

Table 12. Standard errors for medical care benefits, single coverage: Employer and employee premiums by employee contribution requirement, private industry workers, National Compensation Survey, March 2011

Characteristics	Average flat monthly employer premium	Employee contribution not required		Employee contribution required		
		Percent of participating employees	Average flat monthly employer premium	Percent of participating employees	Average flat monthly employer premium	Average flat monthly employee contribution
All workers	\$2.54	0.6	\$6.81	0.6	\$2.10	\$0.95
Worker characteristics						
Management, professional, and related	3.17	1.1	8.70	1.1	2.76	1.48
Management, business, and financial	5.16	1.1	13.41	1.1	4.70	2.44
Professional and related	4.13	1.5	11.56	1.5	3.91	1.76
Service	10.30	1.7	31.98	1.7	6.10	2.53
Protective service	15.25	3.0	32.34	3.0	15.67	8.49
Sales and office	2.97	0.7	9.75	0.7	3.00	1.66
Sales and related	4.09	1.3	13.43	1.3	3.29	2.32
Office and administrative support	3.69	0.9	12.09	0.9	3.95	2.04
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	4.58	1.7	10.75	1.7	4.32	2.57
Construction, extraction, farming, fishing, and forestry	8.09	2.5	15.46	2.5	7.98	4.33
Installation, maintenance, and repair	6.27	2.0	15.70	2.0	4.91	3.49
Production, transportation, and material moving	4.52	1.1	12.23	1.1	3.84	1.61
Production	5.07	1.4	13.70	1.4	4.95	2.23
Transportation and material moving	7.25	1.6	17.20	1.6	6.83	2.44
Full time	2.42	0.6	6.57	0.6	1.99	0.95
Part time	12.54	2.3	35.16	2.3	10.90	5.50
Union	8.17	1.9	16.07	1.9	6.27	3.61
Nonunion	2.24	0.6	6.57	0.6	2.08	0.94
Average wage within the following categories: ¹						
Lowest 25 percent	6.51	1.5	18.10	1.5	5.72	3.00
Lowest 10 percent	12.20	2.6	35.10	2.6	11.24	6.68
Second 25 percent	2.86	0.7	11.28	0.7	2.57	1.68
Third 25 percent	4.50	0.9	13.98	0.9	3.37	1.43
Highest 25 percent	3.11	1.1	7.68	1.1	2.36	1.45
Highest 10 percent	4.54	1.7	14.22	1.7	3.27	2.07
Establishment characteristics						
Goods-producing industries	3.79	1.0	8.94	1.0	3.73	1.66
Construction	7.33	2.2	12.74	2.2	6.79	4.47
Manufacturing	4.67	1.1	12.59	1.1	4.35	1.85
Service-providing industries	2.89	0.7	8.80	0.7	2.31	1.10
Trade, transportation, and utilities	4.11	1.1	10.97	1.1	3.55	1.76
Wholesale trade	6.47	2.1	17.15	2.1	4.92	3.00
Retail trade	4.37	1.4	14.35	1.4	3.66	2.40
Transportation and warehousing	11.97	2.2	43.52	2.2	10.89	4.23
Utilities	8.33	2.4	22.58	2.4	8.49	5.67

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12. Standard errors for medical care benefits, single coverage: Employer and employee premiums by employee contribution requirement, private industry workers, National Compensation Survey, March 2011—Continued

Characteristics	Average flat monthly employer premium	Employee contribution not required		Employee contribution required		
		Percent of participating employees	Average flat monthly employer premium	Percent of participating employees	Average flat monthly employer premium	Average flat monthly employee contribution
Information	\$9.53	2.9	\$16.16	2.9	\$7.02	\$2.85
Financial activities	3.39	1.3	13.22	1.3	2.90	2.15
Finance and insurance	3.28	1.1	15.04	1.1	2.84	1.74
Credit intermediation and related activities	4.64	1.4	11.47	1.4	4.30	1.89
Insurance carriers and related activities	5.07	1.5	20.37	1.5	4.97	3.06
Real estate and rental and leasing	9.51	5.6	20.16	5.6	8.74	11.95
Professional and business services	6.28	1.7	23.13	1.7	7.23	3.13
Professional and technical services	8.69	2.3	19.29	2.3	9.27	3.99
Administrative and waste services	20.10	3.9	53.94	3.9	15.49	7.08
Education and health services	6.17	1.6	26.65	1.6	5.00	2.76
Educational services	6.42	2.1	15.06	2.1	5.80	2.57
Junior colleges, colleges, and universities	4.23	1.8	18.07	1.8	3.94	2.25
Health care and social assistance	7.10	1.8	31.07	1.8	5.71	3.22
Leisure and hospitality	11.81	3.3	36.65	3.3	9.66	3.71
Accommodation and food services	15.67	3.4	51.97	3.4	12.23	4.13
Other services	13.51	4.3	37.46	4.3	13.89	6.61
1 to 99 workers	3.70	1.0	7.21	1.0	3.17	1.80
1 to 49 workers	4.33	1.2	8.68	1.2	4.13	2.46
50 to 99 workers	5.67	1.7	12.48	1.7	5.03	2.64
100 workers or more	3.20	0.6	14.27	0.6	2.51	1.19
100 to 499 workers	3.32	0.8	11.01	0.8	3.28	1.59
500 workers or more	4.83	0.8	23.34	0.8	3.63	1.59
Geographic areas						
New England	5.58	1.2	18.50	1.2	7.42	5.97
Middle Atlantic	8.70	2.2	18.71	2.2	5.80	2.02
East North Central	5.99	1.1	14.48	1.1	5.93	2.26
West North Central	6.77	1.4	25.58	1.4	6.48	3.22
South Atlantic	3.31	1.3	11.78	1.3	3.01	2.08
East South Central	7.70	2.7	18.21	2.7	8.19	2.88
West South Central	8.67	1.5	18.67	1.5	7.40	3.07
Mountain	9.68	2.3	20.01	2.3	10.63	3.53
Pacific	6.30	2.0	14.80	2.0	4.50	2.54

¹ The categories are based on the average wage for each occupation surveyed, which may include workers with earnings both above and below the threshold. The average wages are based on the estimates published in the "National Compensation Survey: Occupational Earnings in the United States, 2010." See Technical Note

for more details.

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