA</b>		
<b>Factor</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Insurance Affordability</b>	29.60	1.58
<b>Percentage Of People Uninsured</b>	7.07	0.87
<b>Comprehensiveness Of Insurance Coverage</b>	5.00	0.71
<b>Percentage Of People Keeping Their Existing Health Plan</b>	8.80	0.98
<b>Percentage Of People Keeping Their Doctor</b>	7.96	0.91
<b>Other</b>	12.34	1.15
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	27.99	1.53
<b>Refused</b>	1.25	0.35
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

At the same time, 44.7% of residents believe that there will be generally higher insurance costs as a result of the health insurance exchanges or marketplaces. As shown in Table 23, 15.7% think there will be lower health insurance costs while 16.8% think there will be little change and 22.5% do not know or are unsure.

<b>Table 23</b>		
<b>Impact of Health Insurances Marketplaces on Insurance Costs</b>		
<b>Impact on Costs</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Generally higher health insurance costs</b>	44.69	1.71
<b>Generally lower health insurance costs</b>	15.74	1.18
<b>Not much of an impact</b>	16.78	1.32
<b>Don't know / not sure</b>	22.54	1.45
<b>Refused</b>	0.24	0.14
<b>Total</b>	100.000	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Similarly, as shown in Table 24, there is considerable uncertainty concerning available choices of health insurance plans.

<b>Table 24</b>		
<b>Health Insurance Marketplaces Required By The ACA Will Result In:</b>		
<b>Choices of Plans</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>A Larger Choice Of Health Plans Than Is Currently Available</b>	27.80	1.54
<b>A Smaller Choice Of Health Plans Than Is Currently Available</b>	29.92	1.56
<b>Little Change In The Choice Of Health Plans Available</b>	20.72	1.40
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	21.17	1.38
<b>Refused</b>	0.40	0.18
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Finally, as shown in Table 25, there is uncertainty regarding Mississippians' perception as to whether they will be better off in 2014 as a result of the ACA. In fact, almost 40% of the residents believe they will be worse off as a result of the ACA. Among those insured, 42% believe they will be worse off, while 32% of the uninsured share that belief. Conversely, 19% of the insured and 30.7% of the uninsured believe they will be better off in 2014.

<b>Table 25</b>						
<b>In 2014, Do You Think That You And Your Family Will:</b>						
<b>Better or Worse Off</b>	<b>All</b>		<b>Insured</b>		<b>Uninsured</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Be Unaffected</b>	18.18	1.36	19.95	1.60	12.22	2.52
<b>Be Better Off As A Result</b>	21.64	1.38	19.04	1.54	30.66	3.09
<b>Be Worse Off As A Result</b>	39.86	1.68	42.35	1.95	31.98	3.35
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	19.79	1.32	18.08	1.44	24.81	3.09
<b>Refused</b>	0.52	0.26	0.93	0.58	0.33	0.33
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.						

## Affordable Care Act and Marketplace Anticipated Behaviors

The final objective of the survey was to assess the anticipated behaviors of Mississippi residents in response to the ACA. Questions relating to anticipated behaviors included the likelihood that they will buy coverage, participation in the health insurance exchange, and importantly, whether they will likely buy coverage if they were eligible for a subsidy as well as questions gauging whether the residents will drop existing individual or group coverage.

Generally, Mississippians are not favorably disposed to buying health insurance through the health insurance exchange or marketplace – 21.8% indicate they would buy, 57.9% say they would not buy and 19.8% do not know or are unsure. As shown in Table 26, individuals currently without insurance are somewhat more inclined to buy health insurance through the marketplace, however, more than one-third do not know or are unsure.

<b>Table 26</b>		
<b>Intention to buy Coverage Through the Exchange for Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Intent to Buy</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Would Buy Coverage</b>	37.60	3.37
<b>Would Not Buy Coverage</b>	27.90	3.28
<b>Don't Know or are Unsure</b>	34.50	3.39
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Mississippians are not in favor of the 1% of income penalty to be imposed on those who do not acquire health insurance. If faced with then penalty, approximately 42% said they would buy insurance, 39.5% were unsure of what they would do, and only 13.1% said they would pay the penalty. As shown in Table 27, surprisingly, those without health insurance are even less inclined to buy coverage, but equally against the 1% of income penalty.

<b>Table 27</b>		
<b>Intention to Buy Health Insurance or Pay the 1% Fine for Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Buy or Pay Fine</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Buy Insurance</b>	35.95	3.37
<b>Pay the Fine</b>	13.76	2.56
<b>Not Certain</b>	47.19	3.54
<b>Refused to Answer</b>	3.10	1.21
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Fifty percent of Mississippians think that they are not eligible for a subsidy to get health insurance; however, 22.4% are uncertain and 26.9% think that they would qualify for a subsidy. As presented in Table 28, for those without health insurance, over 42% think they would be eligible for a health insurance subsidy, almost 30% do not think so, and over 27% are unsure.

<b>Table 28</b>		
<b>Belief About their Eligibility for a Health Insurance Subsidy for Mississippians Without Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Eligibility Belief</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Yes</b>	42.54	3.47
<b>No</b>	29.59	3.33
<b>Not Certain</b>	27.54	3.14
<b>Refused to Answer</b>	0.33	0.33
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

As shown in Table 29, over 72% of Mississippians with health insurance do not expect to change their existing in existing health insurance plan. Only 7% expect to change while 10% do not know or are unsure.

<b>Table 29</b>		
<b>Expectation to change health Insurance Plans for Mississippians with Health Insurance</b>		
<b>Expectation to Change</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Yes</b>	6.91	0.96
<b>No</b>	72.46	1.73
<b>Only If Cost Is Less Than Currently Pay</b>	9.16	1.14
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	10.65	1.18
<b>Refused</b>	0.82	0.34
<b>Total</b>	100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.		

Table 30 shows the reasons Mississippians would investigate the buying of coverage through a health insurance exchange or marketplace. The most important factors are low monthly cost (26.5%), out-of-pocket costs (23.9%), and doctor availability (13.7%). For those without health insurance, the reasons they would investigate the buying of coverage through a health insurance exchange lean more toward low monthly cost (36%) and out-of-pocket costs (30%).

<b>Table 30</b>				
<b>Factors Most Important In Investigating Buying Coverage through a Health Exchange</b>				
<b>Factor</b>	<b>All Mississippians</b>		<b>No Insurance Coverage</b>	
	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>SE</b>
<b>Low Monthly Cost</b>	26.50	1.50	36.60	3.41
<b>Doctor / Hospital Availability</b>	13.66	1.12	9.97	2.06
<b>Out-of-Pocket Costs</b>	23.92	1.50	29.71	3.33
<b>Customer Satisfaction / Quality Ratings</b>	3.59	0.56	1.36	0.62
<b>Trusted Brand</b>	3.56	0.62	1.56	0.65
<b>Other</b>	2.23	0.53	3.88	1.45
<b>Nothing</b>	12.72	1.22	5.73	1.64
<b>Don't Know / Not Sure</b>	12.49	1.09	10.76	2.24
<b>Refused</b>	1.34	0.35	0.42	0.30
<b>Total</b>	100.00		100.00	
Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding.				

The survey asked a hypothetical purchase question of Mississippians who were likely to be eligible for a subsidy. The subsidy for the purchase of health insurance through an exchange marketplace depends upon the household income of the respondent and the number of people in his or her household. The subsidy also depends upon the price of the second least expensive silver plan offered in the market area. Silver plan premium information was not available at the time of the survey, so the hypothetical premiums are based upon a \$5,000 annual premium for individual coverage. This is the average cost of single coverage in an employer sponsored health insurance plan with a high deductible in 2012 (Morrisey 2014).

Table 31 presents the results of the subsidized purchase question. First, note that no one with income below \$10,000 was asked this question because, under the ACA, no one with income below 100 percent of the Federal Poverty Level was eligible for a subsidy. It was assumed these people would be covered by an expanded Medicaid program. Second, note that while people with sufficiently large family size can receive a subsidy to purchase insurance if their income is above \$70,000, no one in the sample met these requirements. Thus in Table 31, people with only one person in the household and income below \$20,000 but above \$10,000, would be eligible to buy health insurance coverage for a hypothetical \$400 per month health insurance plan for \$90 per month. Forty five respondents were in this cell, with a weighted cell size of over 77,000. 68.7% of Mississippians in this income – household size category indicated that they would buy coverage, 18.3% say they would not and 15.6% were unsure.

As one moves down the columns, people in a given household size have both greater income and a smaller subsidy. In general, they indicate decreasing probabilities of buying coverage. In the first column, for example, while nearly 69% of Mississippians would buy coverage with a subsidized premium of \$90 per month, only 34.2% would do so when the subsidized premium was \$315. Analogously, for a given income level, i.e., moving along a given row, a Mississippian in a larger household pays a smaller subsidized premium. In general, the indicated greater willingness to purchase at lower subsidized premiums. The exception to this tends to occur in



the households with five members, were the responses are probably too thin to yield meaningful responses.

