

TABLE L8. Incidence rates¹ for nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work² per 10,000 full-time workers by industry and selected events or exposures leading to injury or illness, local government, 2012³

Industry ⁴	NAICS code ⁵	Local government	Event or exposure leading to injury or illness ⁶							
			Contact with objects				Falls, slips, trips			
			Total	Struck by object	Struck against object	Caught in or compressed or crushed	Total	Fall to lower level	Fall on same level	Slips or trips without fall
Local government [181,060 cases] ⁸		177.5	25.5	14.3	7.4	2.1	48.6	7.1	31.1	8.8
Goods producing⁸		346.2	62.5	34.3	19.9	3.1	88.5	18.7	31.6	36.7
Construction		347.1	62.3	34.2	19.8	3.1	88.8	18.8	31.7	36.7
Construction	23	347.1	62.3	34.2	19.8	3.1	88.8	18.8	31.7	36.7
Heavy and civil engineering construction	237	349.8	61.3	33.3	19.6	3.2	90.6	19.1	32.3	37.6
Service providing		176.0	25.1	14.1	7.3	2.1	48.2	7.0	31.1	8.5
Trade, transportation, and utilities⁹		287.0	45.7	18.1	14.0	6.9	51.2	6.6	26.1	17.3
Transportation and warehousing⁹	48-49	391.8	50.8	11.6	18.1	9.5	63.2	7.9	38.1	16.8
Transit and ground passenger transportation	485	437.3	54.5	9.8	21.6	10.7	66.2	7.6	41.4	16.8
Utilities	22	180.0	39.9	24.1	9.8	4.2	39.4	5.4	13.9	18.0
Utilities	221	180.0	39.9	24.1	9.8	4.2	39.4	5.4	13.9	18.0
Water, sewage and other systems	2213	170.8	37.3	23.4	10.0	2.0	36.1	5.0	10.8	20.3
Education and health services		116.3	17.7	11.3	4.4	1.2	41.7	5.1	30.8	5.4
Educational services	61	107.9	16.0	10.9	3.5	.9	41.7	5.3	30.7	5.4
Educational services	611	107.9	16.0	10.9	3.5	.9	41.7	5.3	30.7	5.4
Elementary and secondary schools	6111	110.2	16.4	11.2	3.6	1.0	42.5	5.3	31.2	5.6
Health care and social assistance	62	175.5	29.3	13.6	10.8	3.0	41.3	4.0	31.8	5.1
Hospitals	622	162.6	25.6	12.6	7.9	3.0	36.7	2.9	28.9	4.3
Nursing and residential care facilities		–	98.8	34.2	55.6	8.2	113.3	4.6	92.2	16.5

