

Table I.B.3.a Percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2017

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	97,316,296	9.7%	7.6%	13.2%	19.2%	50.3%	23.7%	76.3%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	1,118,413	19.3%	13.1%	13.5%	35.1%	19.0%	36.1%	63.9%
Mining and manufacturing	11,746,931	3.7%	4.6%	14.6%	24.0%	53.1%	14.2%	85.8%
Construction	5,983,900	20.2%	18.2%	25.6%	22.9%	13.2%	51.9%	48.1%
Utilities and transp.	4,903,155	5.1%	5.0%	8.6%	14.7%	66.6%	15.3%	84.7%
Wholesale trade	5,579,773	10.6%	8.8%	16.5%	22.4%	41.6%	27.1%	72.9%
Fin. svs. and real estate	11,488,846	7.8%	3.7%	6.2%	15.1%	67.3%	14.4%	85.6%
Retail trade	10,216,362	10.1%	6.6%	12.8%	15.7%	54.8%	23.0%	77.0%
Professional services	26,665,501	9.2%	7.3%	11.7%	20.6%	51.3%	22.0%	78.0%
Other services	19,613,414	12.2%	9.3%	15.3%	16.7%	46.5%	29.5%	70.5%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	70,130,101	9.4%	7.8%	13.1%	17.6%	52.1%	23.7%	76.3%
For profit, unincorporated	14,410,748	16.3%	9.8%	15.4%	20.8%	37.7%	33.7%	66.3%
Nonprofit	12,775,447	4.0%	4.0%	11.5%	25.7%	54.8%	12.6%	87.4%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	4,984,989	37.1%	17.5%	23.9%	16.7%	4.8%	67.6%	32.4%
5-9 years	6,434,011	25.2%	20.0%	22.7%	23.2%	8.8%	57.8%	42.2%
10-19 years	13,637,540	19.5%	15.2%	23.8%	25.7%	15.9%	46.0%	54.0%
20 or more years	72,259,757	4.6%	4.4%	9.7%	17.7%	63.6%	13.5%	86.5%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	60,787,007	0.2%	0.6%	4.4%	16.5%	78.2%	2.4%	97.6%
1 location only	36,529,289	25.5%	19.2%	27.9%	23.5%	3.9%	59.2%	40.8%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1,195,354	7.6%	11.5%	22.4%	18.8%	39.7%	30.7%	69.3%
25-49 %	4,145,888	10.2%	11.7%	17.7%	22.1%	38.3%	30.5%	69.5%
50-74 %	10,494,598	13.2%	8.0%	13.9%	16.5%	48.5%	27.7%	72.3%
75% or more	81,480,457	9.3%	7.3%	12.8%	19.3%	51.3%	22.8%	77.2%
Union presence								
No union employees	81,047,950	11.5%	8.8%	15.0%	20.5%	44.3%	27.7%	72.3%
Has union employees	16,268,346	1.0%	1.4%	4.6%	12.6%	80.3%	3.9%	96.1%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	15,324,913	11.7%	8.8%	16.3%	19.9%	43.3%	28.0%	72.0%
Less than 50% low-wage	81,991,383	9.4%	7.4%	12.7%	19.0%	51.6%	22.9%	77.1%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2017 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

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Percent may not add to 100% because of rounding.

Table I.B.3.a Standard errors for percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics:
United States, 2017

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	893,291	0.15%	0.18%	0.26%	0.36%	0.48%	0.29%	0.29%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	147,549	3.06%	3.10%	3.52%	7.47%	5.14%	5.20%	5.20%
Mining and manufacturing	386,317	0.31%	0.45%	0.96%	1.41%	1.64%	0.78%	0.78%
Construction	257,971	1.19%	1.48%	1.80%	2.32%	1.60%	2.21%	2.21%
Utilities and transp.	304,561	0.58%	0.83%	1.19%	1.74%	2.47%	1.44%	1.44%
Wholesale trade	244,074	0.89%	0.91%	1.50%	1.92%	2.25%	1.57%	1.57%
Fin. svs. and real estate	587,037	0.58%	0.44%	0.66%	1.33%	1.91%	0.96%	0.96%
Retail trade	357,617	0.61%	0.55%	1.00%	1.26%	1.69%	1.07%	1.07%
Professional services	568,078	0.34%	0.38%	0.55%	0.82%	1.06%	0.64%	0.64%
Other services	526,867	0.52%	0.51%	0.77%	1.06%	1.39%	0.96%	0.96%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	911,526	0.20%	0.24%	0.34%	0.47%	0.65%	0.40%	0.40%
For profit, unincorporated	426,109	0.68%	0.61%	0.89%	1.32%	1.57%	1.15%	1.15%
Nonprofit	397,133	0.32%	0.35%	0.83%	1.26%	1.51%	0.66%	0.66%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	220,297	1.81%	1.56%	1.77%	2.57%	1.34%	2.59%	2.59%
5-9 years	262,956	1.31%	1.36%	1.61%	2.30%	1.47%	2.21%	2.21%
10-19 years	371,731	0.74%	0.76%	1.08%	1.34%	1.39%	1.31%	1.31%
20 or more years	882,624	0.14%	0.16%	0.29%	0.43%	0.54%	0.28%	0.28%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	844,124	0.04%	0.06%	0.23%	0.44%	0.49%	0.14%	0.14%
1 location only	477,584	0.43%	0.47%	0.59%	0.75%	0.53%	0.78%	0.78%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	50,308	0.79%	0.96%	1.54%	1.88%	2.16%	1.63%	1.63%
25-49 %	142,976	0.62%	0.80%	1.21%	1.64%	1.75%	1.30%	1.30%
50-74 %	318,032	0.62%	0.53%	0.83%	1.11%	1.54%	1.04%	1.04%
75% or more	935,148	0.18%	0.22%	0.32%	0.44%	0.58%	0.36%	0.36%
Union presence								
No union employees	872,766	0.19%	0.22%	0.31%	0.42%	0.59%	0.37%	0.37%
Has union employees	544,525	0.16%	0.27%	0.54%	1.03%	1.18%	0.40%	0.40%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	371,405	0.49%	0.47%	0.85%	1.06%	1.25%	0.89%	0.89%
Less than 50% low-wage	910,700	0.18%	0.21%	0.30%	0.42%	0.56%	0.34%	0.34%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2017 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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