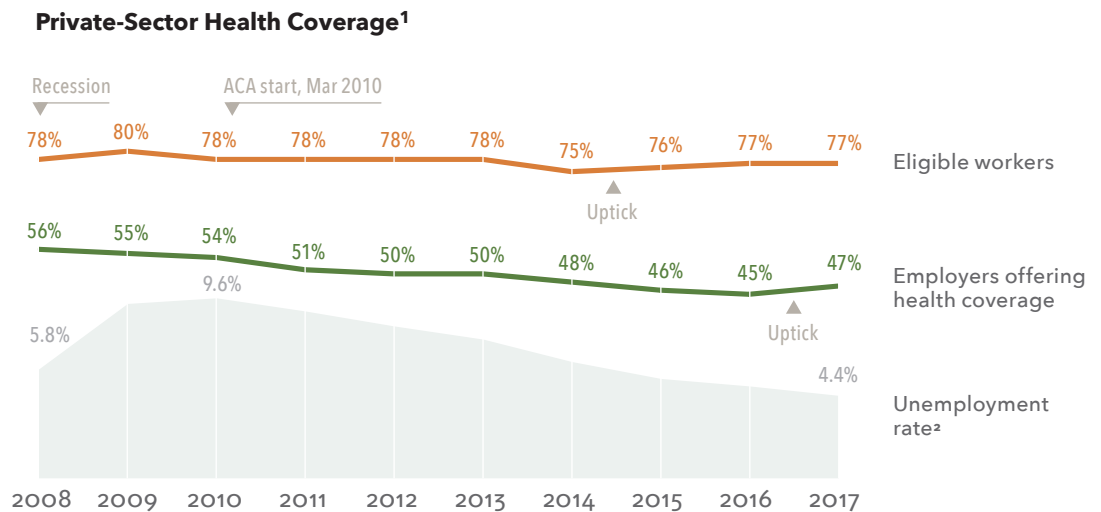


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After Years of Erosion, Employers Increasingly Offer Health Coverage

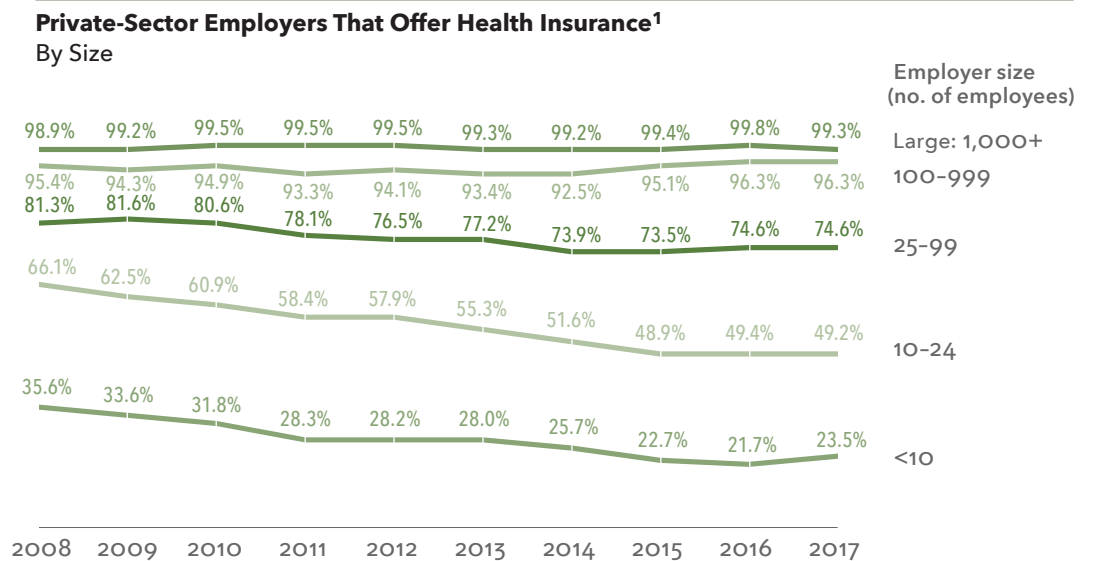
INCREASING COVERAGE,
MORE COVERED

In 2017, the overall percentage of private-sector employers offering health benefits increased for the first time between 2008 and 2017.



ON THE REBOUND

Nearly all large employers continue to offer coverage. The beginning of a rebound appears in companies with fewer than 1,000 employees starting in 2015.



TRENDING UP

Coverage has improved since 2015.

Change in Employers Offering Coverage By Size and Time Period

	All	Employer size (no. of employees)				
		<10	10-24	25-99	100-999	1,000+
2008-2017	-16.8%	-34.0%	-25.6%	-8.2%	-0.9%	+0.4%
2015-2017	+2.6%	+3.5%	+0.6%	+1.5%	+1.3%	-0.1%

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