

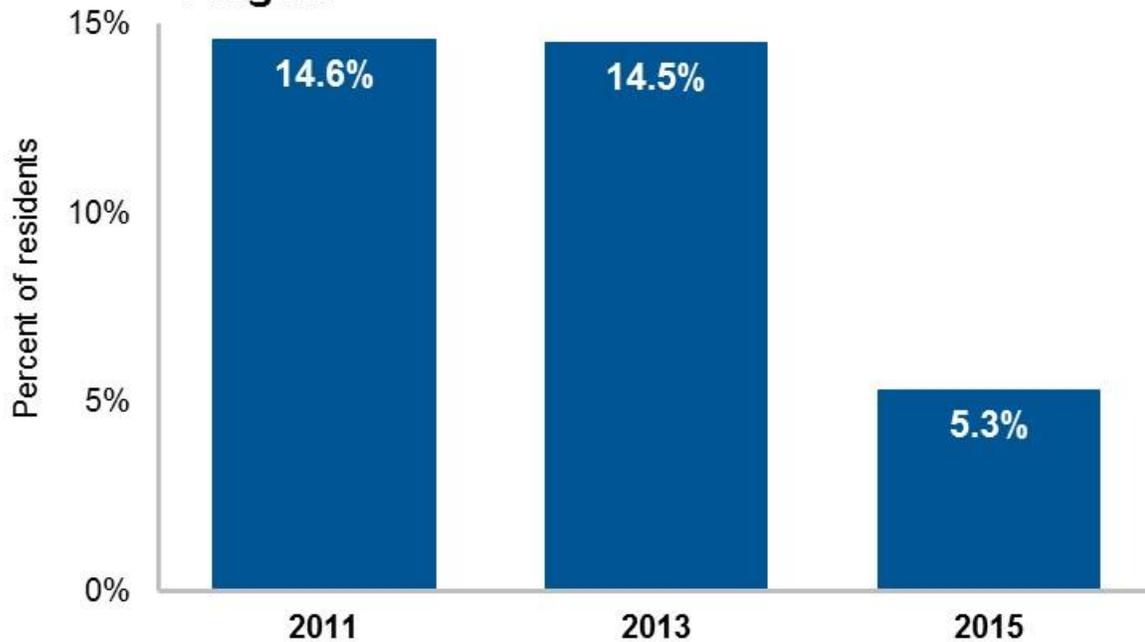
Health Care Access

Lacking health insurance

In 2015, 5.3% of Oregonians reported not currently having health insurance. After the Affordable Care Act (ACA)'s measures to expand health insurance coverage went into effect that figure declined from 14.5% in 2013 (Figure 1).

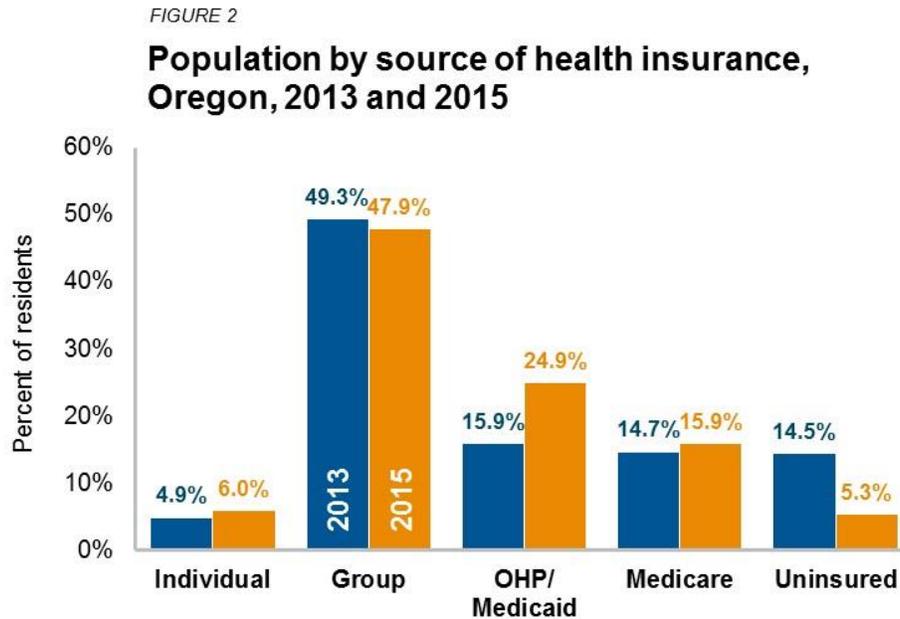
FIGURE 1

Population without health insurance by year, Oregon



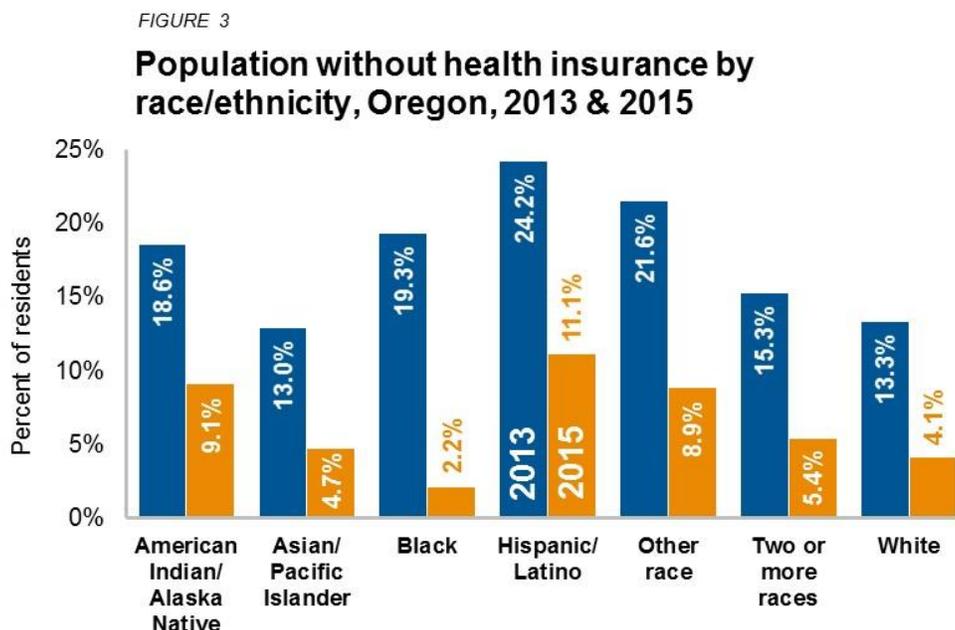
Source: Oregon Health Insurance Survey, Office of Health Analytics

This change is driven by the substantial increase in enrollment in the Oregon Health Plan (OHP; Figure 2).



Source: Oregon Health Insurance Survey, Office of Health Analytics

In 2015, after the Affordable Care Act was implemented, only 2.2% of Black Oregonians lacked health insurance coverage (Figure 3). Increasing access to health care for all residents is an important goal of Oregon’s health systems transformation efforts.



Source: Oregon Health Insurance Survey, Office of Health Analytics

About the Data: The data source is the Oregon Health Insurance Survey (OHIS) by the Oregon Health Authority (OHA). OHIS provides detailed information on the health coverage, access, and utilization of Oregon's residents. For more information on OHIS, visit the Health Insurance Coverage webpage:

<http://www.oregon.gov/oha/analytics/Pages/Insurance-Data.aspx> .

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