

Table III. B. 1. a. Percent of number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1996

Division	All State and local governments	State governments	Local governments				
			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	16,454,417	28.7%	12.5%	18.2%	20.8%	6.3%	13.5%
Census division							
New England	765,395	33.2%	12.3%	27.6%	16.1% *	7.9%	3.0%
Middle Atlantic	2,319,968	25.5%	12.5%	19.8%	14.4%	4.5%	23.3%
East North Central	2,623,487	26.9%	18.2%	25.1%	17.8%	2.3%	9.8%
West North Central	1,266,677	29.9%	25.8%	20.5%	15.6%	7.2% *	1.0%
South Atlantic	2,955,845	29.8%	4.8%	10.8%	25.6%	10.6%	18.3%
East South Central	1,014,460	32.7%	10.0%	24.2%	21.7%	4.8% *	6.6%
West South Central	1,904,265	28.4%	13.7%	17.2%	20.8%	8.5%	11.5%
Mountain	1,072,653	31.4%	14.0%	16.3%	20.3%	7.6%	10.4%
Pacific	2,531,666	27.5%	8.2%	13.4%	28.1%	4.7%	18.0%

Standard error for percent of number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1996

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			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	196,120	0.00%	0.51%	0.91%	1.01%	0.43%	0.00%
Census division							
New England	70,210	0.00%	1.90%	7.55%	6.63% *	1.51%	0.00%
Middle Atlantic	46,169	0.00%	1.74%	2.52%	2.24%	0.00%	0.00%
East North Central	71,711	0.00%	1.60%	3.09%	4.09%	0.00%	0.00%
West North Central	58,690	0.00%	2.10%	3.08%	3.59%	2.51% *	0.00%
South Atlantic	37,012	0.00%	0.69%	1.33%	1.62%	0.68%	0.00%
East South Central	29,557	0.00%	1.12%	1.80%	1.78%	1.85% *	0.00%
West South Central	64,929	0.00%	2.00%	1.89%	2.96%	2.15%	0.00%
Mountain	48,474	0.00%	2.51%	2.23%	2.71%	1.50%	0.00%
Pacific	84,012	0.00%	1.45%	2.93%	2.23%	0.89%	0.00%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1996 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey -- Insurance Component.

Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Note: Standard errors of zero indicate that all governments in that category are in the survey.

*Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.