

*In the past few decades, the U.S. has made strides in improving the number of children with health insurance coverage," said lead author Colin Planalp. "But underneath the headline kids' uninsurance rates, our report found deep disparities across the states and by demographic categories, such as income, race and ethnicity, and by urban and rural communities. Closing those disparities in children's health insurance coverage will be crucial for advancing health equity in the U.S."*