

**Table 2. Number, median days, incidence rate<sup>1</sup> and relative standard errors of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses with days away from work<sup>2</sup> involving musculoskeletal disorders<sup>3</sup> by selected parts of body, Wisconsin, 2001**

Part of body	Number	Median days away from work	Incidence rate	Relative standard error
Total	17,766	7	92.5	3.4
0 Head	--	--	--	--
00 Head, unspecified	--	--	--	--
1 Neck, Including Throat	709	5	3.7	7.3
10 Neck, except internal location of diseases or disorders	709	5	3.7	7.3
2 Trunk	12,515	6	65.1	3.5
20 Trunk, unspecified	28	1	0.1	33.3
21 Shoulder, including clavicle, scapula	2,435	12	12.7	4.7
22 Chest, including ribs, internal organs	153	2	0.8	14.4
220 Chest, except internal location of diseases or disorders	153	2	0.8	14.4
23 Back, including spine, spinal cord	8,590	5	44.7	3.7
230 Back, including spine, spinal cord, unspecified	3,204	5	16.7	4.4
231 Lumbar region	4,837	4	25.2	4.0
232 Thoracic region	361	3	1.9	9.7
233 Sacral region	116	6	0.6	16.5
234 Coccygeal region	--	--	--	--
238 Multiple back regions	63	2	0.3	22.2
239 Back, including spine, spinal cord, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
24 Abdomen	852	14	4.4	6.8
240 Abdomen, except internal location of diseases or disorders	140	5	0.7	15.1
241 Internal abdominal location, unspecified	328	15	1.7	10.1
245 Intestines, peritoneum	383	17	2.0	9.4
2450 Intestines, peritoneum, unspecified	383	17	2.0	9.4
25 Pelvic region	378	6	2.0	9.5
251 Hip(s)	67	5	0.4	21.5
252 Pelvis	--	--	--	--
253 Buttock(s)	--	--	--	--
254 Groin	288	7	1.5	10.7
258 Multiple pelvic region locations	13	34	0.1	49.0
28 Multiple trunk locations	73	4	0.4	20.6
29 Trunk, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
3 Upper extremities	3,168	13	16.5	4.4
31 Arm(s)	883	5	4.6	6.7
310 Arm(s), unspecified	203	2	1.1	12.6
311 Upper arm(s)	175	3	0.9	13.5
312 Elbow(s)	386	9	2.0	9.4
313 Forearm(s)	110	6	0.6	16.9
318 Multiple arm(s) locations	9	1	--	59.9
319 Arm(s), n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
32 Wrist(s)	1,867	20	9.7	5.1
33 Hand(s), except finger(s)	103	18	0.5	17.4
34 Finger(s), fingernail(s)	168	9	0.9	13.8
38 Multiple upper extremities locations	148	14	0.8	14.7
381 Hand(s) and finger(s)	--	--	--	--
382 Hand(s) and wrist(s)	12	6	0.1	51.1
383 Hand(s) and arm(s)	22	21	0.1	37.5
389 Multiple upper extremities locations, n.e.c.	106	14	0.6	17.2
4 Lower extremities	905	7	4.7	6.6
41 Leg(s)	739	9	3.9	7.1
410 Leg(s), unspecified	16	23	0.1	44.2
411 Thigh(s)	57	1	0.3	23.3

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412	Knee(s)	635	10	3.3	7.6
413	Lower leg(s)	30	4	0.2	32.1
418	Multiple leg(s) locations	--	--	--	--
42	Ankle(s)	121	5	0.6	16.1
43	Foot(feet), except toe(s)	35	10	0.2	29.8
430	Foot(feet), except toe(s), unspecified	31	10	0.2	31.2
432	Sole(s)	--	--	--	--
4323	Heel(s)	--	--	--	--
439	Foot(feet), n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
48	Multiple lower extremities locations	10	7	0.1	55.8
482	Foot(feet) and ankle(s)	--	--	--	--
489	Multiple lower extremities locations, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
8	Multiple Body Parts	464	5	2.4	8.7
9	Other Body Parts	--	--	--	--
99	Other body parts, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
999	Other body parts, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
9999	Nonclassifiable	--	--	--	--

<sup>1</sup> 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 full-time equivalent workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

<sup>2</sup> Days away from work include those which result in days away from work with or without restricted work activity.

<sup>3</sup> Includes cases where the nature of injury is: sprains, strains, tears; back pain, hurt back; soreness, pain, hurt, except back; carpal tunnel syndrome; hernia; or musculoskeletal system and connective tissue diseases and disorders and when the event or exposure leading to the injury or illness is: bodily reaction/bending, climbing, crawling, reaching, twisting; overexertion; or repetition. Cases of Raynaud's phenomenon, tarsal tunnel syndrome, and herniated spinal discs are not included. Although these cases may be considered MSD's, the survey classifies these cases in categories that also include non-MSD cases.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that do not meet publication guidelines or data for incidence rates less than .05 per 10,000 full-time workers. The scientifically selected probability sample used was one of many possible samples, each of which could have produced different estimates. A measure of sampling variability for each estimate is available upon request.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, August 04, 2003