Table 15.12-- PERCENT OF PERSONS NOT COVERED BY HEALTH INSURANCE, FOR THE UNITED STATES AND HAWAII: ANNUAL AND AVERAGES, 2004 TO 2007

[People surveyed in March of the following year. Based on small samples and subject to considerable sampling variation. The Census Bureau recommends 2-year averages to evaluate changes in state estimates over time, and 3-year averages to compare the relative ranking of states]

	Annual				Two-year moving average		Three-year moving average
Subject	2004	2005	2006	2007	2004-2005	2006-2007	2005-2007
Hawaii							
Percent not covered	8.3	8.6	8.8	7.5	8.5	8.2	8.3
Standard error 1/	(NA)	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.9	0.8
Rank 2/	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	3/ 2
U.S.							
Percent not covered	14.9	15.3	15.8	15.3	15.1	15.5	15.4
Standard error 1/	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

NA Not available.

X Not applicable.

1/ Plus or minus percent. At the 90-percent confidence interval.

2/ Among 50 states, with lowest percentage ranking 1.

3/ There are five states that are not statistically different from Hawaii at the 90-percent confidence level.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Table HI06 "Health Insurance Coverage Status by State for All People: 2007 Not poverty universe: unrelated individuals under age 15 are included: 2007"

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