Chart 3-7. Workers employed in service occupations were least likely to be displaced in 2001-2002

- The displacement rate reflects the likelihood of job loss due to plant or company closings, reduced work loads, or the abolishment of positions or shifts.

- Workers in service occupations were least likely to be displaced in 2001-2002. In contrast, workers in production, transportation, and material moving occupations were the most likely to be displaced during the period.

NOTE: Displaced workers are persons 20 years and older who lost or left jobs they had held for at least 3 years because their plant or company closed or moved, there was insufficient work for them to do, or their positions or shifts were abolished. The 2-year displacement rates shown here are the most recent data available.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics