

*Various Work-Related Respiratory Conditions: Morbidity***Estimated number of employees (in thousands) and number of respiratory illnesses reported by employers by major SIC industry division, 1996–2002**

Year	Agriculture (SIC 01–09)		Mining (SIC 10–14)		Construction (SIC 15–17)		Manufacturing (SIC 20–39)		Transportation and Public Utilities (SIC 40–49)		Wholesale and Retail Trade (SIC 50–59)		Finance (SIC 60–67)		Services (SIC 70–89)	
	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases	Empl.	No. of Cases
1996	1,717	-	578	15	5,360	178	18,461	840	5,989	503	28,027	589	6,746	161	31,895	1,365
1997	1,765	-	596	33	5,637	177	18,657	671	6,171	163	28,584	490	6,952	42	33,305	667
1998	1,815	-	589	91	5,950	67	18,807	681	6,307	244	29,087	423	7,219	162	34,624	798
1999	1,861	-	535	38	6,337	59	18,538	682	6,578	236	29,716	381	7,400	84	36,374	665
2000	1,912	-	536	37	6,623	80	18,425	527	6,792	222	30,305	705	7,436	247	37,686	750
2001	1,171	-	535	24	6,774	99	16,386	364	4,738	95	20,910	351	7,679	67	50,858	892
2002	1,156	-	506	28	6,684	91	15,209	327	4,581	99	20,636	362	7,706	112	50,893	850

- indicates no data reported or data that do not meet BLS publication guidelines. SIC - Standard Industrial Classification Empl. - employment

NOTE: The sum of individual industries may not equal yearly total due to rounding. See appendices for source description and methods.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics annual reports of occupational injuries and illnesses.