<b>Table 31</b> <b>Eligible Mississippians who would Buy a Subsidized Health Insurance Policy Based on the</b> <b>Computed Monthly Premium for a \$400 Policy</b>					
Income	Household Size				
	1	2	3	4	5
< \$10,000	-- <sup>a</sup>	--	--	--	--
< \$20,000	<b>\$90<sup>b</sup></b> <b>N<sup>c</sup>:</b> 45 / 77,381 <b>Yes:</b> 68.7% <b>No:</b> 18.3% <b>DK<sup>d</sup>:</b> 15.6%	<b>\$35</b> <b>N:</b> 40 / 59,681 <b>Yes:</b> 77.9% <b>No:</b> 11.6% <b>DK:</b> 10.6%	<b>\$35</b> <b>N:</b> 22 / 35,751 <b>Yes:</b> 75.8% <b>No:</b> 2.4% <b>DK:</b> 21.8%	--	--
< \$30,000	<b>\$240</b> <b>N:</b> 14 / 23,028 <b>Yes:</b> 49.5% <b>No:</b> 46.7% <b>DK:</b> 3.8%	<b>\$155</b> <b>N:</b> 48 / 76,895 <b>Yes:</b> 51.9% <b>No:</b> 22.8% <b>DK:</b> 25.2%	<b>\$100</b> <b>N:</b> 24 / 44,163 <b>Yes:</b> 81.8% <b>No:</b> 15.0% <b>DK:</b> 3.1%	<b>\$50</b> <b>N:</b> 14 / 19,845 <b>Yes:</b> 70.2% <b>No:</b> 29.8% <b>DK:</b> 0%	<b>\$50</b> <b>N:</b> 7 / 11,503 <b>Yes:</b> 88.0% <b>No:</b> 12.0% <b>DK:</b> 0%
< \$40,000	<b>\$315</b> <b>N:</b> 16 / 26,166 <b>Yes:</b> 34.2% <b>No:</b> 47.6% <b>DK:</b> 18.2%	<b>\$275</b> <b>N:</b> 27 / 46,299 <b>Yes:</b> 47.2% <b>No:</b> 32.6% <b>DK:</b> 20.3%	<b>\$215</b> <b>N:</b> 12 / 18,773 <b>Yes:</b> 57.9% <b>No:</b> 14.9% <b>DK:</b> 27.2%	<b>\$160</b> <b>N:</b> 16 / 28,397 <b>Yes:</b> 62.6% <b>No:</b> 29.4% <b>DK:</b> 7.9%	<b>\$115</b> <b>N:</b> 5 / 7,810 <b>Yes:</b> 32.1% <b>No:</b> 0% <b>DK:</b> 67.9%
< \$50,000	--	--	<b>\$350</b> <b>N:</b> 18 / 24,140 <b>Yes:</b> 28.2% <b>No:</b> 51.6% <b>DK:</b> 20.1%	<b>\$285</b> <b>N:</b> 14 / 23,562 <b>Yes:</b> 40.2% <b>No:</b> 34.9% <b>DK:</b> 24.9%	<b>\$225</b> <b>N:</b> 10 / 18,183 <b>Yes:</b> 31.0% <b>No:</b> 19.9% <b>DK:</b> 49.1%
< \$60,000	--	--	--	--	<b>\$345</b> <b>N:</b> 7 / 15,654 <b>Yes:</b> 5.5% <b>No:</b> 94.5% <b>DK:</b> 0%
> \$70,000	--	--	--	--	--

<sup>a</sup>Ineligible for subsidy

<sup>b</sup>Price of Premium after subsidy

<sup>c</sup>Respondents / Weighted responses

<sup>d</sup>“Don’t Know / Not Sure”

## Notes

<sup>1</sup> State and County QuickFacts, US Census Bureau, available at:  
<http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/28000.html>

<sup>2</sup> State and County QuickFacts, US Census Bureau, available at:  
<http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/28000.html>

<sup>3</sup> Work Status in the Past 12 Months, 2012 American Community Survey, US Census Bureau, available at:  
[http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?pid=ACS\\_12\\_1YR\\_S2303&prodType=table](http://factfinder2.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?pid=ACS_12_1YR_S2303&prodType=table)

<sup>4</sup> Mississippi Department of Employment Security. October 2013. *Mississippi Labor Market Data Monthly Unemployment Rates*, available at:  
<http://mdes.ms.gov/media/23357/labormarketdata.pdf>

<sup>5</sup> Institute on Disability, University of New Hampshire. 2013. *Annual Disability Statistics Compendium*, available at: <http://disabilitycompendium.org/archives/2012-compendium-statistics/2012-population-and-prevalence/2012-1-6-civilians-ages-18-64-living-the-community-for-the-u-s->

<sup>6</sup> Morrisey, M.A. 2014. *Health Insurance*, second edition. Chicago: Health Administration Press.

## **APPENDIX A - Survey Instrument**

HELLO, I am calling for the Center for Mississippi Health Policy. My name is (name) . I am gathering information about the knowledge, attitudes and beliefs of Mississippi adults between the ages of 19 and 64 regarding health insurance coverage options and the Affordable Care Act. Your telephone number has been chosen randomly, and I would like to ask some questions about health insurance coverage options. The information collected will be used to educate policy makers.

This questionnaire is being used for research purposes, and your participation is voluntary. The questionnaire takes an average of 15 minutes to complete. I will not ask for your name, address or other personal information that can identify you. You don't have to answer any question you do not want to answer, and you may end the interview at any time. Any information you give me will be kept confidential. The only risks or discomforts associated with this survey might be possible discomfort over one or two of the questions.

If you have any questions, concerns or complaints about this research, please contact Jesse Pevear. He will be glad to answer any of your questions. Mr. Pevear's number is 205-996-6857. If you have questions about your rights as a research participant, or concerns or complaints about the research, you may contact the Office of the Institutional Review Board for Human Use at the University of Alabama at Birmingham at 1-855-860-3789. Regular office hours for the Office of the IRB are 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, Central time, Monday through Friday. You may also call this number in the event the research staff cannot be reached or you wish to talk to someone else.

Is this (phone number) ?

**If "No"**

Thank you very much, but I seem to have dialed the wrong number. It's possible that your number may be called at a later time. **STOP**

**Are you a resident of Mississippi?**

If "No"

Thank you very much for your time, for this survey we are seeking residents of Mississippi.

Are you at least 19 years old but less than 65 years old?

If "No"

Thank you very much for your time, for this survey we are seeking residents of Mississippi between the ages of 19 and 64.

Indicate the sex of respondent. [Ask only if necessary]

\_\_\_\_Male  
\_\_\_\_Female

1. A health plan includes any private insurance plan through your employer or a plan you purchased yourself, as well as a government program like Medicare or Medicaid. Are you now covered by any form of health insurance or health plan or do you not have health insurance at this time?

☐ Covered by insurance  
☐ Not covered by insurance  
☐ Don't know/Refused

- 1A. **[If covered by insurance]** Which of the following is your MAIN source of health insurance coverage?

☐ Plan through your or your spouse's employer **[Note to interviewer: this includes COBRA pronounced 'kōbrə]**  
☐ Plan you purchased yourself **[Note to interviewer: this includes "high risk" pool or plan]**  
☐ Medicare  
☐ Medicaid  
☐ Some other government program **[Read if necessary: This includes the VA, TRICARE, or the Indian Health Service, for example.]**  
☐ Plan through your parents  
☐ Don't know/Refused

- 1B. **[If covered by insurance]** Was there any time in the last 12 months when you did not have health insurance of some kind?

☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Don't know/Refused

- 1C. **[If covered by insurance]** In your health insurance plan, what is the approximate amount of the individual annual deductible?

\$   
☐ Don't know/Refused

- 1D. **[If NOT covered by insurance]** Was there any time in the last 12 months when you had health insurance of some kind?

☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Don't know/Refused

- 1E. [If NOT covered by insurance] What is the MAIN reason you do not currently have health insurance? [Do NOT read list – single response only – probe for “main reason” if respondent mentions more than one reason why they are uninsured]

☐ Too expensive  
☐ Unemployed/lost job  
☐ Don't need it  
☐ Employer doesn't offer it  
☐ Can't get it/refused due to poor health, illness, age  
☐ Not eligible for employer coverage  
☐ Don't know how to get it  
☐ Other (specify)  
☐ Don't know/refused

- 1F. [If NOT covered by insurance] How long have you been uninsured:

[Do NOT read:]

☐ Less than 3 months  
☐ 3 months to less than a year  
☐ 1 year to less than 2 years  
☐ 2 years or more  
☐ Don't know/Refused

2. How much do you know about the health reform law known as the Affordable Care Act? [Note to interviewer: this is sometimes called “Obamacare”]

☐ A lot  
☐ Some  
☐ Only a little  
☐ Nothing  
☐ Refused

3. Do you believe you have enough information about the health reform law to understand how it will affect you and your family?

☐ Yes, have enough information  
☐ No, do not have enough information  
☐ Don't know/Refused

4. How much do you know about a health insurance exchange or marketplace, where people may buy health insurance, which will be available under the Affordable Care Act?

☐ A lot  
☐ Some  
☐ Only a little  
☐ Nothing  
☐ Refused

5. Are you aware of the open enrollment period for obtaining health insurance coverage through the health insurance exchange or marketplace beginning October 1<sup>st</sup> of this year?
- ☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Refused
6. How aware are you that states have an option to expand Medicaid to cover more people?
- ☐ Very aware  
☐ Heard something, but don't know much  
☐ Not at all aware  
☐ Don't know/Refused
7. As far as you know, in Mississippi the:
- ☐ Governor and legislature decided that the state will expand Medicaid  
☐ Governor and legislature decided that the state will not expand Medicaid  
☐ Governor and legislature have not yet decided if the state will expand Medicaid  
☐ Not heard enough to say  
☐ Don't know/Refused
8. Would rate your current health as:
- ☐ Excellent  
☐ Good  
☐ Fair  
☐ Poor  
☐ Don't know/Refused
9. In general, the term "pre-existing condition" is used by insurance companies to describe an illness or medical condition that a person had before they began looking for insurance. Given this definition, would you say that you would be considered to have a "pre-existing condition" or not?
- [Read if necessary: For example, if you were looking to buy health insurance but had a history of asthma, diabetes or high blood pressure, those would be considered pre-existing conditions, along with illnesses such as cancer.]
- ☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Don't know/Refused
10. Have you ever been DENIED health insurance coverage because of a pre-existing condition?
- ☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Don't know/Refused

11. How important is it to you personally that you have health insurance?
- ☐ Very important  
☐ Somewhat important  
☐ Not too important  
☐ Not at all important  
☐ Don't know/Refused
12. Which of the following comes closest to your view? **[Read all and rotate]**
- ☐ Health insurance is something I need  
☐ I'm healthy enough that I don't really need health insurance  
☐ Don't know/Refused
13. Would you say that health insurance IS or IS NOT worth the money it costs?
- ☐ Health insurance is worth the money  
☐ Health insurance is not worth the money  
☐ Don't know/Refused
14. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements:
- Most individuals should be required to have health insurance.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - People with pre-existing conditions should not have to pay more for health insurance.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - Children should be able to be covered on their parent health insurance policy to age 26.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - People should be able to buy health insurance in any state if the plan offers better value.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - Penalties or fines should be imposed on people who don't buy health insurance.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - There should be subsidies to help low-income people buy health insurance.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - All large employers should be required to provide health insurance to their employees.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
  - The Medicaid program in Mississippi should be expanded to cover everyone below the Federal Poverty Level.  
SA ☐ A ☐ N ☐ D ☐ SD ☐
15. What do you think is the MOST important issue for judging the success or failure of the Affordable Care Act? **[Rotate responses]**
- ☐ Insurance affordability  
☐ Percentage of people who are uninsured  
☐ Comprehensiveness of insurance coverage  
☐ Percentage of people keeping their existing health plan  
☐ Percentage of people keeping their doctor  
☐ Other



