

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

**Table 8.5
STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT (FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT) FOR SELECTED FUNCTIONS,
BY STATE: 2012**

State	Selected functions										
	All functions	Education		Highways	Public welfare	Hospitals	Corrections	Police protection	Natural resources	Financial and other governmental administration	Judicial and legal administration
		Higher education (a)	Other education (b)								
United States	4,312,054	1,711,370	131,334	220,486	230,607	394,412	440,724	106,411	131,480	210,576	170,621
Alabama	86,976	38,042	2,928	4,418	4,071	11,678	5,140	1,458	1,999	3,057	3,197
Alaska	27,290	5,911	3,484	3,191	1,904	244	1,932	655	2,429	1,940	1,483
Arizona	69,392	30,596	3,173	2,804	5,066	616	10,564	1,847	1,538	3,525	2,035
Arkansas	63,606	26,095	1,398	3,424	3,961	6,757	5,312	1,235	2,043	2,710	1,364
California	395,489	157,940	4,252	20,240	3,738	42,381	53,030	11,041	15,001	28,969	6,033
Colorado	73,458	39,950	1,378	3,062	2,098	5,428	7,270	1,226	1,036	2,518	4,508
Connecticut	61,578	18,266	2,721	3,042	5,542	6,456	6,806	1,795	577	4,084	4,887
Delaware	26,588	8,437	357	1,536	1,604	1,512	2,879	1,012	532	1,248	1,762
Florida	181,262	61,069	3,003	6,748	9,291	4,163	26,356	4,242	8,291	8,390	19,222
Georgia	128,445	60,440	3,455	4,810	8,487	5,858	17,024	2,013	3,988	4,464	3,677
Hawaii	57,293	11,195	25,830	854	403	4,539	2,264	0	765	1,346	2,467
Idaho	21,548	8,189	344	1,539	1,577	578	2,009	462	1,848	1,614	473
Illinois	130,206	62,644	1,841	6,755	9,038	10,742	11,158	3,373	3,342	7,137	2,609
Indiana	89,332	58,376	999	3,809	4,532	1,871	6,237	1,886	2,231	2,633	1,427
Iowa	47,921	21,543	1,117	2,253	2,744	7,043	2,989	942	1,571	1,436	2,195
Kansas	48,491	20,679	661	3,108	2,229	7,242	3,296	1,052	845	2,322	2,079
Kentucky	85,315	38,731	2,621	4,487	6,095	5,799	4,334	2,390	3,040	3,230	5,681
Louisiana	79,378	26,911	3,861	4,635	5,022	11,810	6,396	1,731	4,152	5,087	1,688
Maine	21,022	7,417	219	2,088	2,696	481	1,154	523	1,017	1,732	688
Maryland	86,981	27,999	2,048	4,544	6,916	3,701	12,296	2,334	2,006	4,629	5,082
Massachusetts	96,752	30,808	1,218	3,100	6,810	5,815	6,110	8,587	1,182	5,900	8,864
Michigan	146,163	77,834	601	2,577	11,491	16,284	13,464	2,320	3,119	5,444	1,419
Minnesota	79,730	36,322	4,046	4,598	2,890	4,715	4,222	994	3,074	3,801	3,522
Mississippi	58,090	19,734	1,530	3,333	2,877	12,838	3,183	1,197	3,050	1,914	734
Missouri	85,919	28,212	1,662	5,360	7,184	10,220	12,105	2,472	2,434	4,211	3,932
Montana	20,251	7,260	380	2,094	1,698	605	1,160	464	1,507	1,438	710
Nebraska	32,094	12,480	529	2,074	2,544	3,822	2,861	753	2,143	1,090	737
Nevada	26,388	9,399	133	1,738	1,822	1,309	3,468	797	624	2,237	731
New Hampshire	18,589	6,733	313	1,714	1,572	553	1,097	460	379	1,074	887
New Jersey	146,220	34,965	18,476	5,810	8,682	17,537	9,028	4,019	1,580	6,702	13,130
New Mexico	45,216	17,520	841	2,059	1,671	7,675	3,639	650	945	1,257	3,191
New York	242,299	52,906	4,590	11,354	4,451	43,176	31,831	5,967	3,076	15,853	19,046
North Carolina	150,424	63,784	2,679	10,930	1,123	18,530	20,744	3,659	4,784	4,371	6,730
North Dakota	18,897	9,598	341	1,094	528	921	817	198	593	865	566
Ohio	135,594	69,280	1,996	6,343	2,715	16,886	13,229	2,614	2,461	7,204	2,385
Oklahoma	65,209	28,937	1,748	2,870	5,683	1,741	4,747	1,828	1,876	2,167	2,741
Oregon	65,777	23,329	658	3,735	7,645	7,650	5,078	1,359	2,493	4,733	2,949
Pennsylvania	158,094	53,743	4,414	13,775	11,436	11,223	18,578	6,485	5,761	10,387	2,960
Rhode Island	18,969	5,676	1,125	751	1,220	791	1,570	374	416	1,307	1,146
South Carolina	78,364	30,102	2,888	4,561	4,656	7,029	8,391	1,965	1,996	4,192	783
South Dakota	14,971	5,383	365	967	1,734	953	867	331	1,084	791	625
Tennessee	84,514	34,325	2,076	3,790	7,340	4,258	6,917	1,674	3,851	4,123	2,469
Texas	310,549	132,645	4,450	12,893	22,349	24,934	38,167	6,579	10,614	8,475	5,605
Utah	53,255	25,890	1,103	1,590	2,755	7,314	3,008	820	1,316	2,865	1,613
Vermont	15,023	5,690	432	1,252	1,320	234	1,103	629	581	1,065	682
Virginia	126,520	56,484	2,691	7,218	2,919	14,800	13,710	3,048	2,694	4,953	3,670
Washington	111,888	46,485	1,882	7,065	10,209	7,722	8,750	2,860	4,562	3,744	1,905
West Virginia	40,227	13,821	1,227	5,259	3,453	1,763	3,416	1,043	1,936	2,278	1,566
Wisconsin	70,851	37,574	1,026	1,384	2,048	3,446	9,641	757	2,118	3,214	2,215
Wyoming	13,646	4,021	224	1,851	768	769	1,377	291	980	750	551

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/apex/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.

Key:
(a) Includes instructional and other personnel.
(b) Includes instructional and other personnel in elementary and secondary schools, and other state education employees.