Table C-7a. Age-adjusted percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and age-adjusted percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic                     | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years | place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years<br>with a<br>usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some<br>other<br>place <sup>1</sup> |
|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Total                                       | 100.0                                       | 3.5 (0.19)                              | 96.5 (0.19)                                       | 100.0  | 73.0 (0.64)                               | 25.0 (0.61)                                | 0.6 (0.09)                                 | 1.0 (0.14)  | 0.4 (0.09)                          |
| Sex   |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| Male  | 100.0                                       | 3.7 (0.28)                              | 96.3 (0.28)                                       | 100.0  | 72.3 (0.83)                               | 25.7 (0.79)                                | 0.6 (0.14)                                 | 1.1 (0.19)  | 0.3 (0.08)                          |
| Female                                      | 100.0                                       | 3.2 (0.27)                              | 96.8 (0.27)                                       | 100.0  | 73.8 (0.76)                               | 24.3 (0.75)                                | 0.6 (0.13)                                 | 0.9 (0.16)  | *0.4 (0.17)                         |
| Age   |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| 0-4 years                                   | 100.0                                       | 2.0 (0.28)                              | 98.0 (0.28)                                       | 100.0  | 74.0 (0.97)                               | 24.2 (0.95)                                | *0.5 (0.17)                                | 1.1 (0.21)  | *0.1 (0.04)                         |
| 5-11 years                                  | 100.0                                       | 3.3 (0.33)                              | 96.7 (0.33)                                       | 100.0  | 72.8 (0.89)                               | 25.2 (0.87)                                | 0.6 (0.17)                                 | 0.9 (0.21)  | *0.5 (0.22)                         |
| 12-17 years                                 | 100.0                                       | 4.8 (0.36)                              | 95.2 (0.36)                                       | 100.0  | 72.5 (0.94)                               | 25.5 (0.91)                                | 0.7 (0.14)                                 | 1.0 (0.22)  | 0.4 (0.10)                          |
| Race  |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| One race <sup>2</sup>                       | 100.0                                       | 3.5 (0.20)                              | 96.5 (0.20)                                       | 100.0  | 72.8 (0.66)                               | 25.3 (0.63)                                | 0.6 (0.10)                                 | 1.0 (0.14)  | 0.4 (0.10)                          |
| White                                       | 100.0                                       | 3.7 (0.24)                              | 96.3 (0.24)                                       | 100.0  | 73.5 (0.75)                               | 25.0 (0.74)                                | 0.4 (0.07)                                 | 0.7 (0.12)  | 0.4 (0.12)                          |
| Black or African American                   | 100.0                                       | 2.2 (0.36)                              | 97.8 (0.36)                                       | 100.0  | 70.5 (1.46)                               | 25.8 (1.33)                                | 1.7 (0.46)                                 | 1.9 (0.41)  | *                                   |
| American Indian or Alaska Native            | 100.0                                       | *5.3 (2.32)                             | 94.7 (2.32)                                       | 100.0  | 39.1 (5.66)                               | 51.0 (6.63)                                | *  | *   | -                                   |
| Asian                                       | 100.0                                       | 4.0 (0.75)                              | 96.0 (0.75)                                       | 100.0  | 75.6 (2.02)                               | 22.8 (1.96)                                | *  | *0.8 (0.32)                                       | *                                   |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander   | 100.0                                       | *                                       | 86.9 (7.40)                                       | 100.0  | 63.5 (7.80)                               | 33.5 (6.93)                                | -  | -   | *                                   |
| Two or more races <sup>3</sup>              | 100.0                                       | 2.8 (0.69)                              | 97.2 (0.69)                                       | 100.0  | 77.5 (2.23)                               | 20.4 (2.19)                                | *0.6 (0.29)                                | *1.5 (0.65)                                       | -                                   |
| Black or African American and white         | 100.0                                       | *3.6 (1.30)                             | 96.4 (1.30)                                       | 100.0  | 81.2 (3.18)                               | 18.4 (3.17)                                | *  | -   | -                                   |
| American Indian or Alaska Native and white  | 100.0                                       | *                                       | 98.8 (1.14)                                       | 100.0  | 64.1 (5.68)                               | 30.3 (5.95)                                | -  | *5.7 (2.78)                                       | -                                   |
| Hispanic or Latino origin⁴ and race         |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| Hispanic or Latino                          | 100.0                                       | 6.2 (0.45)                              | 93.8 (0.45)                                       | 100.0  | 55.2 (1.30)                               | 42.3 (1.31)                                | 0.8 (0.17)                                 | 1.5 (0.25)  | *0.2 (0.07)                         |
| Mexican or Mexican American                 | 100.0                                       | 6.5 (0.57)                              | 93.5 (0.57)                                       | 100.0  | 52.3 (1.60)                               | 46.0 (1.60)                                | *0.6 (0.18)                                | 1.0 (0.28)  | *                                   |
| Not Hispanic or Latino                      | 100.0                                       | 2.6 (0.21)                              | 97.4 (0.21)                                       | 100.0  | 78.5 (0.67)                               | 19.7 (0.62)                                | 0.6 (0.11)                                 | 0.8 (0.16)  | 0.4 (0.12)                          |
| White, single race                          | 100.0                                       | 2.6 (0.27)                              | 97.4 (0.27)                                       | 100.0  | 81.1 (0.79)                               | 17.7 (0.75)                                | *0.2 (0.07)                                | 0.4 (0.12)  | *0.5 (0.17)                         |
| Black or African American only, single race | 100.0                                       | 2.2 (0.37)                              | 97.8 (0.37)                                       | 100.0  | 71.0 (1.50)                               | 25.2 (1.35)                                | 1.8 (0.49)                                 | 2.0 (0.43)  | *                                   |