- \_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
16. Do you think the health insurance exchanges or marketplaces (where you can buy health insurance) required by the Affordable Care Act will result in:
- \_\_\_\_\_ Generally higher health insurance costs  
\_\_\_\_\_ Generally lower health insurance costs  
\_\_\_\_\_ Not much of an impact on insurance costs  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
17. Do you think the health insurance exchanges or marketplaces required by the Affordable Care Act will result in:
- \_\_\_\_\_ A larger choice of health plans than is currently available  
\_\_\_\_\_ A smaller choice of health plans than is currently available  
\_\_\_\_\_ Little change in the choice of health plans available.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
18. Beginning next year, in 2014, do you think that you and your family will: [Rotate answers]
- \_\_\_\_\_ Be unaffected by the Affordable Care Act  
\_\_\_\_\_ Be better off as a result of the Affordable Care Act  
\_\_\_\_\_ Be worse off as a result of the Affordable Care Act  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
19. Do you support the health reform law known as the Affordable Care Act?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Yes  
\_\_\_\_\_ No  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
20. Under the Affordable Care Act people must buy health insurance or pay a fine of 1 percent of their income. Would you?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Buy insurance  
\_\_\_\_\_ Pay the fine  
\_\_\_\_\_ Not certain
21. Do you think you will be eligible for a subsidy to get health insurance as a result of the Affordable Care Act?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Yes  
\_\_\_\_\_ No  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused
22. Do you think you will buy insurance coverage through the health insurance exchange or marketplace during the open enrollment period?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Yes  
\_\_\_\_\_ No

\_\_\_\_ Don't know  
\_\_\_\_ Refused

- 22A. [If No or Don't Know] If health insurance plans in your area all offered the same benefits, which of the following factors would be the MOST important in determining your plan choice? [Rotate order of all but the last two]

\_\_\_\_ Low monthly cost  
\_\_\_\_ The doctors and hospitals available in the plan  
\_\_\_\_ The out-of-pocket costs, like copays and deductibles, in the plan  
\_\_\_\_ Customer satisfaction and quality ratings  
\_\_\_\_ A brand I know and trust  
\_\_\_\_ Other  
\_\_\_\_ Nothing

23. What is your current age?

\_\_\_\_ Years

- 23A. [If they don't know or refuse] Could you tell us if you are:

\_\_\_\_ 19-25  
\_\_\_\_ 26-34  
\_\_\_\_ 35-44  
\_\_\_\_ 45-54  
\_\_\_\_ 55-64

24. In what county do you live?

\_\_\_\_\_

25. What is your race?

\_\_\_\_ White  
\_\_\_\_ Black or African-American  
\_\_\_\_ Asian  
\_\_\_\_ Other

26. Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin?

\_\_\_\_ Yes, Hispanic or Latino  
\_\_\_\_ No, Not Hispanic or Latino

27. How many people are in your household? That is, how many members of your family live with you at this address?

\_\_\_\_ People  
\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused

28. What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received?

**[Do NOT read:]**

- ☐ Less than high school (grades 1-8 or no formal schooling)
- ☐ High school incomplete (grades 9-11 or grade 12 with NO degree)
- ☐ High school graduate or GED
- ☐ Some college, no degree (includes community college)
- ☐ Two year associate degree from a college/university
- ☐ Four year college or university degree/bachelor's degree
- ☐ Some postgraduate or professional schooling, no postgraduate degree
- ☐ Postgraduate or professional degree, including master's doctorate, medical or law degree
- ☐ Don't know/refused]

29. What best describes your employment situation today? **[Read in order]**

- ☐ Employed, full-time
- ☐ Employed, part-time
- ☐ Student
- ☐ Retired
- ☐ On disability, can't work
- ☐ Homemaker, or stay at home parent?
- ☐ Unemployed
- ☐ Don't know/Refused

29A. **[If employed]** Do you work for an organization that has 50 or more employees including all of its locations and worksites?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Don't know/Refused

30. Last year – that is, in 2012 – your total family income from all sources, before taxes was ...

**[Read until a positive response is received]**

- ☐ Less than \$10,000
- ☐ Less than \$20,000
- ☐ Less than \$30,000
- ☐ Less than \$40,000
- ☐ Less than \$50,000
- ☐ Less than \$60,000
- ☐ Less than \$70,000
- ☐ Less than \$80,000
- ☐ Less than \$90,000
- ☐ Less than \$100,000
- ☐ \$100,000 or more
- ☐ Don't know/Refused

31. [This question is only asked of those eligible for a subsidy – defined as people with income-household size combinations that result in NON-ZERO values in the table below. The dollar values below go in the \_X\_]

Suppose the cost of a good health insurance plan for you was \$400 per month. If you were eligible for a subsidy through the health insurance exchange or marketplace so that this plan would only cost you \$\_X\_ per month would you buy it?

☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ Don't know/Refused

Computed Monthly Premium for a \$400 Policy for Those Eligible for a Subsidy										
Income response on Survey	Household size response on survey:									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<\$10,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<\$20,000	\$90	\$35	\$35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<\$30,000	\$240	\$155	\$100	\$50	\$50	0	0	0	0	0
<\$40,000	\$315	\$275	\$215	\$160	\$115	\$65	\$65	0	0	0
<\$50,000	0	0	\$350	\$285	\$225	\$180	\$125	\$85	\$85	\$85
<\$60,000	0	0	0	0	\$345	\$285	\$240	\$205	\$100	\$100
<\$70,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$355	\$310	\$265	\$220
<\$80,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$375	\$320
<\$90,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<\$100,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
\$100,000+	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

- 31A. [If answer is no.] What would you be willing to pay per month for the coverage?

\$\_\_\_\_\_

32. What would make you investigate buying coverage through a health insurance exchange or marketplace? [Rotate all but the last three]

☐ Low monthly cost  
☐ The doctors and hospitals available in the plan  
☐ The out-of-pocket costs, such as copays and deductibles, in the plan  
☐ Customer satisfaction and quality ratings  
☐ A brand I know and trust  
☐ I get sick  
☐ Nothing

33. I expect to change my existing health insurance plan as a result of the Affordable Care Act.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes

\_\_\_\_\_ No

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, but only if the cost is less than what I pay now

\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know/Refused

34. In what format would you MOST prefer to get information about the new health insurance options available through the Affordable Care Act? [do not read responses]

\_\_\_\_\_ Pamphlet mailed to home

\_\_\_\_\_ Television

\_\_\_\_\_ Radio

\_\_\_\_\_ Internet

\_\_\_\_\_ Email

\_\_\_\_\_ Call to home

\_\_\_\_\_ Family & friends

\_\_\_\_\_ Employer

\_\_\_\_\_ Insurance agent or broker

\_\_\_\_\_ Church

\_\_\_\_\_ Community organization

\_\_\_\_\_ Physician's office

\_\_\_\_\_ I don't want more information [Do not read]

Thank you. That completes our survey.

## **APPENDIX B - Weighted Percentages for All Mississippians**

Data Summary	
Number of Strata	9
Number of Observations	1108
Sum of Weights	1811001

Stratum Information				
Stratum Index	geostr	Number of Obs	Population Total	Sampling Rate
1	NORTHWEST	137	193465	0.07%
2	NORTHEAST	135	221119	0.06%
3	DELTA/HILLS	150	129912	0.12%
4	TOMBIGBEE	144	152262	0.09%
5	WEST CENTRAL	108	390569	0.03%
6	EAST CENTRAL	104	144007	0.07%
7	SOUTHWEST	117	103997	0.11%
8	SOUTHEAST	127	186700	0.07%
9	COASTAL PLAINS	86	288970	0.03%

Table of cell							
cell	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
LANDLINE	406	621149	28849	34.2987	1.5930	31.1731	37.4243
CELL	702	1189852	28849	65.7013	1.5930	62.5757	68.8269
Total	1108	1811001	0.00139	100.000			

Table of SEX							
SEX	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
MALE	487	808197	30992	44.6271	1.7113	41.2693	47.9848
FEMALE	621	1002804	30992	55.3729	1.7113	52.0152	58.7307
Total	1108	1811001	0.0009952	100.000			

Q1. ARE YOU NOW COVERED BY ANY FORM OF HEALTH INSURANCE OR HEALTH PLAN?							
q01	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
COVERED	848	1392334	25847	76.8820	1.4272	74.0817	79.6824
NOT COVERED	256	413862	25785	22.8527	1.4238	20.0590	25.6464
NOT SURE / DON'T KNOW	4	4805	2492	0.2653	0.1376	0.0000	0.5354
Total	1108	1811001	0.00159	100.000			

[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1A. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING IS YOUR MAIN SOURCE OF HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE?							
q01a	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
EMPLOYER	470	823379	26106	59.1366	1.8749	55.4564	62.8167
SELF PURCHASED	105	154943	16159	11.1283	1.1606	8.8504	13.4063
MEDICARE	120	183037	17762	13.1461	1.2757	10.6421	15.6500
MEDICAID	76	102177	12540	7.3386	0.9006	5.5708	9.1063
OTHER GOVT	46	82085	13246	5.8955	0.9513	4.0282	7.7628
PARENTS	19	32403	8106	2.3273	0.5822	1.1846	3.4699
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	8	8675	3152	0.6230	0.2264	0.1787	1.0674
REFUSED	4	5635	2874	0.4047	0.2064	0.0000	0.8098
Total	848	1392334	0.0007460	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 260							

[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1B. WAS THERE ANY TIME IN THE LAST 12MOS WHEN YOU DID NOT HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE?							
q01b	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	71	116232	15106	8.3480	1.0850	6.2184	10.4776
NO	772	1266908	15666	90.9917	1.1251	88.7832	93.2001
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	4	7782	4363	0.5589	0.3133	0.0000	1.1739
REFUSED	1	1412	1412	0.1014	0.1014	0.0000	0.3004
Total	848	1392334	0.00139	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 260							



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Statistics						
Variable	Label	N	Mean	Std Error of Mean	95% CL for Mean	
q01c	[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1C. WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE?	496	1181.989345	69.084759	1046.24836	1317.73033

