

Table 16. Incidence rates¹ for nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work² per 10,000 full-time workers by selected worker characteristics, major occupational group, and selected natures of injury or illness, local government, South Carolina, 2020

| Characteristic | Local government | Nature of injury or illness ³ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | | Sprains, strains | Fractures | Cuts, lacerations, punctures | | | Bruises | Heat burns | Chemical burns | Amputations | Carpal tunnel syndrome | Tendonitis | Multiple traumatic injuries | | | Soreness | Pain | All other natures |
| | | | | Total | Cuts, lacerations | Punctures | | | | | | | Total | with fractures | with sprains | | | |
| Total | 135.0 | 35.5 | 10.2 | 6.0 | 5.3 | -- | 8.3 | 1.7 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2.2 | -- | 1.6 | 11.5 | 59.6 | |
| Gender: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Male | 135.2 | 46.0 | 9.5 | 4.6 | 3.8 | -- | 11.0 | 2.0 | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2.4 | -- | -- | 8.9 | 50.6 | |
| Female | 134.8 | 26.8 | 10.7 | 7.1 | 6.5 | -- | 6.2 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 2.0 | -- | -- | 13.5 | 67.0 | |
| Age: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 - 15 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| 16 - 19 | 155.3 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 88.6 | |
| 20 - 24 | 150.1 | 32.5 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 18.1 | 84.6 | |
| 25 - 34 | 166.3 | 37.6 | 7.3 | -- | -- | -- | 11.8 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 7.7 | 91.3 | |
| 35 - 44 | 94.2 | 21.5 | 8.1 | -- | -- | -- | 4.0 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 3.8 | -- | -- | 7.0 | 47.4 | |
| 45 - 54 | 119.5 | 40.9 | 6.1 | -- | -- | -- | 8.8 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 9.6 | 48.6 | |
| 55 - 64 | 180.6 | 46.0 | 21.7 | 15.0 | 15.0 | -- | 7.3 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 22.9 | 62.8 | | |
| 65 and over | 124.4 | 37.7 | 22.3 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 29.7 | |
| Major occupational group: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Management occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Business and financial operations occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Computer and mathematical occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Architecture and engineering occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Life, physical, and social science occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Community and social service occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Legal occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Educational instruction and library occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Arts, design, entertainment, sports, and media occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Healthcare support occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Protective service occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Food preparation and serving related occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Personal care and service occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Sales and related occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Office and administrative support occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Construction and extraction occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Production occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |
| Transportation and material moving occupations | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | |

¹ Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 10,000 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N/EH) x 20,000,000 where

N = number of injuries and illnesses

EH = total hours worked by all employees during calendar year

20,000,000 = base for 10,000 equivalent full-time workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

² Days-away-from-work cases include those that result in days away from work with or without job transfer or restriction.

³ Based on the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System 2.01 developed by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that are not available. Because of rounding and data exclusion of nonclassifiable responses, data may not sum to the totals.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating state agencies, October 26, 2021