

**Table I.B.1.a Percent of number of private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2019**

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	131,332,886	10.9%	8.6%	14.1%	19.8%	46.6%	26.7%	73.3%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	1,318,757	22.0%	8.5%	12.2%	31.2%	26.0% *	38.1%	61.9%
Mining and manufacturing	12,479,098	4.1%	5.4%	13.3%	29.5%	47.7%	14.9%	85.1%
Construction	6,951,701	19.6%	16.0%	26.3%	22.9%	15.1%	51.9%	48.1%
Utilities and transp.	5,982,437	7.7%	6.1%	10.9%	15.9%	59.3%	19.3%	80.7%
Wholesale trade	5,961,864	9.9%	11.3%	18.0%	22.3%	38.6%	30.3%	69.7%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	12,171,520	11.0%	4.0%	6.3%	17.1%	61.6%	17.8%	82.2%
Retail trade	16,191,267	13.7%	8.0%	13.3%	12.1%	53.0%	27.8%	72.2%
Professional services	36,078,082	9.3%	7.7%	11.9%	21.5%	49.6%	22.9%	77.1%
Other services	34,198,159	12.1%	11.0%	17.5%	18.3%	41.1%	32.9%	67.1%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	90,624,568	10.1%	8.6%	13.9%	18.0%	49.3%	26.1%	73.9%
For profit, unincorporated	21,540,028	18.8%	11.2%	18.1%	21.9%	30.0%	38.7%	61.3%
Nonprofit	19,168,291	5.7%	5.4%	10.6%	25.9%	52.4%	16.2%	83.8%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	8,440,929	37.6%	19.2%	22.6%	17.0%	3.6% *	70.3%	29.7%
5-9 years	9,257,589	24.5%	18.1%	26.1%	22.1%	9.2%	55.2%	44.8%
10-19 years	16,481,603	21.3%	16.1%	23.3%	23.1%	16.2%	51.0%	49.0%
20 or more years	97,152,765	5.5%	5.4%	10.7%	19.3%	59.1%	16.1%	83.9%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	78,213,367	0.2%	1.0%	4.9%	18.7%	75.3%	3.1%	96.9%
1 location only	53,119,520	26.5%	19.7%	27.8%	21.5%	4.5%	61.5%	38.5%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	12,232,432	19.3%	15.1%	17.4%	17.5%	30.8%	45.7%	54.3%
25-49 %	14,004,397	10.3%	8.6%	16.6%	18.5%	46.0%	27.1%	72.9%
50-74 %	16,162,630	15.3%	10.0%	14.8%	19.8%	40.0%	32.3%	67.7%
75% or more	88,933,428	9.0%	7.4%	13.2%	20.3%	50.1%	23.1%	76.9%
Union presence								
No union employees	110,417,599	12.6%	9.9%	16.1%	20.9%	40.5%	30.8%	69.2%
Has union employees	20,915,287	1.6%	1.7%	3.7%	14.3%	78.7%	5.3%	94.7%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	29,519,821	11.5%	8.8%	15.2%	19.4%	45.0%	28.9%	71.1%
Less than 50% low-wage	101,813,065	10.7%	8.5%	13.8%	19.9%	47.1%	26.1%	73.9%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	30,846,396	15.9%	10.8%	19.9%	19.6%	33.8%	36.9%	63.1%
25-49 %	31,420,247	6.9%	6.7%	12.2%	21.4%	52.8%	19.6%	80.4%
50-74 %	39,939,428	8.4%	6.5%	11.5%	18.9%	54.8%	21.0%	79.0%
75% or more	29,126,815	13.2%	11.0%	13.8%	19.7%	42.4%	31.5%	68.5%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	55,599,528	11.8%	11.4%	18.7%	19.6%	38.5%	33.6%	66.4%
25-49 %	56,332,285	5.2%	5.4%	9.9%	19.7%	59.9%	15.2%	84.8%
50-74 %	15,125,928	16.5%	9.3%	14.3%	23.0%	36.8%	32.3%	67.7%
75% or more	4,275,145	53.6%	11.1%	10.6%	12.5%	12.2%	70.2%	29.8%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2019 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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**Table I.B.1.a Standard errors for percent of number of private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2019**