EXCLUDES REFUSAL AND NOT SURE RESPONSES

<b>[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1C. WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE?</b>				
<b>q01c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Frequency</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>0</b>	57	6.72	57	6.72
<b>9</b>	1	0.12	58	6.84
<b>10</b>	1	0.12	59	6.96
<b>12</b>	1	0.12	60	7.08
<b>14</b>	1	0.12	61	7.19
<b>20</b>	3	0.35	64	7.55
<b>25</b>	1	0.12	65	7.67
<b>30</b>	2	0.24	67	7.90
<b>45</b>	1	0.12	68	8.02
<b>50</b>	2	0.24	70	8.25
<b>80</b>	2	0.24	72	8.49
<b>100</b>	15	1.77	87	10.26
<b>104</b>	2	0.24	89	10.50
<b>120</b>	1	0.12	90	10.61
<b>135</b>	2	0.24	92	10.85
<b>140</b>	1	0.12	93	10.97
<b>147</b>	3	0.35	96	11.32
<b>150</b>	5	0.59	101	11.91
<b>165</b>	1	0.12	102	12.03
<b>200</b>	13	1.53	115	13.56
<b>240</b>	1	0.12	116	13.68
<b>250</b>	17	2.00	133	15.68
<b>275</b>	1	0.12	134	15.80
<b>300</b>	5	0.59	139	16.39
<b>330</b>	1	0.12	140	16.51
<b>350</b>	3	0.35	143	16.86
<b>360</b>	1	0.12	144	16.98
<b>400</b>	3	0.35	147	17.33
<b>450</b>	1	0.12	148	17.45
<b>500</b>	68	8.02	216	25.47
<b>560</b>	1	0.12	217	25.59

<b>[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1C. WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE?</b>				
<b>q01c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Frequency</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>600</b>	2	0.24	219	25.83
<b>700</b>	7	0.83	226	26.65
<b>750</b>	10	1.18	236	27.83
<b>800</b>	2	0.24	238	28.07
<b>850</b>	1	0.12	239	28.18
<b>900</b>	1	0.12	240	28.30
<b>1000</b>	108	12.74	348	41.04
<b>1200</b>	5	0.59	353	41.63
<b>1250</b>	1	0.12	354	41.75
<b>1300</b>	3	0.35	357	42.10
<b>1350</b>	1	0.12	358	42.22
<b>1500</b>	27	3.18	385	45.40
<b>1700</b>	3	0.35	388	45.75
<b>1800</b>	4	0.47	392	46.23
<b>2000</b>	35	4.13	427	50.35
<b>2400</b>	1	0.12	428	50.47
<b>2500</b>	13	1.53	441	52.00
<b>2600</b>	1	0.12	442	52.12
<b>2700</b>	1	0.12	443	52.24
<b>3000</b>	10	1.18	453	53.42
<b>3199</b>	1	0.12	454	53.54
<b>3500</b>	6	0.71	460	54.25
<b>4000</b>	1	0.12	461	54.36
<b>5000</b>	21	2.48	482	56.84
<b>5400</b>	2	0.24	484	57.08
<b>5500</b>	1	0.12	485	57.19
<b>5700</b>	1	0.12	486	57.31
<b>6000</b>	2	0.24	488	57.55
<b>6500</b>	1	0.12	489	57.67
<b>7500</b>	5	0.59	494	58.25
<b>9000</b>	1	0.12	495	58.37

[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1C. WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE?				
q01c	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
9800	1	0.12	496	58.49
77777	339	39.98	835	98.47
99999	13	1.53	848	100.00
Frequency Missing = 260				

^REFUSAL (77777) AND NOT SURE (99999) RESPONSES SHOWN HERE

[IF COVERED BY INSURANCE] Q1C. WHAT IS THE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL DEDUCTIBLE?							
q01c_cat	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
NO DEDUCTIBLE / \$0	57	98221	14309	7.0544	1.0277	5.0372	9.0716
< \$500	91	146128	16523	10.4952	1.1867	8.1658	12.8245
\$500-\$999	92	154471	17513	11.0944	1.2578	8.6256	13.5632
\$1000-\$3499	214	369838	24583	26.5624	1.7656	23.0969	30.0280
>= \$3500	42	60211	10526	4.3244	0.7560	2.8405	5.8083
OTHER	352	563466	26713	40.4692	1.9186	36.7034	44.2350
Total	848	1392334	0.0004249	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 260							

[IF NOT COVERED] Q1D. WAS THERE ANY TIME IN THE LAST 12MOS WHEN YOU HAD HEALTH INSURANCE?							
q01d	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	61	101960	13072	24.6362	3.1584	18.4153	30.8571
NO	195	311902	13072	75.3638	3.1584	69.1429	81.5847
Total	256	413862	0.0003317	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 852							

[IF NOT COVERED] Q1E. WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON YOU DO NOT CURRENTLY HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE?							
q01e	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
TOO EXPENSIVE	123	200506	14732	48.4475	3.5598	41.4362	55.4589
UNEMPLOYED	62	102356	12962	24.7320	3.1320	18.5631	30.9008
DON'T NEED IT	4	7201	4165	1.7400	1.0065	0.0000	3.7224
EMPLOYER DOESN'T OFFER	18	23533	5933	5.6863	1.4336	2.8626	8.5099
CAN'T GET	15	22888	6149	5.5302	1.4858	2.6038	8.4567
NOT ELIGIBLE FOR EMPLOYER	8	14902	5888	3.6006	1.4226	0.7986	6.4026
DON'T KNOW HOW TO GET	1	1638	1637	0.3958	0.3956	0.0000	1.1750
OTHER	25	40838	9073	9.8676	2.1923	5.5496	14.1857
Total	256	413862	0.0003864	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 852							

[IF NOT COVERED] Q1E. WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON YOU DO NOT CURRENTLY HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE (OTHER)?							
q01e_ot	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
BUSY	1	1470	1470	3.5998	3.5985	0.0000	11.2283
INJURY/LOST JOB	1	1412	1412	3.4579	3.4567	0.0000	10.7858
PRE EXITING CONDITIO	1	888.86325	888.36311	2.1765	2.1753	0.0000	6.7880
age limit	1	1470	1470	3.5998	3.5985	0.0000	11.2283
cant afford it	1	1470	1470	3.5998	3.5985	0.0000	11.2283
companydoesnotprovid	1	3616	3616	8.8554	8.8541	0.0000	27.6253
denied by Medicaid	1	1470	1470	3.5998	3.5985	0.0000	11.2283
didn't want it	1	1638	0	4.0107	0.0000	4.0107	4.0107
disability	1	866.08000	865.57986	2.1208	2.1195	0.0000	6.6140
dnt go to the doctor	1	1057	0	2.5892	0.0000	2.5892	2.5892
have not applied ins	1	3616	3616	8.8554	8.8541	0.0000	27.6253
job leave of absence	1	3360	3360	8.2279	8.2266	0.0000	25.6675
just didn't do it	1	888.86325	888.36311	2.1765	2.1753	0.0000	6.7880
just didnt get it	1	888.86325	888.36311	2.1765	2.1753	0.0000	6.7880
just don't have it	1	866.08000	865.57986	2.1208	2.1195	0.0000	6.6140
just dont have it	1	866.08000	865.57986	2.1208	2.1195	0.0000	6.6140
not worth	1	1385	1384	3.3906	3.3894	0.0000	10.5759
noteligibleforMedica	1	866.08000	865.57986	2.1208	2.1195	0.0000	6.6140
on workmans comp	1	3360	3360	8.2279	8.2266	0.0000	25.6675
out growed parents	1	1470	1470	3.5998	3.5985	0.0000	11.2283
part time worker	1	866.08000	865.57986	2.1208	2.1195	0.0000	6.6140
retired	1	1412	1412	3.4579	3.4567	0.0000	10.7858
student	1	3360	3360	8.2279	8.2266	0.0000	25.6675
unemployed	1	1385	1384	3.3906	3.3894	0.0000	10.5759
wheelchair bound	1	888.86325	888.36311	2.1765	2.1753	0.0000	6.7880
Total	25	40838	0	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 1083							

[IF NOT COVERED] Q1F. HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN UNINSURED?							
q01f	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
< 3MO	15	26558	7471	6.4170	1.8052	2.8615	9.9726
3MO - 1YR	22	38284	9009	9.2505	2.1768	4.9631	13.5379
1-2YR	41	65858	10737	15.9131	2.5944	10.8031	21.0231
2YR+	177	282273	13998	68.2046	3.3823	61.5427	74.8665
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	1	888.86325	888.36311	0.2148	0.2147	0.0000	0.6376
Total	256	413862	0.0003863	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 852							

Q2. HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THE HEALTH REFORM LAW KNOWN AS THE AFFORDABLE CARE ACT?							
q02	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
A LOT	114	204261	20407	11.2789	1.1268	9.0680	13.4899
SOME	310	498428	27605	27.5222	1.5243	24.5314	30.5130
ONLY A LITTLE	363	580538	28949	32.0562	1.5985	28.9197	35.1927
NOTHING	309	506784	28009	27.9836	1.5466	24.9490	31.0182
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	10	16246	5853	0.8970	0.3232	0.2629	1.5312
REFUSED	2	4745	3634	0.2620	0.2006	0.0000	0.6557
Total	1108	1811001	0.0005479	100.000			

Q3. DO YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE ENOUGH INFORMATION ABOUT THE HEALTH REFORM LAW TO UNDERSTAND?							
q03	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	408	675095	30192	37.2774	1.6671	34.0063	40.5486
NO	665	1076995	30666	59.4696	1.6933	56.1471	62.7921
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	33	55803	10908	3.0814	0.6023	1.8995	4.2632
REFUSED	2	3108	2200	0.1716	0.1215	0.0000	0.4100
Total	1108	1811001	0.00117	100.000			



Q4. HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW ABOUT A HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE OR MARKETPLACE?							
q04	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
A LOT	79	138472	17040	7.6462	0.9409	5.7999	9.4924
SOME	219	361813	25002	19.9786	1.3806	17.2698	22.6875
ONLY A LITTLE	313	519802	28411	28.7025	1.5688	25.6243	31.7807
NOTHING	465	743448	30460	41.0518	1.6819	37.7516	44.3519
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	32	47465	9394	2.6209	0.5187	1.6032	3.6387
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006002	100.000			

Q5. ARE YOU AWARE OF THE OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD FOR OBTAINING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE?							
q05	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	529	876951	31116	48.4236	1.7182	45.0523	51.7948
NO	564	913353	31116	50.4336	1.7182	47.0623	53.8049
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	15	20697	5880	1.1428	0.3247	0.5058	1.7799
Total	1108	1811001	0.0009647	100.000			

