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|---|-------------------------|------------------|---|------|------|-------|-------|----------|-------------------|------|--------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | Head | | Neck | Trunk | | | Upper extremities | | | | |
| | | | Total | Eyes | | Total | Back | Shoulder | Total | Arm | Finger | Hand, except finger | Wrist |
| Local government [206,580 cases] ⁷ | | 194.6 | 12.3 | 3.8 | 2.9 | 59.8 | 33.9 | 13.9 | 31.2 | 8.4 | 8.8 | 5.9 | 6.0 |
| Goods producing⁷ | | 364.5 | 24.4 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 182.4 | 124.6 | 42.9 | 38.2 | 6.0 | 14.2 | 6.8 | 8.1 |
| Construction | | 366.2 | 24.6 | 7.4 | 3.4 | 183.6 | 125.5 | 43.0 | 38.4 | 6.0 | 14.3 | 6.9 | 8.0 |
| Construction | 23 | 366.2 | 24.6 | 7.4 | 3.4 | 183.6 | 125.5 | 43.0 | 38.4 | 6.0 | 14.3 | 6.9 | 8.0 |
| Heavy and civil engineering construction | 237 | 368.2 | 24.3 | 7.5 | 3.5 | 185.9 | 127.8 | 43.5 | 38.6 | 5.9 | 14.4 | 7.0 | 8.1 |
| Service providing | | 192.9 | 12.2 | 3.8 | 2.9 | 58.6 | 33.1 | 13.7 | 31.2 | 8.4 | 8.7 | 5.9 | 6.0 |
| Trade, transportation, and utilities⁸ | | 294.2 | 24.1 | 13.1 | 4.0 | 104.7 | 55.8 | 31.3 | 35.0 | 7.8 | 12.4 | 5.5 | 5.3 |
| Transportation and warehousing⁸ | 48-49 | 348.0 | 28.6 | 13.7 | 5.5 | 127.4 | 68.1 | 38.3 | 44.6 | 9.1 | 18.7 | 4.4 | 7.2 |
| Transit and ground passenger transportation | 485 | 375.2 | 33.5 | 16.5 | 6.1 | 131.0 | 70.0 | 42.1 | 46.9 | 8.8 | 19.8 | 4.6 | 7.9 |
| Utilities | 22 | 239.3 | 19.6 | 12.6 | 2.4 | 81.5 | 43.1 | 24.2 | 25.0 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 6.8 | 3.4 |
| Utilities | 221 | 239.3 | 19.6 | 12.6 | 2.4 | 81.5 | 43.1 | 24.2 | 25.0 | 6.4 | 5.9 | 6.8 | 3.4 |
| Water, sewage and other systems | 2213 | — | 25.4 | 17.2 | 3.2 | 87.0 | 41.2 | 30.1 | 21.5 | 6.9 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 3.4 |
| Education and health services | | 134.1 | 9.9 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 39.6 | 22.8 | 9.5 | 21.4 | 5.8 | 5.9 | 3.2 | 5.1 |
| Educational services | 61 | 126.0 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 34.7 | 19.0 | 8.6 | 20.2 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 3.2 | 4.9 |
| Educational services | 611 | 126.0 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 1.3 | 34.7 | 19.0 | 8.6 | 20.2 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 3.2 | 4.9 |
| Elementary and secondary schools | 6111 | 129.6 | 10.5 | 2.3 | 1.3 | 35.2 | 19.1 | 8.8 | 20.8 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 3.3 | 5.1 |
| Health care and social assistance | 62 | 193.3 | 8.3 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 75.2 | 50.7 | 16.0 | 30.7 | 8.8 | 10.1 | 3.3 | 6.0 |
| Hospitals | 622 | 171.3 | 8.2 | 2.4 | 3.4 | 68.4 | 46.1 | 14.2 | 26.3 | 6.5 | 8.0 | 3.3 | 6.1 |
| Nursing and residential care facilities | 623 | 473.7 | 24.6 | 11.3 | 10.6 | 214.8 | 140.6 | 51.1 | 81.3 | 28.6 | 16.7 | 10.5 | 15.4 |