Table C-7a. Age-adjusted percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and age-adjusted percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

|   |                 |                    |                          | All<br>children |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
|---|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
|   |                 |                    |                          | under           |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
|   |                 |                    |                          | age 18          |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
|   | All             | Does not           |                          | years<br>with a |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
|   | children        |                    |                          | usual           |                       |                     |                    |                         | _                  |
|   | under           | place of<br>health | Has usual place of       | place of        | Doctor's<br>office or | Clinic or<br>health | Hospital emergency | Hospital outpatient     | Some<br>other      |
| Selected characteristic                 | age 18<br>years | care <sup>1</sup>  | health care <sup>1</sup> | health<br>care  | HMO <sup>1</sup>      | center <sup>1</sup> | room <sup>1</sup>  | department <sup>1</sup> | place <sup>1</sup> |
| Family structure <sup>5</sup>           |                 |                    |                          |                 |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
| Mother and father                       | 100.0           | 3.3 (0.23)         | 96.7 (0.23)              | 100.0           | 74.8 (0.74)           | 23.6 (0.72)         | 0.4 (0.08)         | 0.9 (0.13)              | *0.4 (0.13)        |
| Mother, no father                       | 100.0           | 3.5 (0.39)         | 96.5 (0.39)              | 100.0           | 68.7 (1.07)           | 28.6 (1.02)         | 1.2 (0.29)         |                         | *0.2 (0.08)        |
| Father, no mother                       | 100.0           | 6.0 (1.29)         | 94.0 (1.29)              | 100.0           | 72.3 (2.68)           | 25.7 (2.63)         | *                  | *                       | *                  |
| Neither mother nor father               | 100.0           | 4.4 (1.08)         | 95.6 (1.08)              | 100.0           | 67.2 (3.24)           | 29.6 (3.09)         | *                  | *                       | *                  |
| Parent's education <sup>6</sup>         |                 |                    |                          |                 |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
| Less than high school diploma           | 100.0           | 8.1 (0.83)         | 91.9 (0.83)              | 100.0           | 47.5 (1.82)           | 49.8 (1.83)         | 1.2 (0.32)         | 1.2 (0.30)              | *                  |
| High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup> | 100.0           | 4.2 (0.51)         | 95.8 (0.51)              | 100.0           | 65.1 (1.29)           | 32.2 (1.25)         | 1.4 (0.32)         | 1.0 (0.26)              | *                  |
| More than high school                   | 100.0           | 2.4 (0.20)         | 97.6 (0.20)              | 100.0           | 79.7 (0.67)           | 18.8 (0.65)         | *0.3 (0.09)        | 0.9 (0.16)              | *0.4 (0.12)        |
| Family income <sup>8</sup>              |                 |                    |                          |                 |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
| Less than \$35,000                      | 100.0           | 5.4 (0.45)         | 94.6 (0.45)              | 100.0           | 59.8 (1.15)           | 37.4 (1.13)         | 1.1 (0.20)         | 1.4 (0.26)              | *0.3 (0.10)        |
| \$35,000 or more                        | 100.0           | 2.5 (0.19)         | 97.5 (0.19)              | 100.0           | 79.0 (0.68)           | 19.4 (0.64)         | 0.4 (0.11)         | 0.8 (0.14)              | *0.4 (0.14)        |
| \$35,000-\$49,999                       | 100.0           | 4.4 (0.64)         | 95.6 (0.64)              | 100.0           | 68.2 (1.58)           | 30.1 (1.56)         | *0.5 (0.16)        | *1.0 (0.35)             | *0.2 (0.11)        |
| \$50,000-\$74,999                       | 100.0           | 3.2 (0.40)         | 96.8 (0.40)              | 100.0           | 74.4 (1.42)           | 23.4 (1.28)         | *0.8 (0.38)        | *0.6 (0.18)             | *                  |
| \$75,000-\$99,999                       | 100.0           | 2.1 (0.43)         | 97.9 (0.43)              | 100.0           | 80.9 (1.31)           | 17.6 (1.21)         | *                  | *1.1 (0.42)             | *                  |
| \$100,000 or more                       | 100.0           | 1.4 (0.24)         | 98.6 (0.24)              | 100.0           | 86.5 (0.87)           | 12.5 (0.85)         | *                  | 0.6 (0.17)              | *0.3 (0.09)        |
| Poverty status <sup>9</sup>             |                 |                    |                          |                 |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
| Poor                                    | 100.0           | 5.6 (0.59)         | 94.4 (0.59)              | 100.0           | 57.7 (1.39)           | 39.3 (1.37)         | 1.3 (0.26)         | 1.4 (0.33)              | *0.3 (0.14)        |
| Near poor                               | 100.0           | 4.8 (0.46)         | 95.2 (0.46)              | 100.0           | 64.9 (1.34)           | 32.9 (1.32)         | 0.9 (0.24)         | 0.9 (0.20)              | *0.4 (0.16)        |
| Not poor                                | 100.0           | 2.0 (0.18)         | 98.0 (0.18)              | 100.0           | 82.3 (0.70)           | 16.3 (0.65)         | *0.3 (0.11)        | 0.7 (0.16)              | *0.4 (0.16)        |
| Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup> |                 |                    |                          |                 |                       |                     |                    |                         |                    |
| Private                                 | 100.0           | 1.9 (0.21)         | 98.1 (0.21)              | 100.0           | 84.1 (0.69)           | 14.9 (0.65)         | *                  | 0.5 (0.11)              | *0.4 (0.16)        |
| Medicaid or other public                | 100.0           | 2.4 (0.27)         | 97.6 (0.27)              | 100.0           | 61.2 (1.05)           | 36.4 (1.03)         | 0.9 (0.16)         | 1.3 (0.26)              | *0.2 (0.08)        |
| Other                                   | 100.0           | *2.2 (0.92)        | 97.8 (0.92)              | 100.0           | 62.6 (3.12)           | 31.2 (3.15)         | -                  | *5.7 (1.82)             | *                  |
| Uninsured                               | 100.0           | 22.0 (1.72)        | 78.0 (1.72)              | 100.0           | 50.9 (2.53)           | 43.7 (2.48)         | 2.4 (0.61)         | *1.9 (0.83)             | *                  |