Q6. HOW AWARE ARE YOU THAT STATES HAVE AN OPTION TO EXPAND MEDICAID?							
q06	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
VERY AWARE	263	439832	26773	24.2867	1.4783	21.3860	27.1874
DON'T KNOW MUCH	412	656601	29787	36.2562	1.6448	33.0289	39.4835
NOT AWARE	396	657457	29881	36.3035	1.6500	33.0661	39.5410
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	35	55333	10458	3.0554	0.5775	1.9223	4.1885
REFUSED	2	1778	1251	0.0982	0.0691	0.0000	0.2337
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006366	100.000			

Q7. AS FAR AS YOU KNOW IN MISSISSIPPI (MEDICAID EXPANSION)							
q07	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
EXPAND MEDICAID	54	96698	14606	5.3395	0.8065	3.7570	6.9220
NOT EXPAND	188	308257	23404	17.0214	1.2923	14.4856	19.5571
NOT DECIDED	95	159109	17753	8.7857	0.9803	6.8622	10.7092
NOT HEARD	648	1053695	30234	58.1830	1.6695	54.9073	61.4588
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	119	188609	18582	10.4146	1.0261	8.4013	12.4279
REFUSED	4	4632	2375	0.2558	0.1311	0.0000	0.5131
Total	1108	1811001	0.00108	100.000			

Q8. WOULD YOU RATE YOUR CURRENT HEALTH AS:							
q08	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
EXCELLENT	263	413479	25317	22.8315	1.3980	20.0885	25.5745
GOOD	497	852974	30591	47.0996	1.6892	43.7852	50.4140
FAIR	211	342322	24412	18.9024	1.3480	16.2574	21.5473
POOR	127	188931	17810	10.4324	0.9834	8.5028	12.3620
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	10	13295	4273	0.7341	0.2360	0.2711	1.1971
Total	1108	1811001	0.0003465	100.000			

Q9. WOULD YOU SAY THAT YOU WOULD BE CONSIDERED TO HAVE A PRE-EXISTING CONDITION?							
q09	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	525	836566	30855	46.1936	1.7037	42.8506	49.5365
NO	553	919393	31017	50.7671	1.7127	47.4066	54.1277
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	28	52768	11064	2.9138	0.6109	1.7151	4.1125
REFUSED	2	2274	1645	0.1255	0.0908	0.0000	0.3037
Total	1108	1811001	0.00107	100.000			

Q10. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN DENIED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BECAUSE OF A PRE-EXISTING CONDITION?							
q10	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	91	144709	16879	7.9905	0.9320	6.1617	9.8193
NO	1007	1649831	17639	91.1005	0.9740	89.1894	93.0116
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	9	15077	5339	0.8325	0.2948	0.2541	1.4109
REFUSED	1	1385	1384	0.0765	0.0764	0.0000	0.2264
Total	1108	1811001	0.00216	100.000			

Q11. HOW IMPORTANT IS IT TO YOU PERSONALLY THAT YOU HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE?							
q11	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
VERY IMPORTANT	984	1602178	20013	88.4692	1.1051	86.3009	90.6375
SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	76	135933	16984	7.5060	0.9378	5.6658	9.3461
NOT TOO IMPORTANT	23	33224	7704	1.8346	0.4254	0.9999	2.6693
NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT	16	27552	7675	1.5214	0.4238	0.6899	2.3529
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	7	9005	3516	0.4972	0.1941	0.1163	0.8781
REFUSED	2	3108	2200	0.1716	0.1215	0.0000	0.4100
Total	1108	1811001	0.00215	100.000			

Q12. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING COMES CLOSEST TO YOUR VIEW?							
q12	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
SOMETHING I NEED	1019	1656334	17683	91.4596	0.9764	89.5437	93.3755
HEALTHY / DON'T NEED	67	120067	15993	6.6299	0.8831	4.8971	8.3626
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	17	23271	6093	1.2850	0.3364	0.6248	1.9451
REFUSED	5	11329	5535	0.6256	0.3056	0.0258	1.2253
Total	1108	1811001	0.00220	100.000			

Q13. WOULD YOU SAY THAT HEALTH INSURANCE IS OR IS NOT WORTH THE MONEY?							
q13	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
WORTH THE MONEY	704	1127231	30062	62.2435	1.6600	58.9864	65.5006
NOT WORTH THE MONEY	245	418012	26520	23.0818	1.4644	20.2085	25.9551
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	148	249071	21569	13.7532	1.1910	11.4163	16.0901
REFUSED	11	16688	5442	0.9215	0.3005	0.3319	1.5110
Total	1108	1811001	0.00123	100.000			

Q14A. MOST INDIVIDUALS SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE.							
q14a	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	237	367596	24704	20.2979	1.3641	17.6214	22.9745
AGREE	366	605293	29348	33.4231	1.6205	30.2434	36.6028
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	96	153219	17078	8.4605	0.9430	6.6102	10.3108
DISAGREE	236	388801	25406	21.4688	1.4028	18.7163	24.2214
STRONGLY DISAGREE	139	246407	21909	13.6061	1.2098	11.2324	15.9799
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	29	42942	8706	2.3712	0.4807	1.4279	3.3144
REFUSED	5	6743	3063	0.3724	0.1692	0.0405	0.7043
Total	1108	1811001	0.0003466	100.000			

Q14B. PEOPLE WITH PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS SHOULD NOT HAVE TO PAY MORE FOR HEALTH INSURANCE.							
q14b	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	277	432509	26012	23.8823	1.4363	21.0640	26.7006
AGREE	469	770821	30792	42.5633	1.7002	39.2272	45.8994
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	65	106540	14733	5.8829	0.8135	4.2867	7.4792
DISAGREE	203	344616	24816	19.0290	1.3703	16.3403	21.7177
STRONGLY DISAGREE	50	86144	13460	4.7567	0.7432	3.2984	6.2150
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	37	60605	10864	3.3465	0.5999	2.1695	4.5236
REFUSED	7	9766	3724	0.5393	0.2056	0.1358	0.9427
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006366	100.000			

<b>Q14C. CHILDREN SHOULD BE ABLE TO BE COVERED ON THEIR PARENT HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY TO AGE 26.</b>							
<b>q14c</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>STRONGLY AGREE</b>	246	377761	24602	20.8592	1.3585	18.1937	23.5247
<b>AGREE</b>	501	815906	31013	45.0528	1.7125	41.6927	48.4129
<b>NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE</b>	40	68788	12133	3.7984	0.6700	2.4838	5.1129
<b>DISAGREE</b>	236	401400	26202	22.1645	1.4468	19.3257	25.0033
<b>STRONGLY DISAGREE</b>	62	114358	15884	6.3146	0.8771	4.5936	8.0356
<b>DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE</b>	22	31899	7083	1.7614	0.3911	0.9940	2.5288
<b>REFUSED</b>	1	888.86325	888.36311	0.0491	0.0491	0.0000	0.1453
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.0003465	100.000			

<b>Q14D. PEOPLE SHOULD BE ABLE TO BUY HEALTH INSURANCE IN ANY STATE IF THE PLAN OFFERS BETTER VALUE.</b>							
<b>q14d</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>STRONGLY AGREE</b>	311	501266	27800	27.6790	1.5351	24.6670	30.6909
<b>AGREE</b>	678	1119843	30099	61.8356	1.6620	58.5745	65.0967
<b>NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE</b>	31	47988	9583	2.6498	0.5292	1.6116	3.6881
<b>DISAGREE</b>	46	80344	13100	4.4365	0.7234	3.0171	5.8558
<b>STRONGLY DISAGREE</b>	11	16524	5420	0.9124	0.2993	0.3252	1.4996
<b>DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE</b>	30	43565	8525	2.4056	0.4707	1.4819	3.3292
<b>REFUSED</b>	1	1470	1470	0.0812	0.0811	0.0000	0.2404
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.00104	100.000			

Q14E. PENALTIES OR FINES SHOULD BE IMPOSED ON PEOPLE WHO DON'T BUY HEALTH INSURANCE.							
q14e	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	34	51487	9741	2.8430	0.5379	1.7876	3.8984
AGREE	138	216123	19791	11.9339	1.0928	9.7896	14.0781
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	57	94493	13908	5.2177	0.7680	3.7109	6.7246
DISAGREE	524	859354	31082	47.4519	1.7163	44.0843	50.8195
STRONGLY DISAGREE	306	516802	28271	28.5368	1.5611	25.4738	31.5999
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	45	67879	10952	3.7481	0.6047	2.5616	4.9347
REFUSED	4	4863	2526	0.2685	0.1395	0.0000	0.5422
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006930	100.000			

Q14F. THERE SHOULD BE SUBSIDIES TO HELP LOW-INCOME PEOPLE BUY HEALTH INSURANCE.							
q14f	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	278	414299	24964	22.8768	1.3785	20.1720	25.5815
AGREE	532	881152	31158	48.6555	1.7205	45.2797	52.0313
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	78	122521	15379	6.7654	0.8492	5.0991	8.4316
DISAGREE	130	235165	21750	12.9854	1.2010	10.6288	15.3419
STRONGLY DISAGREE	49	94832	15026	5.2364	0.8297	3.6085	6.8644
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	38	59035	10664	3.2598	0.5888	2.1045	4.4152
REFUSED	3	3997	2373	0.2207	0.1310	0.0000	0.4778
Total	1108	1811001	0.0005479	100.000			

Q14G. ALL LARGE EMPLOYERS SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE HEALTH INSURNACE TO THEIR EMPLOYEES.							
q14g	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	335	519486	27556	28.6850	1.5216	25.6995	31.6706
AGREE	524	856520	31034	47.2954	1.7136	43.9331	50.6578
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	43	62431	10727	3.4473	0.5923	2.2851	4.6096
DISAGREE	132	246630	22456	13.6184	1.2400	11.1855	16.0514
STRONGLY DISAGREE	46	83253	13510	4.5971	0.7460	3.1333	6.0608
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	27	41296	9046	2.2803	0.4995	1.3002	3.2603
REFUSED	1	1385	1384	0.0765	0.0764	0.0000	0.2264
Total	1108	1811001	0.0005746	100.000			