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| Industry ³ | Part of body affected by the injury or illness ⁵ | | | | | | |
|--|---|------|-------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Lower extremities | | | | Body systems | Multiple body parts | All other body parts ⁶ |
| | Total | Knee | Ankle | Foot, toe | | | |
| Local government [206,580 cases] ⁷ | 51.0 | 22.6 | 12.3 | 6.6 | 5.2 | 30.3 | 1.9 |
| Goods producing ⁷ | 72.6 | 44.9 | 11.2 | 7.0 | 7.5 | 34.1 | — |
| Construction | 72.5 | 45.0 | 11.3 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 34.3 | — |
| Construction | 72.5 | 45.0 | 11.3 | 6.6 | 7.6 | 34.3 | — |
| Heavy and civil engineering construction | 72.5 | 45.6 | 11.0 | 6.3 | 7.1 | 34.4 | — |
| Service providing | 50.8 | 22.4 | 12.3 | 6.6 | 5.2 | 30.2 | 1.9 |
| Trade, transportation, and utilities ⁸ | 71.7 | 34.8 | 20.4 | 6.3 | 14.8 | 35.0 | 4.8 |
| Transportation and warehousing ⁸ | 73.8 | 38.3 | 15.7 | 7.3 | 13.2 | 53.0 | 1.9 |
| Transit and ground passenger transportation | 78.7 | 42.7 | 16.1 | 7.7 | 16.4 | 60.7 | 2.0 |
| Utilities | 70.3 | 31.5 | 25.6 | 5.4 | 16.4 | 16.0 | 8.0 |
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| Water, sewage and other systems | 81.0 | 31.4 | 34.1 | 5.0 | 22.8 | 17.9 | — |
| Education and health services | 35.6 | 13.6 | 9.2 | 5.8 | 2.2 | 23.0 | .7 |
| Educational services | 35.1 | 12.9 | 9.4 | 5.9 | 2.0 | 22.1 | .6 |
| Educational services | 35.1 | 12.9 | 9.4 | 5.9 | 2.0 | 22.1 | .6 |
| Elementary and secondary schools | 36.2 | 13.4 | 9.7 | 6.2 | 2.0 | 22.9 | .6 |
| Health care and social assistance | 39.9 | 18.6 | 7.1 | 5.0 | 3.9 | 30.0 | 1.6 |
| Hospitals | 34.9 | 17.4 | 6.9 | 4.9 | 3.8 | 24.5 | 1.8 |
| Nursing and residential care facilities | 65.2 | 29.7 | 14.8 | 13.5 | 2.9 | 73.6 | — |

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|--|-------------------------|------------------|---|------|------|-------|-------|----------|-------------------|------|--------|---------------------|-------|
| | | | Head | | Neck | Trunk | | | Upper extremities | | | | |
| | | | Total | Eyes | | Total | Back | Shoulder | Total | Arm | Finger | Hand, except finger | Wrist |
| Public administration | | 273.0 | 13.8 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 83.8 | 46.8 | 18.6 | 46.0 | 12.4 | 12.7 | 9.9 | 8.0 |
| Public administration | 92 | 273.0 | 13.8 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 83.8 | 46.8 | 18.6 | 46.0 | 12.4 | 12.7 | 9.9 | 8.0 |
| Justice, public order, and safety activities | 922 | 417.3 | 13.2 | 4.9 | 7.6 | 113.7 | 54.3 | 28.0 | 80.1 | 22.2 | 23.5 | 18.9 | 10.9 |
| Justice, public order, and safety activities | 9221 | 417.3 | 13.2 | 4.9 | 7.6 | 113.7 | 54.3 | 28.0 | 80.1 | 22.2 | 23.5 | 18.9 | 10.9 |
| Police protection | 92212 | 376.2 | 10.4 | 2.9 | 10.8 | 70.6 | 29.7 | 19.4 | 85.8 | 13.9 | 31.5 | 24.7 | 12.3 |
| Fire protection | 92216 | 847.1 | 27.2 | 11.7 | 9.7 | 300.7 | 167.9 | 65.9 | 138.6 | 67.2 | 21.5 | 26.9 | 20.9 |

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|--|---|-------|-------|-----------|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Lower extremities | | | | Body systems | Multiple body parts | All other body parts ⁶ |
| | Total | Knee | Ankle | Foot, toe | | | |
| Public administration | 71.1 | 35.3 | 16.2 | 7.2 | 8.9 | 40.9 | 3.3 |
| Public administration | 71.1 | 35.3 | 16.2 | 7.2 | 8.9 | 40.9 | 3.3 |
| Justice, public order, and safety activities | 116.8 | 66.0 | 27.4 | 5.2 | 12.9 | 70.4 | 2.7 |
| Justice, public order, and safety activities | 116.8 | 66.0 | 27.4 | 5.2 | 12.9 | 70.4 | 2.7 |
| Police protection | 107.9 | 53.8 | 33.8 | 5.8 | 10.6 | 76.6 | 3.5 |
| Fire protection | 240.9 | 161.3 | 38.8 | 8.4 | 14.0 | 113.2 | 2.8 |

¹ Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 10,000 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N/EH) x 20,000,000 where

N = number of injuries and illnesses
EH = total hours worked by all employees during the calendar year

20,000,000 = base for 10,000 equivalent full-time workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year)

² Days-away-from-work cases include those that resulted in days away from work, some of which also included job transfer or restriction.

³ Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

⁴ *North American Industry Classification System* — United States, 2002

⁵ Data shown in columns correspond to the following Part of body codes: Head, Total = 00-09; Eyes = 032; Neck = 10-19; Trunk, Total = 20-29; Back = 23;

Shoulder = 21; Upper extremities, Total = 30-39; Arm = 31; Finger = 34; Hand, except finger = 33; Wrist = 32; Lower extremities, Total = 40-49; Knee = 412; Ankle = 42; Foot, toe = 43, 44; Body systems = 5; Multiple body parts = 8; All other body parts = remaining codes, including 9999 (Nonclassifiable). These codes are based on the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

⁶ Includes nonclassifiable responses.

⁷ Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

⁸ Data for employers in rail transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

NOTE: Dash indicates data do not meet publication guidelines. Because of rounding and data exclusion of nonclassifiable responses, data may not sum to the totals.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating State agencies