Table C-7a. Age-adjusted percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and age-adjusted percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic          | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years<br>with a<br>usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some<br>other<br>place <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Place of residence <sup>11</sup> |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| Large MSA                        | 100.0                                       | 3.4 (0.27)  | 96.6 (0.27)                                       | 100.0  | 75.1 (0.74)                               | 22.6 (0.72)                                | 0.8 (0.16)                                 | 1.2 (0.18)  | *0.3 (0.16)                         |
| Small MSA                        | 100.0                                       | 3.6 (0.34)  | 96.4 (0.34)                                       | 100.0  | 72.8 (1.29)                               | 25.5 (1.23)                                | 0.4 (0.11)                                 | *0.8 (0.31)                                       | 0.5 (0.13)                          |
| Not in MSA                       | 100.0                                       | 3.3 (0.47)  | 96.7 (0.47)                                       | 100.0  | 65.9 (2.08)                               | 32.9 (1.95)                                | *0.3 (0.12)                                | *0.7 (0.29)                                       | *0.2 (0.07)                         |
| Region                           |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| Northeast                        | 100.0                                       | *1.4 (0.42)   | 98.6 (0.42)                                       | 100.0  | 80.9 (1.20)                               | 17.4 (1.15)                                | *0.3 (0.17)                                | *1.2 (0.39)                                       | *                                   |
| Midwest                          | 100.0                                       | 2.5 (0.33)  | 97.5 (0.33)                                       | 100.0  | 68.4 (1.59)                               | 29.8 (1.52)                                | *0.6 (0.18)                                | 0.8 (0.22)  | *0.4 (0.17)                         |
| South                            | 100.0                                       | 4.2 (0.35)  | 95.8 (0.35)                                       | 100.0  | 76.9 (1.00)                               | 21.2 (0.94)                                | 0.9 (0.19)                                 | 0.7 (0.16)  | *                                   |
| West                             | 100.0                                       | 4.6 (0.42)  | 95.4 (0.42)                                       | 100.0  | 65.8 (1.34)                               | 31.7 (1.31)                                | 0.4 (0.12)                                 | 1.6 (0.44)  | 0.5 (0.14)                          |
| Current health status            |   |   |   |  |   |  |  |   |                                     |
| Excellent or very good           | 100.0                                       | 3.4 (0.21)  | 96.6 (0.21)                                       | 100.0  | 74.6 (0.64)                               | 23.7 (0.61)                                | 0.5 (0.10)                                 | 0.8 (0.12)  | 0.4 (0.11)                          |
| Good                             | 100.0                                       | 4.1 (0.48)  | 95.9 (0.48)                                       | 100.0  | 65.7 (1.59)                               | 31.3 (1.52)                                | 1.2 (0.30)                                 | 1.7 (0.50)  | *0.1 (0.07)                         |
| Fair or poor                     | 100.0                                       | *   | 96.4 (2.00)                                       | 100.0  | 60.3 (4.58)                               | 35.9 (4.48)                                | *  | *3.0 (1.30)                                       | -                                   |

Table C-7a. Age-adjusted percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and age-adjusted percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

|                         |          |                   |                          | All<br>children |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
|                         |          |                   |                          | Ciliulen        |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         |          |                   |                          | under           |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         |          |                   |                          | age 18          |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         |          |                   |                          | years           |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         | All      | Does not          |                          | with a          |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         | children | have usual        |                          | usual           |                  |           |                   |                         |                    |
|                         | under    | place of          | Has usual                | place of        | Doctor's         | Clinic or | Hospital          | Hospital                | Some               |
|                         | age 18   | health            | place of                 | health          | office or        | health    | emergency         | outpatient              | other              |
| Selected characteristic | years    | care <sup>1</sup> | health care <sup>1</sup> | care            | HMO <sup>1</sup> | center1   | room <sup>1</sup> | department <sup>1</sup> | place <sup>1</sup> |

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

Based on the question, "Is there a place that [child's name] USUALLY goes when [he\she] is sick or you need advice about [his\her] health?" and if there was at least one such place, a follow-up question was asked: "What kind of place is it\What kind of place does [child's name] go to most often - clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place?" The response categories for this second question were: "clinic or health center," "doctor's office or HMO," "hospital emergency room," "hospital outpatient department," "some other place," and "doesn't go to one place most often." For this table, children in families that report they do not know the kind of place, do not go to one place most often, or refuse to answer the follow-up question are defined as having an unknown usual place of care and are not shown. Children in families that report the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having a usual place of care. Readers should be aware that estimates in this table may differ from tabular results in both NCHS' Health United States and the National Health Interview Survey Early Release reports because in those reports children in families that identify the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having no usual place of care.

HMO is health maintenance organization.

<sup>2</sup>Refers to children with only a single race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

3Refers to children with more than one race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin. Only two combinations of multiple race groups are shown due to small sample sizes for other combinations

<sup>4</sup>Refers to children who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to children who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

Frefers to parents living in the household. "Mother and father" can include biological, adoptive, step, in-law, or foster relationships. Legal guardians are classified in "Neither mother nor father."

<sup>6</sup>Refers to the education level of the parent with the higher level of education, regardless of that parent's age, provided the parent(s) live(s) in the household.

<sup>8</sup>Includes children in families that reported either dollar amounts or would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

<sup>9</sup>"Poor" children live in families defined as below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" children live in families with incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" children live in families with incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

<sup>10</sup>Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who had only Indian Health Service coverage or had only a private plan that paid for one type of service such as accidents or dental care.

