



Bodily reaction and exertion, contact with objects and equipment, and falls accounted for nearly 9 out of 10 nonfatal injuries and illnesses that resulted in days away from work in 2006.

Nearly two out of three bodily reaction and exertion injuries occurred to the trunk of the body, and most bodily reaction cases resulted from a sprain or strain.

Women accounted for 44 percent of cases involving falls but accounted for only 34 percent of all injuries and illnesses.

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Distribution of injuries and illnesses, by event or exposure, private industry, 2006
(cases involving days away from work)

