

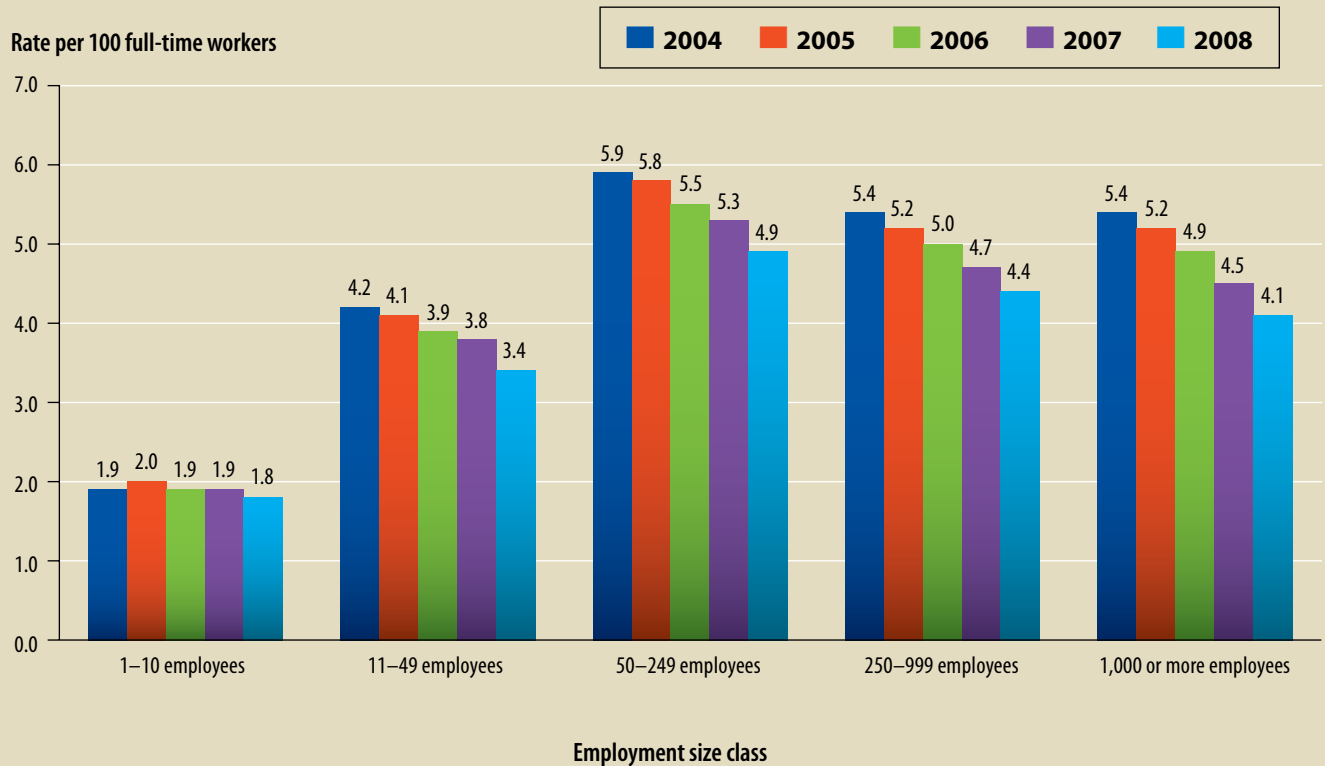
TOTAL INJURIES AND ILLNESSES

The total recordable case rate in 2008 was highest among mid-sized establishments (those with 50 to 249 employees), at 4.9 per 100 full-time workers. The rate was lowest among the smallest establishments (those with 1 to 10 employees), at 1.8 per 100 full-time workers in 2008.

The rate for the largest establishments (those with more than 1,000 employees) has declined the most out of all size groups since 2004. In 2004, the rate in this largest size class was 5.4 per 100 full-time workers. The rate has since declined to 4.1 per 100 full-time workers in 2008.

The total recordable case rate declined by statistically significant amounts from 2004 to 2008 in all sizes classes except the smallest (with 1 to 10 employees).

# Total recordable nonfatal occupational injury and illness rates, by employment size class, private industry, 2004–08



SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, October 2009.