Q14H. THE MEDICAID PROGRAM IN MISSISSIPPI SHOULD BE EXPANDED TO COVER EVERYONE BELOW THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL.							
q14h	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
STRONGLY AGREE	271	404939	24985	22.3599	1.3796	19.6530	25.0669
AGREE	459	752549	30616	41.5543	1.6905	38.2373	44.8714
NEITHER AGREE OR DISAGREE	69	103074	13410	5.6915	0.7405	4.2386	7.1445
DISAGREE	187	344299	25415	19.0115	1.4034	16.2580	21.7651
STRONGLY DISAGREE	64	118328	16334	6.5339	0.9019	4.7641	8.3036
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	56	85286	12382	4.7093	0.6837	3.3678	6.0508
REFUSED	2	2527	1863	0.1395	0.1029	0.0000	0.3414
Total	1108	1811001	0.0004245	100.000			

Q15. WHAT DO YOU THINK IS THE MOST IMPORTANT ISSUE FOR JUDGING THE SUCCESS OR FAILURE OF THE ACA?							
q15	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
INSURANCE AFFORDABILITY	317	536025	28660	29.5983	1.5825	26.4931	32.7035
PERCENTAGE OF PEOPLE UNINSURED	84	128003	15666	7.0681	0.8650	5.3708	8.7654
COMPREHENSIVENESS OF INSURANCE COVERAGE	61	90464	12909	4.9953	0.7128	3.5967	6.3939
PERCENTAGE OF PEOPLE KEEPING THEIR EXISTING HEALTH PLAN	97	159421	17789	8.8029	0.9823	6.8756	10.7302
PERCENTAGE OF PEOPLE KEEPING THEIR DOCTOR	89	144119	16474	7.9580	0.9097	6.1731	9.7428
OTHER	132	223397	20807	12.3356	1.1489	10.0813	14.5898
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	313	506878	27765	27.9888	1.5331	24.9806	30.9970
REFUSED	15	22694	6255	1.2531	0.3454	0.5754	1.9308
Total	1108	1811001	0.0008404	100.000			

Q16. DO YOU THINK THE HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGES OR MARKETPLACES REQUIRED BY THE ACA WILL RESULT IN:							
q16	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
GENERALLY HIGHER HEALTH INSURNANCE COSTS	489	809346	30973	44.6906	1.7103	41.3348	48.0463
GENERALLY LOWER HEALTH INSURNACE COSTS	196	285088	21308	15.7420	1.1766	13.4334	18.0506
NOT MUCH OF AN IMPACT ON INSURNACE COSTS	171	303975	23937	16.7849	1.3218	14.1915	19.3784
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	249	408184	26170	22.5392	1.4451	19.7038	25.3746
REFUSED	3	4407	2545	0.2434	0.1405	0.0000	0.5191
Total	1108	1811001	0.0005051	100.000			



Q17. DO YOU THINK THE HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGES OR MARKETPLACES REQUIRED BY THE ACA WILL RESULT IN:							
q17	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
A LARGER CHOICE OF HEALTH PLANS THAN IS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE	302	503361	27884	27.7946	1.5397	24.7735	30.8157
A SMALLER CHOICE OF HEALTH PLANS THAN IS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE	329	541910	28311	29.9232	1.5633	26.8559	32.9905
LITTLE CHANGE IN THE CHOICE OF HEALTH PLANS AVAILABLE	227	375194	25356	20.7175	1.4001	17.9702	23.4647
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	245	383345	24936	21.1676	1.3769	18.4659	23.8692
REFUSED	5	7192	3266	0.3971	0.1803	0.0433	0.7510
Total	1108	1811001	0.0004584	100.000			

Q18. BEGINNING NEXT YEAR, IN 2014, DO YOU THINK THAT YOU AND YOUR FAMILY WILL:							
q18	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
BE UNAFFECTED	190	329245	24599	18.1803	1.3583	15.5151	20.8454
BE BETTER OFF AS A RESULT	256	391955	25064	21.6430	1.3840	18.9275	24.3586
BE WORSE OFF AS A RESULT	425	721941	30436	39.8642	1.6806	36.5666	43.1618
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	232	358396	23974	19.7900	1.3238	17.1925	22.3874
REFUSED	5	9463	4651	0.5225	0.2568	0.0187	1.0264
Total	1108	1811001	0.0009254	100.000			

Q19. DO YOU SUPPORT THE HEALTH REFORM LAW KNOWN AS THE ACA?							
q19	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	429	680341	29590	37.5671	1.6339	34.3612	40.7730
NO	487	825880	30790	45.6035	1.7002	42.2676	48.9394
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	189	300869	22848	16.6134	1.2616	14.1379	19.0889
REFUSED	3	3911	2321	0.2160	0.1282	0.0000	0.4674
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006821	100.000			

<b>Q20. UNDER THE ACA, PEOPLE MUST BUY HEALTH INSURANCE OR PAY A FINE OF 1% OF THEIR INCOME. WOULD YOU?</b>							
<b>q20</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>BUY INSURANCE</b>	478	760883	30321	42.0145	1.6743	38.7293	45.2996
<b>PAY THE FINE</b>	134	237572	21564	13.1183	1.1907	10.7819	15.4546
<b>NOT CERTAIN</b>	439	715352	30097	39.5003	1.6619	36.2395	42.7612
<b>REFUSED</b>	57	97195	14301	5.3669	0.7897	3.8175	6.9163
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.0006483	100.000			

<b>Q21. DO YOU THINK YOU WILL BE ELIGIBLE FOR A SUBSIDY TO GET HEALTH INSURNACE AS A RESULT OF THE ACA?</b>							
<b>q21</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>YES</b>	308	486843	27300	26.8825	1.5074	23.9248	29.8403
<b>NO</b>	531	906123	30982	50.0344	1.7108	46.6777	53.3911
<b>DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE</b>	262	406300	25381	22.4351	1.4015	19.6852	25.1850
<b>REFUSED</b>	7	11734	4808	0.6480	0.2655	0.1270	1.1689
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.0006247	100.000			

<b>Q22. DO YOU THINK YOU WILL BUY INSURANCE COVERAGE THROUGH THE HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE OR MARKETPLACE DURING THE OPEN ENROLLMENT PERIOD?</b>							
<b>q22a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>YES</b>	264	394194	24774	21.7666	1.3680	19.0825	24.4507
<b>NO</b>	610	1048344	30196	57.8876	1.6674	54.6160	61.1592
<b>DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE</b>	227	358755	24182	19.8098	1.3353	17.1898	22.4297
<b>REFUSED</b>	7	9708	3701	0.5361	0.2044	0.1350	0.9371
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.0007250	100.000			

<b>Q22A. WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING FACTORS WOULD BE THE MOST IMPORTANT IN DETERMINING YOUR PLAN CHOICE?</b>							
<b>q22</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Weighted Frequency</b>	<b>Std Dev of Wgt Freq</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Std Err of Percent</b>	<b>95% Confidence Limits for Percent</b>	
<b>LOW MONTHLY COST</b>	231	401112	26459	22.1487	1.4610	19.2820	25.0153
<b>DOCTOR / HOSPITAL AVAILABILITY</b>	229	375513	25312	20.7351	1.3977	17.9927	23.4775
<b>OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS</b>	303	512584	28414	28.3039	1.5689	25.2254	31.3824
<b>CUSTOMER SATISFACTION / QUALITY RATINGS</b>	64	98090	13137	5.4164	0.7254	3.9930	6.8397
<b>TRUSTED BRAND</b>	66	104669	14290	5.7796	0.7890	4.2314	7.3278
<b>OTHER</b>	50	72593	11021	4.0085	0.6085	2.8144	5.2025
<b>NOTHING</b>	29	45161	9450	2.4937	0.5218	1.4699	3.5176
<b>DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE</b>	126	186226	17751	10.2830	0.9802	8.3598	12.2063
<b>REFUSED</b>	10	15052	5213	0.8311	0.2879	0.2663	1.3960
<b>Total</b>	1108	1811001	0.0004246	100.000			

Data Summary	
Number of Strata	9
Number of Observations	1108
Sum of Weights	1811001

Statistics						
Variable	Label	N	Mean	Std Error of Mean	95% CL for Mean	
q23	Q23. WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT AGE?	1072	47.157031	0.447978	46.2780095	48.0360524

EXCLUDES REFUSAL AND NOT SURE RESPONSES

Q23. WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT AGE?				
q23	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
7	8	0.72	8	0.72
9	28	2.53	36	3.25
19	9	0.81	45	4.06
20	11	0.99	56	5.05
21	8	0.72	64	5.78
22	15	1.35	79	7.13
23	15	1.35	94	8.48
24	10	0.90	104	9.39
25	14	1.26	118	10.65
26	11	0.99	129	11.64
27	10	0.90	139	12.55
28	11	0.99	150	13.54
29	18	1.62	168	15.16
30	18	1.62	186	16.79
31	13	1.17	199	17.96
32	18	1.62	217	19.58
33	18	1.62	235	21.21
34	12	1.08	247	22.29
35	29	2.62	276	24.91
36	15	1.35	291	26.26
37	9	0.81	300	27.08
38	21	1.90	321	28.97
39	12	1.08	333	30.05
40	20	1.81	353	31.86
41	13	1.17	366	33.03
42	26	2.35	392	35.38
43	19	1.71	411	37.09
44	25	2.26	436	39.35
45	24	2.17	460	41.52
46	17	1.53	477	43.05
47	25	2.26	502	45.31
48	32	2.89	534	48.19
49	25	2.26	559	50.45

Q23. WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT AGE?				
q23	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
50	30	2.71	589	53.16
51	23	2.08	612	55.23
52	37	3.34	649	58.57
53	26	2.35	675	60.92
54	32	2.89	707	63.81
55	46	4.15	753	67.96
56	38	3.43	791	71.39
57	31	2.80	822	74.19
58	25	2.26	847	76.44
59	38	3.43	885	79.87
60	31	2.80	916	82.67
61	28	2.53	944	85.20
62	46	4.15	990	89.35
63	35	3.16	1025	92.51
64	37	3.34	1062	95.85
65	46	4.15	1108	100.00

