

Table 21. Standard errors for outpatient prescription drug benefits:¹ Brand-name drugs on formulary limits, private industry workers, 2018

Characteristics	Copayment	Median copayment per prescription	Coinsurance	Median coinsurance per prescription	Coinsurance exists and a minimum or maximum dollar amount applies	Combination of copayment and coinsurance or another limit	No cost per fill or refill	Not determinable
Worker characteristics								
All workers	2.1	0	2.1	5	1.5	–	1.0	–
Management, professional, and related	3.4	7	3.3	6	2.4	–	1.0	–
Management, business, and financial	3.3	2	3.6	0	2.7	–	0.8	–
Professional and related	4.8	7	4.4	0	3.2	–	1.6	–
Sales and office	3.1	6	2.9	0	2.3	0.3	0.8	0.6
Sales and related	3.1	6	3.5	0	3.2	–	–	0.3
Office and administrative support	3.9	5	3.6	0	2.8	0.4	0.8	0.9
Full time	2.2	0	2.2	6	1.6	–	0.6	–
Part time	6.5	7	5.7	5	4.6	–	–	0.2
Establishment characteristics								
Service-providing industries	2.7	0	2.6	0	1.9	–	–	0.3
Trade, transportation, and utilities	2.8	6	3.0	0	2.8	0.5	–	–
Information	6.5	4	6.7	0	5.0	–	–	0.2
Financial activities	3.7	2	3.5	0	2.3	–	0.5	–
Education and health services	5.4	6	4.5	5	2.9	–	–	1.0
Educational services	3.4	2	1.7	0	1.5	0.5	–	–
Health care and social assistance	6.2	7	5.3	6	3.4	–	–	1.1
Geographic areas								
Northeast	4.2	3	3.9	5	2.4	–	–	0.4
New England	8.7	5	7.3	7	5.5	–	–	0.1
Middle Atlantic	5.3	1	5.6	5	3.1	0.2	–	–
South	2.4	0	2.7	0	2.1	–	–	0.5
South Atlantic	3.4	0	3.8	2	3.5	–	–	0.9
West South Central	4.5	0	5.0	0	2.1	–	–	0.1
Midwest	2.5	5	2.9	7	3.2	0.5	0.7	0.8
East North Central	2.8	5	3.6	2	4.3	0.4	–	–
West North Central	4.8	2	4.7	0	4.0	–	0.6	–
West:								
Mountain	5.1	5	7.7	0	4.4	–	–	0.8

¹ Outpatient prescription drug benefits include both stand-alone drug plans and prescription drug benefits included as part of a medical plan.

Note: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data do not meet publication criteria. For definitions of major plans, key provisions, and related terms, see the "Glossary of Employee Benefit Terms" at www.bls.gov/ncs/ebs/detailedprovisions/2018/ownership/private/glossary.htm.

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