

Table VIII.B.3.a(2011) Percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2011

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	83,535,091	16.8%	24.0%	28.6%	30.6%
New England:					
Connecticut	1,089,882	17.3%	24.0%	27.6%	31.2%
Maine	354,552	17.6%	21.8%	29.8%	30.8%
Massachusetts	2,219,374	15.1%	24.9%	26.6%	33.5%
New Hampshire	409,370	15.0%	25.6%	28.3%	31.2%
Rhode Island	284,232	15.1%	24.0%	29.9%	31.0%
Vermont	173,055	15.6%	26.4%	27.3%	30.7%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	2,368,392	16.2%	23.3%	29.0%	31.5%
New York	5,419,317	16.8%	24.4%	28.1%	30.7%
Pennsylvania	3,994,360	17.0%	24.7%	28.0%	30.3%
East North Central:					
Illinois	3,969,716	16.6%	24.5%	28.7%	30.1%
Indiana	1,822,229	16.5%	22.4%	29.4%	31.7%
Michigan	2,526,955	14.8%	23.4%	30.1%	31.7%
Ohio	3,295,648	14.9%	26.7%	28.1%	30.3%
Wisconsin	1,666,099	15.6%	23.7%	28.9%	31.9%
West North Central:					
Iowa	856,501	15.7%	21.6%	30.2%	32.6%
Kansas	751,743	12.1%	25.6%	29.1%	33.2%
Minnesota	1,714,552	18.1%	22.1%	27.7%	32.1%
Missouri	1,674,603	17.8%	24.2%	28.0%	30.1%
Nebraska	533,983	16.2%	24.1%	29.1%	30.6%
North Dakota	209,260	13.9%	22.3%	31.0%	32.8%
South Dakota	219,143	14.4%	24.0%	31.8%	29.8%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	282,706	14.8%	23.5%	29.0%	32.7%
District of Columbia	384,039	17.4%	25.1%	29.0%	28.5%
Florida	4,706,863	17.8%	23.9%	28.6%	29.7%
Georgia	2,645,160	18.8%	23.4%	25.1%	32.7%
Maryland	1,638,584	16.3%	25.9%	27.2%	30.6%
North Carolina	2,395,342	16.2%	24.4%	29.7%	29.7%
South Carolina	1,115,270	16.6%	24.2%	28.3%	30.9%
Virginia	2,313,864	17.6%	24.6%	28.4%	29.5%
West Virginia	404,102	18.1%	24.3%	26.9%	30.7%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1,107,299	16.6%	23.4%	29.9%	30.2%
Kentucky	1,147,370	17.1%	26.0%	27.7%	29.3%
Mississippi	626,282	17.5%	24.5%	27.8%	30.1%
Tennessee	1,714,344	19.2%	23.5%	28.2%	29.2%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	697,257	17.8%	22.0%	30.9%	29.3%
Louisiana	1,132,521	18.7%	23.1%	27.8%	30.3%
Oklahoma	939,974	18.3%	23.5%	27.4%	30.8%
Texas	6,597,475	15.9%	24.1%	29.7%	30.3%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1,593,357	18.8%	21.9%	28.6%	30.7%
Colorado	1,410,070	18.4%	23.9%	26.4%	31.3%
Idaho	340,214	15.4%	21.4%	29.6%	33.6%
Montana	223,531	16.7%	22.8%	29.1%	31.4%
Nevada	763,228	19.3%	23.2%	27.1%	30.4%
New Mexico	437,657	16.9%	23.6%	28.2%	31.2%
Utah	735,833	16.2%	25.7%	27.8%	30.4%
Wyoming	141,704	15.6%	23.2%	28.5%	32.7%
Pacific:					
Alaska	200,051	17.7%	23.6%	28.2%	30.5%
California	9,313,906	16.9%	23.6%	29.5%	30.0%
Hawaii	351,567	18.6%	22.7%	29.8%	28.9%
Oregon	930,655	16.5%	24.5%	30.1%	28.9%
Washington	1,691,900	17.3%	21.6%	29.7%	31.4%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2011 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix. Percents may not add to 100% because of rounding.