<sup>11</sup>MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Estimates are age adjusted using the projected 2000 U.S. population as the standard population and using age groups 0-4 years, 5-11 years, and 12-17 years. Estimates for age groups are not age-adjusted. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2013.

<sup>-</sup> Quantity zero.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

Table C-7b. Frequency distributions (in thousands) of having a usual place of health care and of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic                         | All children<br>under age<br>18 years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual place of health care <sup>1</sup> | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some other place <sup>1</sup> |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Total   | 73,486                                | 2,550   | 70,874                                      | 51,682                                    | 17,706                                     | 428  | 701   | 249                           |
| Sex   |                                       |   |   |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Male  | 37,531                                | 1,397   | 36,111                                      | 26,071                                    | 9,264                                      | 222  | 380   | 110                           |
| Female  | 35,955                                | 1,152   | 34,763                                      | 25,611                                    | 8,442                                      | 205  | 321   | *139                          |
| Age   |                                       |   |   |   |  |  |   |                               |
| 0-4 years                                       | 19,878                                | 398   | 19,470                                      | 14,396                                    | 4,709                                      | *106                                       | 215   | *17                           |
| 5-11 years                                      | 28,842                                | 953   | 27,863                                      | 20,255                                    | 7,014                                      | 163  | 248   | *142                          |
| 12-17 years                                     | 24,765                                | 1,200   | 23,542                                      | 17,031                                    | 5,982                                      | 158  | 239   | 91                            |
| Race  |                                       |   |   |   |  |  |   |                               |
| One race <sup>2</sup>                           | 70,098                                | 2,456   | 67,580                                      | 49,126                                    | 17,039                                     | 408  | 650   | 249                           |
| White   | 54,682                                | 2,015   | 52,627                                      | 38,648                                    | 13,117                                     | 206  | 353   | 228                           |
| Black or African American                       | 10,847                                | 241   | 10,589                                      | 7,460                                     | 2,718                                      | 176  | 206   | *                             |
| American Indian or Alaska Native                | 804                                   | *43   | 760   | 312                                       | 366  | *  | *   | -                             |
| Asian   | 3,638                                 | 142   | 3,490                                       | 2,649                                     | 787  | *  | *30   | *                             |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander       | 127                                   | *   | *112  | *58                                       | *  | -  | -   | *                             |
| Two or more races <sup>3</sup>                  | 3,388                                 | 93  | 3,295                                       | 2,556                                     | 667  | *20  | *51   | -                             |
| Black or African American and white             | 1,476                                 | *51   | 1,424                                       | 1,157                                     | 262  | *  | -   | -                             |
| American Indian or Alaska Native and white      | 592                                   | *   | 583   | 369                                       | 179  | -  | *   | -                             |
| Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race |                                       |   |   |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Hispanic or Latino                              | 17,767                                | 1,076   | 16,682                                      | 9,196                                     | 7,038                                      | 128  | 246   | *29                           |
| Mexican or Mexican American                     | 12,289                                | 781   | 11,501                                      | 6,012                                     | 5,275                                      | *71  | 112   | *                             |
| Not Hispanic or Latino                          | 55,718                                | 1,474   | 54,193                                      | 42,487                                    | 10,668                                     | 300  | 455   | 220                           |
| White, single race                              | 38,876                                | 1,040   | 37,806                                      | 30,626                                    | 6,689                                      | *87  | 148   | *206                          |
| Black or African American only, single race     | 10,065                                | 217   | 9,831                                       | 6,973                                     | 2,466                                      | 176  | 192   | *                             |

Table C-7b. Frequency distributions (in thousands) of having a usual place of health care and of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic                 | All children<br>under age<br>18 years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some other place <sup>1</sup> |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Family structure <sup>5</sup>           |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Mother and father                       | 51,392                                | 1,660   | 49,706   | 37,149                                    | 11,688                                     | 185  | 432   | *188                          |
| Mother, no father                       | 17,734                                | 641   | 17,070   | 11,674                                    | 4,890                                      | 204  | 224   | *41                           |
| Father, no mother                       | 2,320                                 | 150   | 2,161  | 1,550                                     | 562  | *  | *   | *                             |
| Neither mother nor father               | 2,040                                 | 100   | 1,937  | 1,310                                     | 566  | *  | *   | *                             |
| Parent's education <sup>6</sup>         |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Less than high school diploma           | 8,973                                 | 725   | 8,231  | 3,919                                     | 4,081                                      | 96   | 97  | *                             |
| High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup> | 13,090                                | 551   | 12,523   | 8,129                                     | 4,030                                      | 183  | 129   | *                             |
| More than high school                   | 49,225                                | 1,160   | 48,046   | 38,230                                    | 8,992                                      | *128                                       | 436   | *180                          |
| Family income <sup>8</sup>              |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Less than \$35,000                      | 22,637                                | 1,175   | 21,446   | 12,845                                    | 7,959                                      | 232  | 301   | *64                           |
| \$35,000 or more                        | 47,116                                | 1,210   | 45,877   | 36,202                                    | 8,915                                      | 176  | 348   | *173                          |
| \$35,000-\$49,999                       | 8,763                                 | 390   | 8,370  | 5,701                                     | 2,522                                      | *41  | *85   | *19                           |
| \$50,000-\$74,999                       | 11,838                                | 378   | 11,443   | 8,482                                     | 2,671                                      | *95  | *65   | *                             |
| \$75,000-\$99,999                       | 9,009                                 | 186   | 8,823  | 7,137                                     | 1,548                                      | *  | *98   | *                             |
| \$100,000 or more                       | 17,506                                | 255   | 17,241   | 14,882                                    | 2,173                                      | *  | 100   | *47                           |
| Poverty status <sup>9</sup>             |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Poor                                    | 15,291                                | 819   | 14,462   | 8,421                                     | 5,604                                      | 184  | 187   | *43                           |
| Near poor                               | 14,761                                | 702   | 14,054   | 9,108                                     | 4,601                                      | 122  | 130   | *57                           |
| Not poor                                | 38,035                                | 775   | 37,245   | 30,626                                    | 6,074                                      | *102                                       | 274   | *143                          |
| Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup> |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Private                                 | 38,817                                | 768   | 38,025   | 31,922                                    | 5,684                                      | *  | 176   | *141                          |
| Medicaid or other public                | 27,750                                | 639   | 27,090   | 16,615                                    | 9,784                                      | 247  | 347   | *60                           |
| Other                                   | 1,914                                 | *41   | 1,873  | 1,177                                     | 583  | -  | *104  | *                             |
| Uninsured                               | 4,777                                 | 1,078   | 3,699  | 1,828                                     | 1,611                                      | 103  | *72   | *                             |

