

Table III.B.3.a. Percent of number of full-time State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1997

Division	All State and local governments	State governments	Local governments				
			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	12,644,357	27.6%	12.1%	17.5%	21.3%	6.8%	14.8%
Census division							
New England	604,328	31.8%	11.9%	24.8%	22.8%	5.6%	3.1%
Middle Atlantic	1,848,072	25.9%	10.4%	19.2%	14.6%	4.3%	25.5%
East North Central	1,905,238	24.8%	19.4%	23.6%	16.6% *	5.6%	9.9%
West North Central	916,389	28.9%	25.1%	18.7%	18.2%	8.2% *	0.9%
South Atlantic	2,360,877	27.7%	5.3%	10.8%	26.6%	9.7%	19.9%
East South Central	858,679	29.8%	10.7%	23.2%	25.2%	3.7%	7.5%
West South Central	1,579,173	27.6%	14.3%	16.1%	22.2% *	8.6%	11.1%
Mountain	812,030	30.8%	12.4%	17.4%	21.1%	6.9%	11.4%
Pacific	1,759,572	27.3%	6.8%	13.7%	24.7%	6.0%	21.5%

Standard error for percent of number of full-time State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1997

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			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	268,014	0.00%	0.34%	0.97%	1.96%	0.40%	0.00%
Census division							
New England	24,544	0.00%	2.93%	1.97%	4.25%	0.00%	0.00%
Middle Atlantic	37,454	0.00%	1.68%	3.02%	3.57%	0.52%	0.00%
East North Central	134,879	0.00%	1.68%	3.92%	5.39% *	1.62%	0.00%
West North Central	43,045	0.00%	1.72%	3.44%	5.22%	3.14% *	0.00%
South Atlantic	85,065	0.00%	0.74%	1.53%	3.59%	0.39%	0.00%
East South Central	61,254	0.00%	1.63%	2.07%	6.66%	0.00%	0.00%
West South Central	125,610	0.00%	1.81%	0.92%	7.51% *	0.72%	0.00%
Mountain	30,536	0.00%	1.63%	3.14%	4.56%	0.00%	0.00%
Pacific	67,763	0.00%	0.84%	2.27%	3.21%	0.89%	0.00%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1997 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey -- Insurance Component.

Note: Standard errors of zero indicate that all governments in that category are in the survey. Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.