^REFUSAL (7) AND NOT SURE (9) RESPONSES SHOWN HERE

Q23. WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT AGE? [Q23 AND Q23A COMBINED]							
Q23C	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
19-25	84	142463	16705	7.8665	0.9224	6.0566	9.6764
26-34	129	214631	20418	11.8515	1.1274	9.6394	14.0637
35-44	191	318069	23844	17.5632	1.3166	14.9798	20.1465
45-54	273	435315	26387	24.0373	1.4570	21.1784	26.8961
55-65	412	675655	30170	37.3084	1.6659	34.0396	40.5771
REFUSED	19	24867	6233	1.3731	0.3442	0.6978	2.0485
Total	1108	1811001	0.00105	100.000			

Q24. IN WHAT COUNTY DO YOU LIVE?							
q24	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
ADAMS	19	16888	3559	0.9325	0.1965	0.5469	1.3182
ALCORN	11	19996	6171	1.1041	0.3408	0.4355	1.7727
AMITE	6	5333	2129	0.2945	0.1175	0.0639	0.5251
ATTALA	16	14240	3434	0.7863	0.1896	0.4142	1.1584
BENTON	4	8530	4582	0.4710	0.2530	0.0000	0.9675
BOLIVAR	19	16456	3538	0.9086	0.1953	0.5253	1.2919
CALHOUN	15	17209	4383	0.9502	0.2420	0.4754	1.4250
CARROLL	8	10225	4406	0.5646	0.2433	0.0873	1.0420
CHICKASAW	13	14326	3880	0.7911	0.2142	0.3707	1.2114
CHOCTAW	3	3172	1818	0.1752	0.1004	0.0000	0.3721
CLAIBORNE	1	888.86325	888.36311	0.0491	0.0491	0.0000	0.1453
CLARKE	8	11163	3846	0.6164	0.2124	0.1997	1.0331
CLAY	18	19777	4532	1.0920	0.2502	0.6010	1.5830
COAHOMA	13	17812	4767	0.9835	0.2632	0.4670	1.5001
COPIAH	7	16876	7218	0.9319	0.3986	0.1498	1.7139
COVINGTON	5	7265	3217	0.4012	0.1776	0.0526	0.7497
DESOTO	34	48465	7386	2.6761	0.4078	1.8759	3.4764
FORREST	29	46147	8490	2.5482	0.4688	1.6283	3.4680
FRANKLIN	7	6222	2289	0.3436	0.1264	0.0956	0.5915
GEORGE	6	18271	7479	1.0089	0.4130	0.1985	1.8192
GREENE	2	2940	2070	0.1623	0.1143	0.0000	0.3866
GRENADA	13	17266	4669	0.9534	0.2578	0.4476	1.4592
HANCOCK	5	16801	7333	0.9277	0.4049	0.1332	1.7222
HARRISON	30	93029	14932	5.1369	0.8245	3.5191	6.7547
HINDS	49	163114	18752	9.0068	1.0355	6.9751	11.0386
HOLMES	11	9527	2773	0.5261	0.1531	0.2256	0.8265
HUMPHREYS	2	1732	1220	0.0956	0.0674	0.0000	0.2278
ISSAQUENA	1	866.08000	865.57986	0.0478	0.0478	0.0000	0.1416
ITAWAMBA	3	4914	2815	0.2713	0.1554	0.0000	0.5763
JACKSON	35	113599	16232	6.2727	0.8963	4.5140	8.0314
JASPER	8	10836	3770	0.5983	0.2082	0.1898	1.0068
JEFFERSON	5	10166	5284	0.5614	0.2918	0.0000	1.1338
JEFFERSON DAVIS	4	5880	2904	0.3247	0.1604	0.0101	0.6393



Q24. IN WHAT COUNTY DO YOU LIVE?							
q24	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
JONES	33	50574	8124	2.7926	0.4486	1.9124	3.6728
KEMPER	4	5539	2728	0.3058	0.1506	0.0103	0.6014
LAFAYETTE	22	34456	6925	1.9026	0.3824	1.1523	2.6529
LAMAR	11	15590	4565	0.8608	0.2521	0.3662	1.3555
LAUDERDALE	37	50737	6806	2.8016	0.3758	2.0642	3.5391
LAWRENCE	6	5333	2129	0.2945	0.1175	0.0639	0.5251
LEAKE	11	18522	6310	1.0227	0.3484	0.3391	1.7063
LEE	42	67035	8996	3.7016	0.4967	2.7269	4.6762
LEFLORE	20	18093	3898	0.9991	0.2153	0.5767	1.4214
LINCOLN	24	26956	6383	1.4885	0.3524	0.7970	2.1800
LOWNDES	24	26285	5056	1.4514	0.2792	0.9036	1.9992
MADISON	14	41550	11284	2.2943	0.6231	1.0717	3.5169
MARION	12	19787	5911	1.0926	0.3264	0.4521	1.7331
MARSHALL	7	11240	4181	0.6206	0.2309	0.1677	1.0736
MONROE	14	15773	4183	0.8710	0.2310	0.4177	1.3242
MONTGOMERY	14	14501	3911	0.8007	0.2159	0.3770	1.2244
NESHOBA	13	18001	4691	0.9940	0.2590	0.4857	1.5022
NEWTON	9	14438	5057	0.7972	0.2792	0.2493	1.3451
NOXUBEE	10	10405	3206	0.5746	0.1770	0.2272	0.9219
OKTIBBEHA	28	29607	5037	1.6348	0.2781	1.0891	2.1805
PANOLA	29	41178	6885	2.2738	0.3802	1.5278	3.0197
PEARL RIVER	12	36541	10257	2.0177	0.5664	0.9065	3.1290
PERRY	9	13231	4266	0.7306	0.2356	0.2683	1.1928
PIKE	27	24581	4273	1.3573	0.2359	0.8944	1.8202
PONTOTOC	8	13103	4509	0.7235	0.2490	0.2350	1.2120
PRENTISS	6	9828	3935	0.5427	0.2173	0.1163	0.9690
QUITMAN	5	6515	2923	0.3597	0.1614	0.0430	0.6764
RANKIN	24	75422	14690	4.1647	0.8111	2.5731	5.7562
SCOTT	11	17463	5528	0.9643	0.3053	0.3653	1.5632
SHARKEY	1	866.08000	865.57986	0.0478	0.0478	0.0000	0.1416
SIMPSON	3	8703	5298	0.4806	0.2925	0.0000	1.0545
SMITH	5	11643	5682	0.6429	0.3137	0.0273	1.2585
STONE	7	23521	8569	1.2988	0.4732	0.3703	2.2272

Q24. IN WHAT COUNTY DO YOU LIVE?							
q24	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
SUNFLOWER	19	16456	3538	0.9086	0.1953	0.5253	1.2919
TALLAHATCHIE	9	12709	4109	0.7018	0.2269	0.2567	1.1469
TATE	11	15534	4507	0.8577	0.2488	0.3695	1.3460
TIPPAH	7	10885	4075	0.6010	0.2250	0.1596	1.0425
TISHOMINGO	7	10659	4014	0.5886	0.2217	0.1536	1.0235
TUNICA	4	5649	2792	0.3119	0.1542	0.0094	0.6144
UNION	12	19655	5434	1.0853	0.3001	0.4965	1.6741
WALTHALL	9	8581	2845	0.4738	0.1571	0.1656	0.7820
WARREN	11	37221	10994	2.0553	0.6071	0.8642	3.2464
WASHINGTON	33	29352	4655	1.6208	0.2570	1.1165	2.1251
WAYNE	10	14615	4485	0.8070	0.2477	0.3211	1.2930
WEBSTER	7	7402	2737	0.4087	0.1511	0.1122	0.7052
WILKINSON	6	5333	2129	0.2945	0.1175	0.0639	0.5251
WINSTON	12	12689	3517	0.7006	0.1942	0.3195	1.0817
YALOBUSHA	13	17717	4867	0.9783	0.2688	0.4510	1.5057
YAZOO	2	5029	3882	0.2777	0.2143	0.0000	0.6982
NOT SURE / DON'T KNOW	7	9488	3660	0.5239	0.2021	0.1274	0.9205
REFUSED	17	25082	6925	1.3850	0.3824	0.6347	2.1352
Total	1108	1811001	0.0004584	100.000			

Q25. WHAT IS YOUR RACE?							
q25	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
WHITE	640	1086712	29910	60.0061	1.6516	56.7655	63.2467
BLACK	401	615482	28761	33.9857	1.5881	30.8696	37.1018
ASIAN	3	6120	4063	0.3380	0.2243	0.0000	0.7781
OTHER	30	53457	10860	2.9518	0.5997	1.7752	4.1284
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	3	3416	2061	0.1886	0.1138	0.0000	0.4119
REFUSED	31	45814	9113	2.5298	0.5032	1.5424	3.5171
Total	1108	1811001	0.00139	100.000			

Q26. ARE YOU OF HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN?							
q26	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
HISPANIC	16	29931	8154	1.6527	0.4503	0.7693	2.5362
NOT HISPANIC	1068	1745612	11330	96.3894	0.6256	95.1618	97.6169
DON'T KNWO / NOT SURE	3	4688	2705	0.2589	0.1493	0.0000	0.5519
REFUSED	21	30770	7486	1.6990	0.4133	0.8880	2.5101
Total	1108	1811001	0.00244	100.000			

Data Summary	
Number of Strata	9
Number of Observations	1108
Sum of Weights	1811001

Statistics						
Variable	Label	N	Mean	Std Error of Mean	95% CL for Mean	
q27	Q27. HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD?	1082	2.872510	0.049550	2.77528483	2.96973489

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<b>Q27. HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD?</b>				
<b>q27</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Frequency</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>1</b>	167	15.07	167	15.07
<b>2</b>	364	32.85	531	47.92
<b>3</b>	221	19.95	752	67.87
<b>4</b>	183	16.52	935	84.39
<b>5</b>	89	8.03	1024	92.42
<b>6</b>	37	3.34	1061	95.76
<b>7</b>	18	1.62	1079	97.38
<b>8</b>	2	0.18	1081	97.56
<b>9</b>	1	0.09	1082	97.65
<b>77</b>	2	0.18	1084	97.83
<b>99</b>	24	2.17	1108	100.00