Table C-7b. Frequency distributions (in thousands) of having a usual place of health care and of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic          | All children<br>under age<br>18 years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some other place <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Place of residence <sup>11</sup> |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Large MSA                        | 39,379                                | 1,344   | 37,999   | 28,490                                    | 8,558                                      | 295  | 450   | *126                          |
| Small MSA                        | 23,271                                | 843   | 22,425   | 16,308                                    | 5,711                                      | 97   | *179  | 107                           |
| Not in MSA                       | 10,835                                | 363   | 10,451   | 6,884                                     | 3,437                                      | *36  | *72   | *16                           |
| Region                           |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Northeast                        | 11,547                                | *160  | 11,387   | 9,192                                     | 1,981                                      | *  | *139  | *                             |
| Midwest                          | 16,645                                | 412   | 16,230   | 11,098                                    | 4,838                                      | *91  | 130   | *66                           |
| South                            | 27,932                                | 1,170   | 26,725   | 20,509                                    | 5,654                                      | 225  | 176   | *                             |
| West                             | 17,362                                | 808   | 16,532   | 10,883                                    | 5,233                                      | 73   | 257   | 81                            |
| Current health status            |                                       |   |  |   |  |  |   |                               |
| Excellent or very good           | 61,702                                | 2,068   | 59,583   | 44,371                                    | 14,096                                     | 301  | 486   | 235                           |
| Good                             | 10,232                                | 429   | 9,801  | 6,428                                     | 3,059                                      | 117  | 169   | *14                           |
| Fair or poor                     | 1,542                                 | *   | 1,480  | 883                                       | 540  | *  | *46   | -                             |

Table C-7b. Frequency distributions (in thousands) of having a usual place of health care and of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

|                         |                                       | Does not have usual                     | Has usual                               |   |  |  |   |                               |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|--|--|---|-------------------------------|
| Selected characteristic | All children<br>under age<br>18 years | place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health<br>center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital outpatient department <sup>1</sup> | Some other place <sup>1</sup> |

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

Based on the question, "Is there a place that [child's name] USUALLY goes when [he\she] is sick or you need advice about [his\her] health?" and if there was at least one such place, a follow-up question was asked: "What kind of place is it\What kind of place does [child's name] go to most often - clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place?" The response categories for this second question were: "clinic or health center," "doctor's office or HMO," "hospital emergency room," "hospital outpatient department," some other place," and "doesn't go to one place most often. For this table, children in families that report they do not know the kind of place, do not go to one place most often, or refuse to answer the follow-up question are defined as having an unknown usual place of care and are not shown. Children in families that report the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having a usual place of care. Readers should be aware that estimates in this table may differ from tabular results in both NCHS' Health United States and the National Health Interview Survey Early Release reports because in those reports children in families that identify the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having no usual place of care.

HMO is health maintenance organization.

<sup>2</sup>Refers to children with only a single race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

<sup>3</sup>Refers to children with more than one race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin. Only two combinations of multiple race groups are shown due to small sample sizes for other combinations.

<sup>4</sup>Refers to children who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to children who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

<sup>5</sup>Refers to parents living in the household. "Mother and father" can include biological, adoptive, step, in-law, or foster relationships. Legal guardians are classified in "Neither mother nor father"

<sup>6</sup>Refers to the education level of the parent with the higher level of education, regardless of that parent's age, provided the parent(s) live(s) in the household.

<sup>7</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma

<sup>8</sup>Includes children in families that reported either dollar amounts or would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

<sup>9</sup>"Poor" children live in families defined as below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" children live in families with incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" children live in families with incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

<sup>10</sup>Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who had only Indian Health Service coverage or had only a private plan that paid for one type of service such as accidents or dental care.

11 MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Estimates of "All children under 18 years" in this table differ slightly from estimates of "All children under 18 years" in the other detailed tables that were based on the Person File and were weighted using the Person weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the frequencies, but they are included in the "All children under 18 years" column. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey, 2015. Available from: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm.

