

Table VIII.B.3 Number of full-time private-sector employees by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2016

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	95,570,335	15,572,329	23,327,132	27,521,785	29,149,089
New England:					
Connecticut	1,114,701	168,233	273,425	325,813	347,229
Maine	362,153	54,864	78,613	106,710	121,966
Massachusetts	2,409,639	351,318	608,522	685,041	764,757
New Hampshire	410,714	64,445	94,302	113,756	138,210
Rhode Island	311,864	45,854	70,943	92,227	102,840
Vermont	185,614	24,748	43,930	56,407	60,530
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	2,731,776	440,133	668,302	788,037	835,304
New York	5,892,004	1,089,825	1,333,904	1,637,128	1,831,148
Pennsylvania	4,063,682	620,989	987,706	1,214,480	1,240,506
East North Central:					
Illinois	4,130,621	651,257	1,028,603	1,178,151	1,272,610
Indiana	2,065,977	323,697	523,879	581,242	637,159
Michigan	2,829,696	357,724	733,979	858,982	879,011
Ohio	3,721,636	621,554	921,791	1,050,671	1,127,619
Wisconsin	1,834,339	276,532	473,452	515,974	568,380
West North Central:					
Iowa	1,022,536	157,746	250,490	297,185	317,115
Kansas	915,816	139,773	222,852	277,110	276,081
Minnesota	2,031,607	299,631	502,789	592,862	636,325
Missouri	1,722,661	311,442	389,573	478,734	542,911
Nebraska	655,940	99,497	166,508	189,169	200,766
North Dakota	263,099	37,024	63,829	80,126	82,120
South Dakota	263,912	33,726	70,140	77,779	82,267
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	305,756	39,177	81,381	90,193	95,005
District of Columbia	388,148	79,045	95,261	102,512	111,331
Florida	6,172,671	1,083,365	1,404,976	1,834,194	1,850,136
Georgia	3,040,565	554,207	787,479	813,595	885,285
Maryland	1,863,596	298,650	477,280	540,018	547,648
North Carolina	2,762,357	420,725	728,474	792,376	820,782
South Carolina	1,254,704	189,609	302,387	363,669	399,039
Virginia	2,467,460	418,272	557,531	725,704	765,952
West Virginia	419,215	62,080	101,008	123,016	133,112
East South Central:					
Alabama	1,317,058	221,807	321,887	379,343	394,021
Kentucky	1,244,017	194,809	313,219	365,412	370,576
Mississippi	669,998	98,355	169,977	188,266	213,400
Tennessee	2,050,568	283,567	539,538	579,737	647,726
West South Central:					
Arkansas	797,231	131,978	191,923	233,093	240,237
Louisiana	1,327,490	235,083	331,249	366,849	394,309
Oklahoma	1,028,919	134,730	250,798	314,212	329,180
Texas	7,965,553	1,345,076	1,933,552	2,304,453	2,382,471
Mountain:					
Arizona	1,781,915	274,209	429,192	528,321	550,192
Colorado	1,799,864	304,114	411,820	519,766	564,164
Idaho	457,105	74,547	108,591	138,596	135,371
Montana	268,854	44,489	57,382	75,862	91,120
Nevada	843,411	140,302	193,925	243,777	265,406
New Mexico	460,160	73,222	117,321	129,873	139,743
Utah	910,971	143,649	214,136	247,119	306,068
Wyoming	152,205	24,564	35,433	43,610	48,598
Pacific:					
Alaska	213,660	39,255	53,103	61,298	60,005
California	11,121,462	1,922,321	2,727,038	3,167,641	3,304,462
Hawaii	396,396	65,003	100,335	110,961	120,097
Oregon	1,177,948	200,761	286,400	348,943	341,844
Washington	1,971,089	305,345	497,000	591,791	576,953

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2016 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table VIII.B.3 Standard errors for number of full-time private-sector employees by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2016

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	790,444	377,360	506,829	609,242	654,342
New England:					
Connecticut	94,363	22,861	38,384	40,093	92,124
Maine	15,009	6,687	9,217	12,253	15,785
Massachusetts	129,074	43,185	74,784	74,704	127,905
New Hampshire	23,131	10,617	11,940	15,664	22,052
Rhode Island	13,680	8,280	9,500	9,707	12,935
Vermont	8,822	3,718	5,826	7,087	8,178
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	104,701	52,235	69,796	83,173	86,687
New York	204,957	113,930	133,585	155,071	183,576
Pennsylvania	168,145	65,127	99,528	149,093	136,506
East North Central:					
Illinois	202,160	98,482	120,244	186,013	167,956
Indiana	114,463	48,656	67,921	87,101	96,372
Michigan	144,876	38,873	86,161	138,108	103,313
Ohio	211,092	74,994	98,836	117,823	207,249
Wisconsin	92,738	36,684	66,075	77,867	69,329
West North Central:					
Iowa	39,336	21,058	30,576	35,324	36,103
Kansas	57,945	27,716	29,912	37,300	49,722
Minnesota	106,489	34,106	75,773	80,076	80,679
Missouri	76,630	38,875	56,868	58,131	66,073
Nebraska	29,965	11,631	22,300	25,712	26,943
North Dakota	12,881	4,921	6,902	11,610	11,185
South Dakota	11,601	3,917	8,578	8,608	13,095
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	17,434	5,053	15,119	13,172	17,519
District of Columbia	17,089	10,385	15,305	12,804	14,660
Florida	275,703	106,789	200,584	226,792	218,123
Georgia	137,749	83,859	108,303	102,454	100,118
Maryland	117,765	47,950	66,646	75,377	105,044
North Carolina	101,496	50,037	76,552	86,914	85,632
South Carolina	53,752	20,262	38,253	43,019	48,377
Virginia	124,294	64,229	81,246	101,885	103,269
West Virginia	25,099	9,778	14,081	17,797	22,446
East South Central:					
Alabama	58,318	28,888	43,861	42,866	49,900
Kentucky	68,156	26,008	48,185	46,868	56,000
Mississippi	33,178	13,359	23,318	27,451	28,814
Tennessee	113,503	37,656	61,613	68,448	103,623
West South Central:					
Arkansas	48,164	25,655	30,746	43,321	27,483
Louisiana	66,657	38,250	44,705	54,693	50,337
Oklahoma	46,086	15,023	33,589	38,169	39,542
Texas	263,867	150,608	153,686	199,172	209,021
Mountain:					
Arizona	87,113	33,497	54,843	68,702	76,655
Colorado	89,861	49,061	58,569	68,023	82,378
Idaho	22,230	10,970	10,470	17,792	19,654
Montana	15,078	7,319	6,534	12,798	12,390
Nevada	35,863	15,468	23,963	31,112	31,650
New Mexico	21,573	10,026	18,368	15,053	16,286
Utah	45,203	16,996	27,732	40,511	39,893
Wyoming	6,585	4,013	4,400	5,025	5,935
Pacific:					
Alaska	9,901	4,702	8,807	8,692	8,002
California	303,297	178,904	207,686	227,908	225,262
Hawaii	19,943	7,411	12,195	14,697	20,149
Oregon	64,119	28,921	38,170	42,165	53,052
Washington	97,217	42,504	66,385	74,344	70,985

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