^REFUSAL (77) AND NOT SURE (99) RESPONSES SHOWN HERE

Q28. WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOL YOU HAVE COMPLETED OR HIGHEST DEGREE RECEIVED?					
q28	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent
LESS THAN HS (GRADES 1-8)	34	49136	9290	2.7132	0.5130
SOME HS (GRADES 9-11)	84	129588	15405	7.1556	0.8507
HIGH SCHOOL / GED	288	427026	25037	23.5795	1.3825
SOME COLLEGE	170	294260	23373	16.2485	1.2906
ASSOCIATE DEGREE	149	248807	21654	13.7386	1.1957
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	212	378528	26000	20.9016	1.4357
SOME POSTGRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL	45	78680	12982	4.3445	0.7168
POSTGRAD / PROFESSIONAL DEGREE	112	182157	18549	10.0584	1.0243
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	1	1412	1412	0.0780	0.0779
REFUSED	13	21408	7060	1.1821	0.3899
Total	1108	1811001	0.00100	100.000	

Q28. WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF SCHOOL YOU HAVE COMPLETED OR HIGHEST DEGREE RECEIVED?		
q28	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
LESS THAN HS (GRADES 1-8)	1.7067	3.7197
SOME HS (GRADES 9-11)	5.4865	8.8247
HIGH SCHOOL / GED	20.8669	26.2921
SOME COLLEGE	13.7161	18.7808
ASSOCIATE DEGREE	11.3926	16.0847
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	18.0846	23.7186
SOME POSTGRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL	2.9381	5.7510
POSTGRAD / PROFESSIONAL DEGREE	8.0486	12.0681
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	0.0000	0.2309
REFUSED	0.4172	1.9471
Total		

Q29. WHAT BEST DESCRIBES YOUR EMPLOYMENT SITUATION TODAY?							
q29	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
FULL-TIME	522	875838	30984	48.3621	1.7109	45.0051	51.7191
PART-TIME	93	147439	16816	8.1413	0.9286	6.3193	9.9633
STUDNET	31	43797	8852	2.4184	0.4888	1.4592	3.3775
RETIRED	124	198913	19382	10.9836	1.0702	8.8837	13.0836
DISABILITY / CAN'T WORK	151	230540	20036	12.7300	1.1063	10.5592	14.9007
HOMEMAKER	62	104212	14503	5.7544	0.8008	4.1831	7.3257
UNEMPLOYED	111	189841	19389	10.4827	1.0706	8.3820	12.5834
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	6	9631	4531	0.5318	0.2502	0.0409	1.0227
REFUSED	8	10791	3856	0.5959	0.2129	0.1780	1.0137
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006930	100.000			

[IF EMPLOYED] Q29A. DO YOU WORK FOR AN ORGANIZATION THAT HAS 50 OR MORE EMPLOYEES?							
q29a	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	425	701164	21917	68.5214	2.1418	64.3152	72.7277
NO	181	305460	21577	29.8512	2.1086	25.7101	33.9923
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	6	12823	5735	1.2532	0.5604	0.1526	2.3537
REFUSED	3	3829	2247	0.3742	0.2196	0.0000	0.8055
Total	615	1023277	0.0003886	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 493							

Q30. IN 2012, YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES, BEFORE TAXES WAS...							
q30	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
< \$10,000	164	239858	19738	13.2445	1.0899	11.1060	15.3830
< \$20,000	139	217339	19520	12.0010	1.0779	9.8862	14.1159
< \$30,000	115	189907	19215	10.4863	1.0610	8.4045	12.5681
< \$40,000	80	132796	16501	7.3328	0.9112	5.5449	9.1206
< \$50,000	95	153285	17308	8.4641	0.9557	6.5889	10.3393
< \$60,000	67	123693	16539	6.8301	0.9133	5.0382	8.6221
< \$70,000	43	78879	13311	4.3556	0.7350	2.9134	5.7978
< \$80,000	31	54584	10997	3.0140	0.6072	1.8225	4.2055
< \$90,000	36	63679	11682	3.5162	0.6451	2.2505	4.7820
< \$100,000	35	52662	10161	2.9079	0.5611	1.8070	4.0088
> \$100,000	113	198910	19925	10.9834	1.1002	8.8247	13.1422
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	80	128517	15802	7.0965	0.8726	5.3843	8.8086
REFUSED	110	176891	18471	9.7676	1.0199	7.7664	11.7688
Total	1108	1811001	0.00101	100.000			



Q30. IN 2012, YOUR TOTAL FAMILY INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES, BEFORE TAXES WAS...							
q30_cat	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
\$10,000 - \$30,000	418	647104	29245	35.7318	1.6148	32.5633	38.9003
\$40,000 - \$60,000	242	409775	26413	22.6270	1.4585	19.7652	25.4887
\$70,000 - \$100,000	145	249805	21852	13.7937	1.2066	11.4262	16.1612
>= \$100,000	113	198910	19925	10.9834	1.1002	8.8247	13.1422
NOT SURE / REFUSED	190	305408	23216	16.8641	1.2820	14.3487	19.3794
Total	1108	1811001	0.0007041	100.000			

Q31. IF YOU WERE ELIGIBLE FOR A SUBSIDY, WOULD YOU BUY INSURANCE?							
q31	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	211	341516	17644	59.0219	3.0494	53.0240	65.0198
NO	85	141919	15250	24.5269	2.6355	19.3431	29.7108
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	54	95191	13408	16.4512	2.3173	11.8932	21.0091
Total	350	578626	0.0003390	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 758							

Data Summary	
Number of Strata	9
Number of Observations	1108
Sum of Weights	1811001

Statistics						
Variable	Label	N	Mean	Std Error of Mean	95% CL for Mean	
q31a	[IF NO] Q31A. WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY PER MONTH FOR COVERAGE?	43	126.979409	15.772664	94.9254998	159.033318

EXCLUDES REFUSAL AND NOT SURE RESPONSES

<b>[IF NO] Q31A. WHAT WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO PAY PER MONTH FOR COVERAGE?</b>				
<b>q31a</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Frequency</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>0</b>	5	5.88	5	5.88
<b>10</b>	1	1.18	6	7.06
<b>13</b>	1	1.18	7	8.24
<b>20</b>	4	4.71	11	12.94
<b>25</b>	1	1.18	12	14.12
<b>40</b>	1	1.18	13	15.29
<b>50</b>	5	5.88	18	21.18
<b>60</b>	1	1.18	19	22.35
<b>80</b>	1	1.18	20	23.53
<b>100</b>	5	5.88	25	29.41
<b>115</b>	1	1.18	26	30.59
<b>120</b>	1	1.18	27	31.76
<b>122</b>	1	1.18	28	32.94
<b>150</b>	4	4.71	32	37.65
<b>170</b>	1	1.18	33	38.82
<b>185</b>	1	1.18	34	40.00
<b>200</b>	3	3.53	37	43.53
<b>240</b>	1	1.18	38	44.71
<b>250</b>	2	2.35	40	47.06
<b>400</b>	2	2.35	42	49.41
<b>500</b>	1	1.18	43	50.59
<b>77777</b>	33	38.82	76	89.41
<b>99999</b>	9	10.59	85	100.00
<b>Frequency Missing = 1023</b>				

^REFUSAL (77777) AND NOT SURE (99999) RESPONSES SHOWN HERE

Q32. WHAT WOULD MAKE YOU INVESTIGATE BUYING COVERAGE THROUGH A HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE OR MARKETPLACE?							
q32	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
LOW MONTHLY COST	303	479866	27203	26.4973	1.5021	23.5500	29.4446
DOCTOR / HOSPITAL AVAILABILITY	164	247357	20198	13.6586	1.1153	11.4703	15.8469
OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS	246	433119	27176	23.9160	1.5006	20.9716	26.8604
CUSTOMER SATISFACTION / QUALITY RATINGS	47	65034	10219	3.5910	0.5643	2.4838	4.6982
TRUSTED BRAND	43	64559	11192	3.5648	0.6180	2.3523	4.7774
OTHER	23	40359	9527	2.2285	0.5260	1.1964	3.2607
NOTHING	116	230355	22133	12.7198	1.2222	10.3217	15.1178
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	148	226126	19674	12.4862	1.0864	10.3546	14.6179
REFUSED	18	24226	6262	1.3377	0.3458	0.6593	2.0162
Total	1108	1811001	0.0003242	100.000			

[IF CURRENTLY HAVE INSURANCE] Q33. I EXPECT TO CHANGE MY EXISTING HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN AS A RESULT OF THE ACA.							
q33	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
YES	63	95930	13290	6.9148	0.9580	5.0345	8.7952
NO	602	1005222	24031	72.4586	1.7322	69.0586	75.8586
ONLY IF COST IS LESS THAN CURRENTLY PAY	79	127052	15857	9.1582	1.1430	6.9147	11.4017
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	95	147745	16335	10.6498	1.1774	8.3387	12.9609
REFUSED	7	11356	4730	0.8186	0.3409	0.1494	1.4878
Total	846	1387305	0.0008497	100.000			
Frequency Missing = 262							

Q34. IN WHAT FORMAT WOULD YOU MOST PREFER TO GET INFORMATION ABOUT THE NEW HEALTH INSURANCE OPTIONS?							
q34	Frequency	Weighted Frequency	Std Dev of Wgt Freq	Percent	Std Err of Percent	95% Confidence Limits for Percent	
NO RESPONSE	2	5029	3882	0.2777	0.2143	0.0000	0.6982
PAMPHLET	432	661491	29153	36.5263	1.6097	33.3677	39.6848
TV	120	204781	20166	11.3076	1.1135	9.1227	13.4925
RADIO	10	17563	6299	0.9698	0.3478	0.2874	1.6522
INTERNET	210	363984	25552	20.0985	1.4110	17.3300	22.8670
EMAIL	80	120999	14857	6.6813	0.8204	5.0716	8.2910
CALL TO HOME	10	16831	5978	0.9294	0.3301	0.2817	1.5771
FAMILY & FRIENDS	14	20326	6406	1.1224	0.3537	0.4283	1.8164
EMPLOYER	32	50199	10063	2.7719	0.5557	1.6816	3.8622
AGENT OR BROKER	13	23164	7317	1.2791	0.4040	0.4863	2.0719
CHURCH	7	14055	5938	0.7761	0.3279	0.1327	1.4194
COMM ORG	3	3916	2329	0.2162	0.1286	0.0000	0.4686
PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE	12	23961	7889	1.3231	0.4356	0.4684	2.1778
DON'T WANT MORE INFO	103	186552	19491	10.3010	1.0762	8.1893	12.4127
DON'T KNOW / NOT SURE	48	79659	12855	4.3986	0.7098	3.0059	5.7913
REFUSED	12	18492	5798	1.0211	0.3201	0.3930	1.6493
Total	1108	1811001	0.0006366	100.000			