Table VIII.B.3.a(2011) Standard error for percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2011

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	614,300	0.41%	0.46%	0.40%	0.39%
New England:					
Connecticut	58,445	2.62%	4.36%	3.87%	4.00%
Maine	28,265	3.48%	3.22%	3.67%	5.15%
Massachusetts	164,447	1.84%	3.39%	3.38%	5.05%
New Hampshire	36,881	1.54%	3.87%	4.61%	6.03%
Rhode Island	14,891	1.29%	2.80%	4.32%	4.08%
Vermont	14,019	2.29%	4.44%	3.82%	4.89%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	121,493	1.25%	1.81%	4.11%	4.44%
New York	178,019	1.57%	1.70%	3.95%	2.53%
Pennsylvania	304,970	2.69%	4.02%	3.57%	3.29%
East North Central:					
Illinois	254,271	1.97%	2.40%	2.71%	2.29%
Indiana	140,333	2.45%	4.39%	5.49%	4.64%
Michigan	167,114	2.35%	5.09%	4.84%	5.15%
Ohio	197,290	2.04%	3.85%	3.88%	2.62%
Wisconsin	86,937	2.07%	2.01%	3.39%	3.18%
West North Central:					
Iowa	60,100	2.01%	4.42%	2.92%	4.52%
Kansas	51,124	0.56%	3.47%	3.61%	4.92%
Minnesota	180,249	2.42%	4.31%	3.97%	4.19%
Missouri	142,858	3.53%	4.38%	4.01%	3.03%
Nebraska	19,389	2.48%	3.88%	2.73%	2.77%
North Dakota	11,220	1.65%	2.45%	5.29%	4.12%
South Dakota	14,080	2.44%	2.01%	4.51%	4.46%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	23,218	3.63%	4.42%	4.86%	5.69%
District of Columbia	22,622	2.68%	4.17%	4.06%	2.70%
Florida	149,064	2.32%	2.53%	3.15%	2.18%
Georgia	135,296	3.19%	4.90%	3.52%	3.44%
Maryland	135,746	3.02%	3.99%	4.72%	3.99%
North Carolina	111,378	1.78%	2.46%	3.15%	2.94%
South Carolina	95,540	2.71%	2.61%	3.54%	2.83%
Virginia	153,551	1.40%	2.75%	4.04%	3.52%
West Virginia	33,673	2.42%	3.74%	4.28%	2.54%
East South Central:					
Alabama	69,117	1.49%	2.79%	2.32%	2.46%
Kentucky	58,962	2.11%	2.85%	5.47%	4.41%
Mississippi	31,804	2.47%	2.80%	5.40%	4.32%
Tennessee	127,102	2.32%	3.13%	4.03%	4.73%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	69,506	1.45%	2.78%	4.89%	3.07%
Louisiana	86,601	2.63%	5.90%	3.64%	5.04%
Oklahoma	38,475	3.02%	4.28%	2.70%	3.02%
Texas	181,719	1.51%	1.77%	1.92%	2.47%
Mountain:					
Arizona	127,717	3.27%	3.74%	2.72%	4.84%
Colorado	111,168	2.36%	2.31%	2.85%	4.11%
Idaho	39,648	3.49%	2.89%	3.73%	5.12%
Montana	8,082	2.24%	3.53%	4.08%	2.75%
Nevada	75,654	3.01%	2.61%	4.29%	3.55%
New Mexico	21,482	2.66%	3.53%	2.10%	5.15%
Utah	33,288	2.63%	4.12%	3.93%	2.55%
Wyoming	10,099	2.27%	4.43%	2.29%	2.99%
Pacific:					
Alaska	17,499	3.48%	3.31%	5.75%	3.87%
California	218,171	1.52%	1.15%	2.18%	2.33%
Hawaii	27,872	2.27%	2.90%	4.35%	2.34%
Oregon	56,355	1.78%	3.94%	4.02%	3.31%
Washington	138,346	2.60%	3.23%	2.59%	3.46%

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