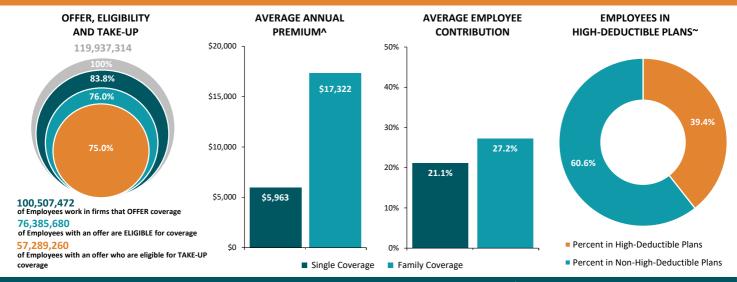


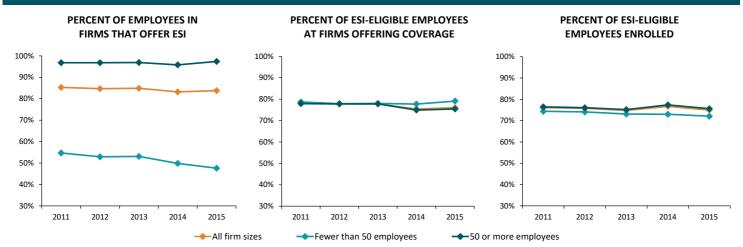
STATE-LEVEL TRENDS IN EMPLOYER-SPONSORED HEALTH INSURANCE (ESI), 2011 TO 2015

UNITED STATES

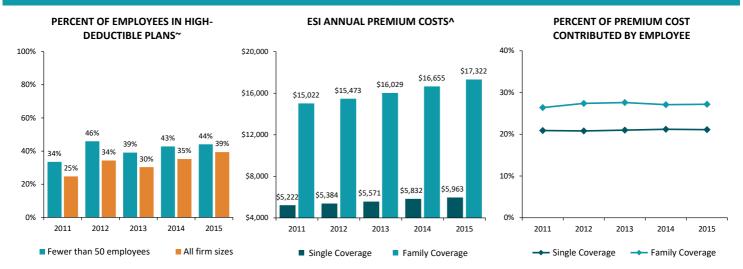
EMPLOYER-SPONSORED INSURANCE IN 2015 (PRIVATE SECTOR EMPLOYEES)



TRENDS IN EMPLOYEE ACCESS TO ESI 2011 TO 2015



TRENDS IN ESI COSTS, 2011 TO 2015



UNITED STATES

TRENDS IN ESI OFFER. 2011 TO 2015 '						
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	Test
Percent of Employers Offering ESI						
Fewer than 50 employees	35.7%	35.2%	34.8%	32.2%	29.4%	*
50 or more employees	95.7%	95.9%	95.7%	94.8%	96.0%	*
All firm sizes	51.0%	50.1%	49.9%	47.5%	45.7%	*
TRENDS IN EMPLOYEE ACCESS TO ESI, 2011 TO 2015						
Percent of Employees in Firms that Offer ESI						
Fewer than 50 employees	54.7%	52.9%	53.1%	49.8%	47.6%	*
50 or more employees	96.8%	96.8%	96.9%	95.8%	97.4%	*
All firm sizes	85.3%	84.7%	84.9%	83.2%	83.8%	
Percent of Employees Eligible for ESI at Firms Offering Coverage						
Fewer than 50 employees	78.7%	77.9%	78.0%	77.7%	79.1%	
50 or more employees	77.9%	77.8%	77.8%	74.9%	75.4%	
All firm sizes	78.0%	77.8%	77.8%	75.4%	76.0%	
Percent of ESI-Eligible Employees Enrolled						
Fewer than 50 employees	74.4%	74.1%	73.1%	73.0%	72.1%	
50 or more employees	76.5%	76.1%	75.2%	77.4%	75.6%	*
All firm sizes	76.1%	75.8%	74.8%	76.7%	75.0%	*
TRENDS IN ESI COSTS, 2011 to 2015 †						
Percent of Employees in High-Deductible Plans~						
Fewer than 50 employees	33.5%	45.9%	39.1%	42.8%	44.1%	
50 or more employees	22.8%	32.1%	28.5%	33.7%	38.5%	*
All firm sizes	24.7%	34.3%	30.3%	35.2%	39.4%	*
ingle Coverage						
Average annual premium^	\$5,222	\$5,384	\$5,571	\$5,832	\$5,963	*
Average employee share	20.9%	20.8%	21.0%	21.2%	21.1%	
amily Coverage					<u>.</u>	
Average annual premium^	\$15,022	\$15,473	\$16,029	\$16,655	\$17,322	*
Average employee share	26.4%	27.4%	27.6%	27.1%	27.2%	

^{*} Significant difference between 2014 and 2015 estimates at the 95% confidence level.

#N/A--Not available due to insufficient sample size.

. Please see www.shadac.org/MEPSESIReport2016 for information on definitions and methods.

Data source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies, Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component 2011-2015

EXPLORING STATE VARIATION 1

To learn more about state variation across ESI indicators, access the 50-state comparison tables at www.shadac.org/MEPSESIReport2016.





[†] All references are to private sector employers and employees.

[^] Average premium prices are not adjusted to account for variation in actuarial value.

[~] For this analysis, high-deductible health plans that meet the minimum deductible amount required for Health Savings Account (HAS) eligibility-\$1,300 for individual and \$2,600 for a family in 2015.