<sup>-</sup> Quantity zero

Table C-7c. Crude percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and crude percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic  | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | All<br>children<br>under age<br>18 years<br>with a<br>usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital outpatient department <sup>1</sup> | Some<br>other<br>place <sup>1</sup> |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Total  | 100.0                                       | 3.5 (0.19)  | 96.5 (0.19)                                       | 100.0   | 73.0 (0.64)                               | 25.0 (0.61)                             | 0.6 (0.09)                                 | 1.0 (0.14)                                  | 0.4 (0.09)                          |
| Sex  |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Male   | 100.0                                       | 3.7 (0.28)  | 96.3 (0.28)                                       | 100.0   | 72.3 (0.83)                               | 25.7 (0.79)                             | 0.6 (0.14)                                 | 1.1 (0.19)                                  | 0.3 (0.08)                          |
| Female   | 100.0                                       | 3.2 (0.27)  | 96.8 (0.27)                                       | 100.0   | 73.8 (0.76)                               | 24.3 (0.75)                             | 0.6 (0.13)                                 | 0.9 (0.16)                                  | *0.4 (0.17)                         |
| Age  |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| 0-4 years  | 100.0                                       | 2.0 (0.28)  | 98.0 (0.28)                                       | 100.0   | 74.0 (0.97)                               | 24.2 (0.95)                             | *0.5 (0.17)                                | 1.1 (0.21)                                  | *0.1 (0.04)                         |
| 5-11 years   | 100.0                                       | 3.3 (0.33)  | 96.7 (0.33)                                       | 100.0   | 72.8 (0.89)                               | 25.2 (0.87)                             | 0.6 (0.17)                                 | 0.9 (0.21)                                  | *0.5 (0.22)                         |
| 12-17 years  | 100.0                                       | 4.8 (0.36)  | 95.2 (0.36)                                       | 100.0   | 72.5 (0.94)                               | 25.5 (0.91)                             | 0.7 (0.14)                                 | 1.0 (0.22)                                  | 0.4 (0.10)                          |
| Race   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| One race <sup>2</sup>  | 100.0                                       | 3.5 (0.20)  | 96.5 (0.20)                                       | 100.0   | 72.8 (0.66)                               | 25.3 (0.63)                             | 0.6 (0.10)                                 | 1.0 (0.14)                                  | 0.4 (0.10)                          |
| White  | 100.0                                       | 3.7 (0.24)  | 96.3 (0.24)                                       | 100.0   | 73.5 (0.75)                               | 25.0 (0.74)                             | 0.4 (0.07)                                 | 0.7 (0.12)                                  | 0.4 (0.12)                          |
| Black or African American  | 100.0                                       | 2.2 (0.35)  | 97.8 (0.35)                                       | 100.0   | 70.6 (1.47)                               | 25.7 (1.33)                             | 1.7 (0.46)                                 | 1.9 (0.41)                                  | *                                   |
| American Indian or Alaska Native                                     | 100.0                                       | *5.4 (2.38)   | 94.6 (2.38)                                       | 100.0   | 41.7 (6.20)                               | 49.0 (6.57)                             | *  | *   | -                                   |
| Asian  | 100.0                                       | 3.9 (0.75)  | 96.1 (0.75)                                       | 100.0   | 75.9 (2.02)                               | 22.5 (1.96)                             | *  | *0.8 (0.34)                                 | *                                   |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific<br>Islander                         | 100.0                                       | *   | 88.4 (6.39)                                       | 100.0   | *51.9 (16.89)                             | *45.8 (17.08)                           | -  | -   | *                                   |
| Two or more races <sup>3</sup>                                       | 100.0                                       | 2.7 (0.68)  | 97.3 (0.68)                                       | 100.0   | 77.6 (2.25)                               | 20.3 (2.18)                             | *0.6 (0.28)                                | *1.6 (0.67)                                 | -                                   |
| Black or African American and white                                  | 100.0                                       | *3.5 (1.24)   | 96.5 (1.24)                                       | 100.0   | 81.2 (3.17)                               | 18.4 (3.16)                             | *  | -   | -                                   |
| American Indian or Alaska Native and white                           | 100.0                                       | *   | 98.6 (1.35)                                       | 100.0   | 63.2 (6.31)                               | 30.7 (6.35)                             | -  | *   | -                                   |
| Hispanic or Latino origin <sup>4</sup> and race                      |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Hispanic or Latino   | 100.0                                       | 6.1 (0.45)  | 93.9 (0.45)                                       | 100.0   | 55.3 (1.31)                               | 42.3 (1.31)                             | 0.8 (0.18)                                 | 1.5 (0.25)                                  | *0.2 (0.07)                         |
| Mexican or Mexican American  | 100.0                                       | 6.4 (0.56)  | 93.6 (0.56)                                       | 100.0   | 52.4 (1.61)                               | 45.9 (1.61)                             | *0.6 (0.19)                                | 1.0 (0.27)                                  | *                                   |
| Not Hispanic or Latino   | 100.0                                       | 2.6 (0.21)  | 97.4 (0.21)                                       | 100.0   | 78.5 (0.67)                               | 19.7 (0.62)                             | 0.6 (0.11)                                 | 0.8 (0.16)                                  | 0.4 (0.12)                          |
| White, single race<br>Black or African American only, single<br>race | 100.0<br>100.0                              | 2.7 (0.27)<br>2.2 (0.37)  | 97.3 (0.27)<br>97.8 (0.37)                        | 100.0<br>100.0  | 81.1 (0.78)<br>71.0 (1.51)                | 17.7 (0.75)<br>25.1 (1.36)              | *0.2 (0.07)<br>1.8 (0.49)                  | 0.4 (0.11)<br>2.0 (0.43)                    | *0.5 (0.17)                         |

