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Industry ²	NAICS code ³	Total cases	Nature of injury or illness ⁴								
			Sprains, strains, tears	Fractures	Cuts, lacerations, punctures			Bruises, contusions	Heat burns	Chemical burns	Amputations
					Total	Cuts, lacerations	Punctures				
Local government ^{6,7}		197,660	84,000	11,810	7,610	6,850	760	20,710	2,650	610	260
Goods producing ⁶		4,760	2,060	210	160	160	–	460	70	–	–
Construction		4,740	2,060	200	160	160	–	460	70	–	–
Construction	23	4,740	2,060	200	160	160	–	460	70	–	–
Heavy and civil engineering construction	237	4,650	2,020	200	160	160	–	460	70	–	–
Service providing		192,910	81,940	11,610	7,450	6,690	760	20,240	2,580	590	250
Trade, transportation, and utilities ⁸		14,160	6,640	700	390	330	60	1,670	20	80	–
Transportation and warehousing ⁸	48-49	9,760	4,820	440	190	170	–	1,410	–	40	–
Transit and ground passenger transportation	485	8,690	4,320	380	160	150	–	1,340	–	–	–
Utilities	22	4,390	1,820	260	190	150	40	260	20	40	–
Utilities	221	4,390	1,820	260	190	150	40	260	20	40	–
Water, sewage and other systems	2213	3,050	1,090	220	100	60	40	210	–	30	–
Education and health services		69,870	28,950	5,180	2,260	2,010	250	7,260	840	230	100
Educational services	61	54,470	21,780	4,570	1,830	1,660	170	5,170	680	180	100
Educational services	611	54,470	21,780	4,570	1,830	1,660	170	5,170	680	180	100
Elementary and secondary schools	6111	52,100	20,880	4,350	1,740	1,590	150	4,950	670	170	100
Health care and social assistance	62	15,390	7,170	610	430	350	80	2,090	150	50	–
Hospitals	622	9,500	4,700	440	290	230	60	990	110	40	–
Nursing and residential care facilities	623	2,850	1,200	40	70	60	–	340	20	20	–
Public administration		99,410	42,250	5,260	4,400	4,070	340	10,290	1,710	270	90

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Industry ²	Nature of injury or illness ⁴							All other natures ⁵
	Carpal tunnel syndrome	Tendon-itis	Multiple traumatic injuries and disorders			Soreness, pain		
			Total	With fractures, burns, and other injuries	With sprains and bruises	Total	Back pain, hurt back only	
Local government ^{6,7}	1,020	430	9,320	1,280	4,380	23,790	5,910	35,450
Goods producing ⁶	—	40	230	—	120	490	170	990
Construction	—	40	230	—	120	490	170	990
Construction	—	40	230	—	120	490	170	990
Heavy and civil engineering construction	—	—	220	—	110	480	170	980
Service providing	1,010	390	9,090	1,280	4,260	23,290	5,740	34,460
Trade, transportation, and utilities ⁸	60	—	400	40	160	1,240	390	2,940
Transportation and warehousing ⁸	—	—	300	—	140	600	170	1,940
Transit and ground passenger transportation	—	—	250	—	110	490	120	1,720
Utilities	40	—	100	20	30	650	230	1,000
Utilities	40	—	100	20	30	650	230	1,000
Water, sewage and other systems	20	—	70	—	20	580	200	720
Education and health services	500	160	4,120	480	2,140	9,220	2,180	11,040
Educational services	360	110	3,400	420	1,800	7,430	1,590	8,860
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Elementary and secondary schools	330	100	3,220	400	1,720	7,220	1,500	8,370
Health care and social assistance	150	50	710	60	350	1,780	590	2,180
Hospitals	70	50	470	20	250	1,030	350	1,310
Nursing and residential care facilities	—	—	140	20	90	590	190	450
Public administration	380	170	4,270	700	1,780	12,110	2,930	18,210

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			Sprains, strains, tears	Fractures	Cuts, lacerations, punctures			Bruises, contusions	Heat burns	Chemical burns	Amputations
					Total	Cuts, lacerations	Punctures				
Public administration	92	99,410	42,250	5,260	4,400	4,070	340	10,290	1,710	270	90
Justice, public order, and safety activities	922	42,960	17,990	1,620	2,000	1,940	60	5,220	1,280	—	—
Justice, public order, and safety activities	9221	42,960	17,990	1,620	2,000	1,940	60	5,220	1,280	—	—
Police protection	92212	21,620	8,710	780	1,170	1,130	30	3,480	180	—	—
Fire protection	92216	12,720	6,220	540	440	430	—	890	1,040	—	—

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	Carpal tunnel syndrome	Tendonitis	Multiple traumatic injuries and disorders			Soreness, pain		
			Total	With fractures, burns, and other injuries	With sprains and bruises	Total	Back pain, hurt back only	
Public administration	380	170	4,270	700	1,780	12,110	2,930	18,210
Justice, public order, and safety activities	80	110	1,210	100	640	6,050	1,280	7,380
Justice, public order, and safety activities	80	110	1,210	100	640	6,050	1,280	7,380
Police protection	30	—	540	70	160	4,220	640	2,500
Fire protection	—	100	440	—	350	990	410	2,070

¹ Days-away-from-work cases include those that resulted in days away from work, some of which also included job transfer or restriction.

² Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

³ *North American Industry Classification System* — United States, 2007

⁴ Data shown in columns correspond to the following Nature codes: Sprains, strains, tears = 021; Fractures = 012; Cuts, lacerations, punctures = 034, 037; Cuts, lacerations = 034; Punctures = 037; Bruises, contusions = 043; Heat burns = 053; Chemical burns = 051; Amputations = 031; Carpal tunnel syndrome = 1241; Tendonitis = 1733; Multiple traumatic injuries and illnesses, Total = 080-089; With fractures, burns, and other injuries = 083, 084; With sprains and bruises = 082; Back pain and pain, except back, Total = 0972, 0973; Back pain, hurt back only = 0972; All other natures = all remaining codes, including 9999 (Nonclassifiable). These codes are based on the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

⁵ Includes nonclassifiable responses.

⁶ Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

⁷ Data for Mining (Sector 21 in the *North American Industry Classification System*-- United States, 2007) include establishments not governed by the Mine

Safety and Health Administration rules and reporting, such as those in Oil and Gas Extraction and related support activities. Data for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore, estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

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