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	1,185,708	0.17%	0.19%	0.25%	0.36%	0.50%	0.31%	0.31%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	188,675	3.64%	2.03%	2.80%	7.33%	7.99% *	5.73%	5.73%
Mining and manufacturing	433,012	0.38%	0.53%	0.91%	1.69%	1.76%	0.85%	0.85%
Construction	305,588	1.25%	1.27%	1.87%	2.26%	1.89%	2.25%	2.25%
Utilities and transp.	368,535	1.10%	0.90%	1.40%	2.11%	2.83%	1.75%	1.75%
Wholesale trade	279,048	0.90%	1.52%	1.52%	1.83%	2.46%	1.94%	1.94%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	501,868	0.78%	0.47%	0.65%	1.56%	1.86%	1.05%	1.05%
Retail trade	589,228	0.80%	0.63%	1.00%	1.02%	1.77%	1.25%	1.25%
Professional services	827,189	0.37%	0.40%	0.54%	0.92%	1.16%	0.68%	0.68%
Other services	890,020	0.49%	0.51%	0.74%	0.95%	1.44%	0.98%	0.98%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	1,167,938	0.22%	0.24%	0.34%	0.49%	0.67%	0.42%	0.42%
For profit, unincorporated	555,411	0.75%	0.65%	0.89%	1.17%	1.36%	1.14%	1.14%
Nonprofit	647,143	0.38%	0.51%	0.72%	1.40%	1.66%	0.83%	0.83%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	371,823	1.85%	1.55%	1.76%	2.58%	1.21% *	2.62%	2.62%
5-9 years	362,876	1.28%	1.17%	1.62%	1.93%	1.88%	2.10%	2.10%
10-19 years	506,028	0.88%	0.83%	1.08%	1.42%	1.81%	1.57%	1.57%
20 or more years	1,169,002	0.16%	0.19%	0.29%	0.45%	0.57%	0.31%	0.31%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1,108,753	0.05%	0.08%	0.22%	0.47%	0.52%	0.17%	0.17%
1 location only	690,438	0.45%	0.47%	0.55%	0.75%	0.65%	0.81%	0.81%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	404,943	0.92%	0.96%	1.15%	1.41%	1.78%	1.59%	1.59%
25-49 %	542,876	0.70%	0.67%	1.08%	1.43%	2.03%	1.29%	1.29%
50-74 %	548,623	0.79%	0.67%	0.94%	1.42%	1.82%	1.28%	1.28%
75% or more	1,152,863	0.22%	0.24%	0.34%	0.50%	0.67%	0.41%	0.41%
Union presence								
No union employees	1,113,538	0.20%	0.23%	0.30%	0.40%	0.59%	0.38%	0.38%
Has union employees	773,019	0.22%	0.32%	0.41%	1.25%	1.35%	0.50%	0.50%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	731,356	0.48%	0.45%	0.70%	0.95%	1.30%	0.88%	0.88%
Less than 50% low-wage	1,158,932	0.21%	0.23%	0.30%	0.45%	0.61%	0.38%	0.38%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	751,880	0.56%	0.51%	0.77%	0.94%	1.40%	1.01%	1.01%
25-49 %	834,686	0.38%	0.44%	0.69%	1.06%	1.31%	0.78%	0.78%
50-74 %	905,508	0.36%	0.35%	0.51%	0.83%	1.10%	0.65%	0.65%
75% or more	661,938	0.48%	0.52%	0.60%	0.94%	1.21%	0.85%	0.85%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	919,019	0.33%	0.38%	0.52%	0.67%	0.92%	0.66%	0.66%
25-49 %	1,070,033	0.25%	0.27%	0.42%	0.71%	0.88%	0.47%	0.47%
50-74 %	501,824	0.83%	0.67%	0.91%	1.49%	1.81%	1.26%	1.26%
75% or more	189,854	2.32%	1.18%	1.33%	2.14%	2.23%	2.65%	2.65%

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