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Industry ⁴	Event or exposure leading to injury or illness ⁶											All other events ⁷
	Overexertion and bodily reaction			Exposure to harmful substance or environment	Transportation incidents		Fires and explosions	Violence and other injuries by persons or animals				
	Total	In lifting	Repetitive motion		Total	Roadway incidents		Total	Intentional injury by other person	Injury by person--unintentional or intent unknown	Animal and insect related	
Local government [181,060 cases] ⁸	56.7	16.5	3.0	8.9	13.0	10.2	0.4	23.3	9.9	11.1	2.2	1.2
Goods producing ⁸	146.8	37.7	19.4	25.4	14.9	7.3	—	5.6	—	—	3.8	2.4
Construction	147.4	37.8	19.6	25.5	15.0	7.3	—	5.6	—	—	3.8	2.4
Construction	147.4	37.8	19.6	25.5	15.0	7.3	—	5.6	—	—	3.8	2.4
Heavy and civil engineering construction	148.9	38.6	20.1	26.0	14.6	6.9	—	5.8	—	—	3.9	2.5
Service providing	55.9	16.3	2.9	8.7	13.0	10.2	.4	23.4	9.9	11.2	2.1	1.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities ⁹	122.1	18.2	9.3	22.7	35.5	30.2	—	8.6	4.1	3.2	.7	1.1
Transportation and warehousing ⁹	161.5	18.3	13.9	36.7	63.1	54.8	—	15.7	8.1	6.2	—	—
Transit and ground passenger transportation	180.1	19.1	14.6	44.1	73.0	65.3	—	19.0	9.7	7.5	—	—
Utilities	82.3	18.3	4.7	8.4	7.1	4.9	—	1.3	—	—	1.0	1.6
Utilities	82.3	18.3	4.7	8.4	7.1	4.9	—	1.3	—	—	1.0	1.6
Water, sewage and other systems	78.8	21.1	2.8	7.8	8.4	6.1	—	1.6	—	—	1.4	—
Education and health services	34.2	11.1	2.2	3.9	3.4	2.7	(¹⁰)	14.9	7.0	7.5	.3	.5
Educational services	29.2	9.9	2.0	3.5	3.4	2.6	(¹⁰)	13.9	5.9	7.7	.2	.2
Educational services	29.2	9.9	2.0	3.5	3.4	2.6	(¹⁰)	13.9	5.9	7.7	.2	.2
Elementary and secondary schools	29.6	10.0	2.0	3.6	3.4	2.7	(¹⁰)	14.5	6.2	8.0	.2	.2
Health care and social assistance	69.2	20.2	3.7	7.2	3.9	2.8	—	22.3	14.9	6.2	1.3	2.3
Hospitals	67.3	20.4	3.3	8.5	1.7	1.0	—	21.7	14.1	6.0	1.6	1.0
Nursing and residential care facilities	185.4	45.1	13.0	6.9	4.6	2.6	—	67.4	51.5	15.6	—	—

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Public administration		257.3	32.1	16.6	10.5	2.7	56.2	9.8	30.4	12.2
Public administration	92	257.3	32.1	16.6	10.5	2.7	56.2	9.8	30.4	12.2
Justice, public order, and safety activities	922	423.0	45.3	23.7	17.9	1.7	91.9	15.0	49.8	19.0
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Police protection	92212	451.3	33.6	10.1	21.3	1.2	110.6	15.5	60.4	22.5
Fire protection	92216	594.1	94.2	66.6	20.2	1.6	110.4	31.2	43.0	30.7

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	Total	In lifting	Repetitive motion		Total	Roadway incidents		Total	Intentional injury by other person	Injury by person--unintentional or intent unknown	Animal and insect related	
Public administration	81.6	23.5	3.1	14.1	26.8	20.8	1.2	42.5	17.0	19.9	5.6	2.7
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Justice, public order, and safety activities	118.6	27.0	2.6	28.1	46.9	38.2	3.2	86.6	41.7	40.4	4.2	2.5
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Police protection	76.2	15.2	1.1	21.2	79.1	68.3	—	129.7	63.7	59.2	6.2	.7
Fire protection	276.1	75.7	2.1	59.7	15.3	6.2	14.5	14.7	4.3	9.8	—	9.1

¹ The 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 Incorrect national-level estimates of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses were published for the Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses (SOII) for reference year 2012. This table includes corrected estimates. For additional information see: https://www.bls.gov/bls/errata/iif_errata_1014.htm.

⁴ Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

⁵ *North American Industry Classification System* — United States, 2007.

⁶ Data shown in columns correspond to the following Event codes: Contact with objects, Total = 6; Struck by object = 62; Struck against object = 63; Caught in or compressed or crushed = 64; Falls, slips, trips, Total = 4; Fall to lower level = 43; Fall on same level = 42; Slips or trips without fall = 41; Overexertion and bodily reaction, Total = 7; In lifting = 711; Repetitive motion = 72; Exposure to harmful substance or environment = 5; Transportation accidents, Total = 2; Roadway accident = 26; Fires and explosions = 3; Violence and other injuries by persons or animals, Total = 1; Intentional injury by other person = 111; Injury by person-unintentional or intent unknown = 12; Animal and other insect related = 13; All other events = all remaining codes, including 9999 (Nonclassifiable). These codes are based on the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System 2.01 developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

⁷ Includes nonclassifiable responses.

⁸ Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

⁹ Data for employers in rail transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

¹⁰ Data too small to be displayed.

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.