

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

Table 8.3
STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT, BY STATE: MARCH 2012

State or other jurisdiction	All employees (full-time and part-time)			Full-time equivalent employment		
	Total	State	Local	Total	State	Local
United States	19,247,370	5,286,102	13,961,268	16,245,837	4,312,054	11,933,783
Alabama	316,747	106,121	210,626	281,798	86,976	194,822
Alaska	64,648	30,733	33,915	55,584	27,290	28,294
Arizona	334,922	85,445	249,477	284,163	69,392	214,771
Arkansas	200,815	74,133	126,682	173,198	63,606	109,592
California	2,118,075	482,955	1,635,120	1,734,723	395,489	1,339,234
Colorado	336,975	100,780	236,195	273,293	73,458	199,835
Connecticut	225,617	77,974	147,643	186,197	61,578	124,619
Delaware	56,912	31,843	25,069	49,291	26,588	22,703
Florida	990,525	210,435	780,090	886,808	181,262	705,546
Georgia	592,180	161,375	430,805	520,149	128,445	391,704
Hawaii	88,277	72,093	16,184	72,572	57,293	15,279
Idaho	98,952	28,142	70,810	77,721	21,548	56,173
Illinois	775,615	156,362	619,253	631,078	130,206	500,872
Indiana	399,130	116,850	282,280	329,630	89,332	240,298
Iowa	233,786	66,981	166,805	177,857	47,921	129,936
Kansas	238,493	59,406	179,087	192,890	48,491	144,399
Kentucky	283,805	102,026	181,779	248,786	85,315	163,471
Louisiana	301,258	94,022	207,236	266,842	79,378	187,464
Maine	92,065	27,215	64,850	72,027	21,022	51,005
Maryland	337,002	91,750	245,252	300,350	86,981	213,369
Massachusetts	391,205	121,013	270,192	327,076	96,752	230,324
Michigan	563,197	183,804	379,393	449,351	146,163	303,188
Minnesota	343,741	101,644	242,097	264,790	79,730	185,060
Mississippi	213,610	65,592	148,018	194,054	58,090	135,964
Missouri	372,700	100,948	271,752	317,851	85,919	231,932
Montana	72,445	26,401	46,044	56,331	20,251	36,080
Nebraska	145,351	37,174	108,177	120,912	32,094	88,818
Nevada	126,225	33,247	92,978	103,107	26,388	76,719
New Hampshire	90,340	25,184	65,156	71,609	18,589	53,020
New Jersey	562,984	164,125	398,859	486,498	146,220	340,278
New Mexico	142,667	54,296	88,371	123,775	45,216	78,559
New York	1,326,990	276,321	1,050,669	1,175,295	242,299	932,996
North Carolina	693,438	177,290	516,148	563,791	150,424	413,367
North Dakota	60,018	25,177	34,841	44,623	18,897	25,726
Ohio	712,255	185,369	526,886	587,476	135,594	451,882
Oklahoma	247,849	83,783	164,066	211,591	65,209	146,382
Oregon	243,555	81,414	162,141	192,468	65,777	126,691
Pennsylvania	700,129	205,993	494,136	584,407	158,094	426,313
Rhode Island	58,389	23,961	34,428	49,280	18,969	30,311
South Carolina	289,200	91,834	197,366	258,511	78,364	180,147
South Dakota	62,046	19,350	42,696	45,648	14,971	30,677
Tennessee	375,910	102,564	273,346	331,560	84,514	247,046
Texas	1,582,875	362,858	1,220,017	1,415,301	310,549	1,104,752
Utah	193,237	70,243	122,994	143,700	53,255	90,445
Vermont	52,909	18,098	34,811	42,384	15,023	27,361
Virginia	538,573	162,981	375,592	451,689	126,520	325,169
Washington	394,308	138,526	255,782	335,239	111,888	223,351
West Virginia	120,790	48,887	71,903	103,772	40,227	63,545
Wisconsin	377,914	105,422	272,492	282,864	70,851	212,013
Wyoming	61,515	15,962	45,553	51,504	13,646	37,858
Dist. of Columbia	45,206		45,206	44,423		44,423

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 2012 Census of Governments: Employment and the 2012 Annual Survey of Public Employment and Payroll. For information on sampling and nonsampling errors and definitions, see http://www.census.gov/govs/apes/how_data_collected.html. Data users who create their own estimates from this table should cite the U.S. Census Bureau as the source of the original data only.

Note: Statistics for local governments are estimates subject to sampling variation.