

Table 2. Number, incidence rate ¹, median days away from work ² and relative standard errors ³ of occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work ⁴ to selected parts of body with musculoskeletal disorders⁵ in selected ownerships for Florida, 2009

Ownership	Part of body affected	Total Cases	Incidence Rate	Median Days	Relative Standard Error
private industry	All Selected Parts	13,600	25.6	9	3.5
private industry	1 Neck- Including Throat	210	0.4	5	14.7
private industry	10 Neck- except internal location of diseases or disorders	210	0.4	5	14.7
private industry	2 Trunk	9,780	18.4	9	3.7
private industry	20 Trunk- unspecified	50	0.1	6	28.3
private industry	21 Shoulder- including clavicle- scapula	1,700	3.2	10	5.9
private industry	22 Chest- including ribs- internal organs	210	0.4	8	14.9
private industry	220 Chest- except internal location of diseases or disorders	210	0.4	8	14.9
private industry	23 Back- including spine- spinal cord	6,300	11.9	6	4.0
private industry	230 Back- including spine- spinal cord- unspecified	2,370	4.5	5	5.2
private industry	231 Lumbar region	3,610	6.8	7	4.6
private industry	232 Thoracic region	140	0.3	5	18.0
private industry	238 Multiple back regions	180	0.3	4	15.7
private industry	24 Abdomen	1,170	2.2	33	6.8
private industry	240 Abdomen- except internal location of diseases or disorders	200	0.4	30	15.0
private industry	241 Internal abdominal location- unspecified	120	0.2	33	19.5
private industry	245 Intestines- peritoneum	830	1.6	36	7.8
private industry	2450 Intestines- peritoneum- unspecified	80	0.2	18	23.4
private industry	2451 Peritoneum	750	1.4	42	8.2
private industry	25 Pelvic region	340	0.6	13	11.6
private industry	251 Hip(s)	80	0.1	30	24.3
private industry	254 Groin	260	0.5	10	13.2
private industry	3 Upper extremities	1,350	2.5	10	6.4
private industry	31 Arm(s)	530	1.0	21	9.6
private industry	310 Arm(s)- unspecified	220	0.4	3	14.4
private industry	311 Upper arm(s)	40	0.1	9	32.7
private industry	312 Elbow(s)	200	0.4	37	15.1
private industry	318 Multiple arm(s) locations	50	0.1	11	29.2
private industry	32 Wrist(s)	620	1.2	7	8.9
private industry	33 Hand(s)- except finger(s)	70	0.1	15	24.7
private industry	34 Finger(s)- fingernail(s)	80	0.2	5	22.9
private industry	38 Multiple upper extremities locations	50	0.1	20	29.6
private industry	382 Hand(s) and wrist(s)	20	--	4	49.4
private industry	383 Hand(s) and arm(s)	20	--	20	44.3
private industry	4 Lower extremities	1,220	2.3	10	6.7
private industry	41 Leg(s)	880	1.6	14	7.7
private industry	410 Leg(s)- unspecified	80	0.1	7	23.8
private industry	411 Thigh(s)	40	0.1	13	31.4
private industry	412 Knee(s)	680	1.3	14	8.5
private industry	413 Lower leg(s)	70	0.1	14	24.9

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private industry	42 Ankle(s)	300	0.6	5	12.4
private industry	43 Foot(feet)- except toe(s)	40	0.1	3	32.1
private industry	430 Foot(feet)- except toe(s)- unspecified	40	0.1	2	34.4
private industry	8 Multiple Body Parts	990	1.9	7	7.3
private industry	9999 Nonclassifiable	50	0.1	1	29.0
local government	All Selected Parts	3,310	51.0	5	6.8
local government	1 Neck- Including Throat	70	1.1	11	49.9
local government	10 Neck- except internal location of diseases or disorders	70	1.1	11	49.9
local government	2 Trunk	2,030	31.3	5	9.1
local government	21 Shoulder- including clavicle- scapula	270	4.2	11	26.0
local government	22 Chest- including ribs- internal organs	80	1.3	5	47.1
local government	220 Chest- except internal location of diseases or disorders	80	1.3	5	47.1
local government	23 Back- including spine- spinal cord	1,540	23.8	5	10.5
local government	230 Back- including spine- spinal cord- unspecified	630	9.7	9	16.9
local government	231 Lumbar region	800	12.3	5	14.9
local government	25 Pelvic region	120	1.8	3	39.6
local government	254 Groin	110	1.8	3	40.2
local government	3 Upper extremities	200	3.1	3	30.2
local government	32 Wrist(s)	170	2.6	3	33.1
local government	4 Lower extremities	610	9.4	5	17.2
local government	41 Leg(s)	340	5.3	8	23.1
local government	412 Knee(s)	330	5.1	8	23.6
local government	42 Ankle(s)	260	4.0	2	26.5
local government	8 Multiple Body Parts	390	6.1	3	21.5

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Ownership	Part of body affected	Total Cases	Incidence Rate	Median Days	Relative Standard Error
state government	All Selected Parts	1,150	62.8	18	25.8
state government	2 Trunk	240	13.1	6	40.7
state government	23 Back- including spine- spinal cord	230	12.7	6	41.1
state government	230 Back- including spine- spinal cord- unspecified	140	7.7	1	50.3
state government	231 Lumbar region	90	5.0	143	60.4
state government	8 Multiple Body Parts	840	46.1	18	27.5

¹ 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).

² Median days away from work is the measure used to summarize the varying lengths of absences from work among the cases with days away from work. Half the cases involved more days and half involved less days than a specified median. Median days away from work are represented in actual values.

³ Relative standard errors are a measure of the sampling error of an estimate. Sampling errors occur because observations are made on a sample, not on the entire population. Estimates based on the different possible samples of the same size and sample design could differ. Relative standard errors less than 0.05 are not shown.

⁴ Days away from work cases include those which result in days away from work with or without job transfer or restriction.

⁵ 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, February 25, 2011