Table C-7c. Crude percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and crude percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic                 | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | All children under age 18 years with a usual place of health care | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some<br>other<br>place <sup>1</sup> |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Family structure <sup>5</sup>           |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   | _                                   |
| Mother and father                       | 100.0                                       | 3.2 (0.23)  | 96.8 (0.23)                                       | 100.0   | 74.8 (0.74)                               | 23.5 (0.72)                             | 0.4 (0.08)                                 | 0.9 (0.13)  | *0.4 (0.13)                         |
| Mother, no father                       | 100.0                                       | 3.6 (0.39)  | 96.4 (0.39)                                       | 100.0   | 68.5 (1.08)                               | 28.7 (1.03)                             | 1.2 (0.29)                                 | 1.3 (0.34)  | *0.2 (0.09)                         |
| Father, no mother                       | 100.0                                       | 6.5 (1.24)  | 93.5 (1.24)                                       | 100.0   | 71.9 (2.55)                               | 26.1 (2.50)                             | *  | *   | *                                   |
| Neither mother nor father               | 100.0                                       | 4.9 (1.17)  | 95.1 (1.17)                                       | 100.0   | 67.6 (3.14)                               | 29.2 (2.99)                             | *  | *   | *                                   |
| Parent's education <sup>6</sup>         |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Less than high school diploma           | 100.0                                       | 8.1 (0.83)  | 91.9 (0.83)                                       | 100.0   | 47.6 (1.83)                               | 49.6 (1.83)                             | 1.2 (0.32)                                 | 1.2 (0.29)  | *                                   |
| High school diploma or GED <sup>7</sup> | 100.0                                       | 4.2 (0.50)  | 95.8 (0.50)                                       | 100.0   | 65.0 (1.29)                               | 32.2 (1.25)                             | 1.5 (0.33)                                 | 1.0 (0.27)  | *                                   |
| More than high school                   | 100.0                                       | 2.4 (0.20)  | 97.6 (0.20)                                       | 100.0   | 79.7 (0.67)                               | 18.7 (0.65)                             | *0.3 (0.09)                                | 0.9 (0.16)  | *0.4 (0.12)                         |
| Family income <sup>8</sup>              |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Less than \$35,000                      | 100.0                                       | 5.2 (0.43)  | 94.8 (0.43)                                       | 100.0   | 60.0 (1.14)                               | 37.2 (1.12)                             | 1.1 (0.20)                                 | 1.4 (0.25)  | *0.3 (0.10)                         |
| \$35,000 or more                        | 100.0                                       | 2.6 (0.20)  | 97.4 (0.20)                                       | 100.0   | 79.0 (0.68)                               | 19.5 (0.64)                             | 0.4 (0.11)                                 | 0.8 (0.14)  | *0.4 (0.13)                         |
| \$35,000-\$49,999                       | 100.0                                       | 4.5 (0.65)  | 95.5 (0.65)                                       | 100.0   | 68.1 (1.59)                               | 30.1 (1.56)                             | *0.5 (0.17)                                | *1.0 (0.35)                                       | *0.2 (0.11)                         |
| \$50,000-\$74,999                       | 100.0                                       | 3.2 (0.40)  | 96.8 (0.40)                                       | 100.0   | 74.4 (1.43)                               | 23.4 (1.28)                             | *0.8 (0.38)                                | *0.6 (0.17)                                       | *                                   |
| \$75,000-\$99,999                       | 100.0                                       | 2.1 (0.43)  | 97.9 (0.43)                                       | 100.0   | 80.9 (1.31)                               | 17.6 (1.21)                             | *  | *1.1 (0.42)                                       | *                                   |
| \$100,000 or more                       | 100.0                                       | 1.5 (0.25)  | 98.5 (0.25)                                       | 100.0   | 86.4 (0.88)                               | 12.6 (0.86)                             | *  | 0.6 (0.17)  | *0.3 (0.10)                         |
| Poverty status <sup>9</sup>             |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Poor                                    | 100.0                                       | 5.4 (0.57)  | 94.6 (0.57)                                       | 100.0   | 58.3 (1.35)                               | 38.8 (1.33)                             | 1.3 (0.26)                                 | 1.3 (0.30)  | *0.3 (0.14)                         |
| Near poor                               | 100.0                                       | 4.8 (0.46)  | 95.2 (0.46)                                       | 100.0   | 65.0 (1.34)                               | 32.8 (1.32)                             | 0.9 (0.23)                                 | 0.9 (0.20)  | *0.4 (0.16)                         |
| Not poor                                | 100.0                                       | 2.0 (0.18)  | 98.0 (0.18)                                       | 100.0   | 82.3 (0.70)                               | 16.3 (0.65)                             | *0.3 (0.11)                                | 0.7 (0.16)  | *0.4 (0.16)                         |
| Health insurance coverage <sup>10</sup> |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Private                                 | 100.0                                       | 2.0 (0.21)  | 98.0 (0.21)                                       | 100.0   | 84.0 (0.69)                               | 15.0 (0.65)                             | *  | 0.5 (0.10)  | *0.4 (0.15)                         |
| Medicaid or other public                | 100.0                                       | 2.3 (0.26)  | 97.7 (0.26)                                       | 100.0   | 61.4 (1.04)                               | 36.2 (1.01)                             | 0.9 (0.17)                                 | 1.3 (0.25)  | *0.2 (0.08)                         |
| Other                                   | 100.0                                       | *2.2 (0.88)   | 97.8 (0.88)                                       | 100.0   | 62.8 (3.16)                               | 31.1 (3.13)                             | -  | *5.6 (1.74)                                       | *                                   |
| Uninsured                               | 100.0                                       | 22.6 (1.66)   | 77.4 (1.66)                                       | 100.0   | 50.1 (2.51)                               | 44.1 (2.45)                             | 2.8 (0.75)                                 | *2.0 (0.84)                                       | *                                   |
|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |

