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| **Appendix 3.** Correlation between census tract variables and percent of the population with Medicaid coverage | | |
| **Census tract variable** | **Spearman’s rho**  **correlation coefficients** | ***P* value** |
| Percent rural  Percent below poverty | -0.14  0.69 | < 0.001  < 0.001 |
| Percent live alone | 0.23 | < 0.001 |
| Percent single mother | 0.47 | < 0. 001 |
| Percent older than 65 years | -0.10 | < 0.001 |
| Gini coefficient | -0.04 | 0.10 |
| Percent public transportation | 0.24 | < 0.001 |
| Percent insurance coverage | -0.62 | < 0.001 |
| Median household income | -0.79 | < 0.001 |
| Percent black | 0.36 | < 0.001 |
| Percent Hispanic | 0.51 | < 0.001 |