Table C-7c. Crude percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and crude percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

| Selected characteristic          | All<br>children<br>under<br>age 18<br>years | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of<br>health<br>care <sup>1</sup> | Has usual<br>place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | All children under age 18 years with a usual place of health care | Doctor's<br>office or<br>HMO <sup>1</sup> | Clinic or<br>health center <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | Hospital<br>outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | Some<br>other<br>place <sup>1</sup> |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Place of residence <sup>11</sup> |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Large MSA                        | 100.0                                       | 3.4 (0.27)  | 96.6 (0.27)                                       | 100.0   | 75.1 (0.74)                               | 22.6 (0.72)                             | 0.8 (0.15)                                 | 1.2 (0.18)  | *0.3 (0.15)                         |
| Small MSA                        | 100.0                                       | 3.6 (0.34)  | 96.4 (0.34)                                       | 100.0   | 72.8 (1.29)                               | 25.5 (1.23)                             | 0.4 (0.11)                                 | *0.8 (0.31)                                       | 0.5 (0.13)                          |
| Not in MSA                       | 100.0                                       | 3.4 (0.46)  | 96.6 (0.46)                                       | 100.0   | 65.9 (2.08)                               | 32.9 (1.95)                             | *0.3 (0.12)                                | *0.7 (0.29)                                       | *0.2 (0.07)                         |
| Region                           |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Northeast                        | 100.0                                       | 1.4 (0.42)  | 98.6 (0.42)                                       | 100.0   | 80.9 (1.20)                               | 17.4 (1.15)                             | *0.3 (0.17)                                | *1.2 (0.38)                                       | *                                   |
| Midwest                          | 100.0                                       | 2.5 (0.33)  | 97.5 (0.33)                                       | 100.0   | 68.4 (1.60)                               | 29.8 (1.52)                             | *0.6 (0.18)                                | 0.8 (0.22)  | *0.4 (0.17)                         |
| South                            | 100.0                                       | 4.2 (0.34)  | 95.8 (0.34)                                       | 100.0   | 76.9 (0.99)                               | 21.2 (0.94)                             | 0.8 (0.19)                                 | 0.7 (0.16)  | *                                   |
| West                             | 100.0                                       | 4.7 (0.42)  | 95.3 (0.42)                                       | 100.0   | 65.8 (1.34)                               | 31.7 (1.31)                             | 0.4 (0.12)                                 | 1.6 (0.44)  | 0.5 (0.14)                          |
| Current health status            |   |   |   |   |   |   |  |   |                                     |
| Excellent or very good           | 100.0                                       | 3.4 (0.21)  | 96.6 (0.21)                                       | 100.0   | 74.6 (0.63)                               | 23.7 (0.61)                             | 0.5 (0.10)                                 | 0.8 (0.12)  | 0.4 (0.11)                          |
| Good                             | 100.0                                       | 4.2 (0.49)  | 95.8 (0.49)                                       | 100.0   | 65.7 (1.58)                               | 31.3 (1.51)                             | 1.2 (0.30)                                 | 1.7 (0.50)  | *0.1 (0.07)                         |
| Fair or poor                     | 100.0                                       | *   | 96.6 (1.92)                                       | 100.0   | 59.7 (4.54)                               | 36.5 (4.46)                             | *  | *3.1 (1.33)                                       | -                                   |

Table C-7c. Crude percentages (with standard errors) of having a usual place of health care, and crude percent distributions of type of place, for children under age 18 years, by selected characteristics: United States, 2013

|                             | All<br>children<br>under | Does not<br>have usual<br>place of | Has usual                            | All<br>children<br>under age<br>18 years<br>with a<br>usual | Doctor's  |   | Hospital                       | Hospital                              | Some  |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Only standark and standards | age 18                   | health                             | place of<br>health care <sup>1</sup> | place of<br>health  | office or | Clinic or<br>health center <sup>1</sup> | emergency<br>room <sup>1</sup> | outpatient<br>department <sup>1</sup> | other |
| Selected characteristic     | years                    | care'                              | Health Care                          | care  | TIIVIO    | Health Center                           | 100111                         | иераннени                             | place |

<sup>\*</sup> Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

Based on the question, "Is there a place that [child's name] USUALLY goes when [he\she] is sick or you need advice about [his\her] health?" and if there was at least one such place, a follow-up question was asked: "What kind of place is it\What kind of place does [child's name] go to most often - clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place?" The response categories for this second question were: "clinic or health center," "doctor's office or HMO," "hospital emergency room," "hospital outpatient department," "some other place," and "doesn't go to one place most often." For this table, children in families that report they do not know the kind of place, do not go to one place most often, or refuse to answer the follow-up question are defined as having an unknown usual place of care and are not shown. Children in families that report the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having a usual place of care. Readers should be aware that estimates in this table may differ from tabular results in both NCHS' Health United States and the National Health Interview Survey Early Release reports because in those reports children in families that identify the emergency department as their usual place of care are defined as having no usual place of care.

HMO is health maintenance organization.

<sup>2</sup>Refers to children with only a single race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

<sup>3</sup>Refers to children with more than one race group indicated, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin. Only two combinations of multiple race groups are shown due to small sample sizes for other combinations.

<sup>4</sup>Refers to children who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to children who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

<sup>5</sup>Refers to parents living in the household. "Mother and father" can include biological, adoptive, step, in-law, or foster relationships. Legal guardians are classified in "Neither mother nor father."

<sup>6</sup>Refers to the education level of the parent with the higher level of education, regardless of that parent's age, provided the parent(s) live(s) in the household.

<sup>7</sup>GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

<sup>8</sup>Includes children in families that reported either dollar amounts or would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

<sup>9</sup>"Poor" children live in families defined as below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" children live in families with incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" children live in families with incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

<sup>10</sup>Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Children with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes children who had no coverage as well as those who had only Indian Health Service coverage or had only a private plan that paid for one type of service such as accidents or dental care.

<sup>11</sup>MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on responses about the sample child, not all children in the family. Data came from the Sample Child File and were weighted using the Sample Child weight. Estimates of "All children under 18 years" in this table differ slightly from estimates of "All children under 18 years" in the other detailed tables that were based on the Person File and were weighted using the Person weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating percentages. Percentages may not add to totals due to rounding. "Total" includes children of other races not shown separately and children with unknown family structure, parent's education, family income, poverty status, health insurance, or current health status. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm). Suggested citation: Bloom B, Black LI, Freeman G. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Children: 2013 National Health Interview Survey. 2015. Available from: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2013.

<sup>-</sup> Quantity zero.