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			Total	Struck by object	Struck against object	Caught in or compressed or crushed				Total	In lifting
<b>Local government</b> <sup>6,7</sup> .....		197,660	33,060	16,250	11,220	3,580	12,400	32,780	8,460	35,740	16,860
<b>Goods producing</b> <sup>6</sup> .....		4,760	660	390	170	30	290	450	90	950	360
<b>Construction</b> .....		4,740	660	390	170	–	280	450	90	950	360
<b>Construction</b> .....	23	4,740	660	390	170	–	280	450	90	950	360
Heavy and civil engineering construction .....	237	4,650	640	370	170	–	270	450	90	940	350
<b>Service providing</b> .....		192,910	32,400	15,860	11,050	3,550	12,110	32,330	8,370	34,790	16,500
<b>Trade, transportation, and utilities</b> <sup>8</sup> .....		14,160	2,340	1,160	660	360	1,090	1,620	610	2,580	1,060
<b>Transportation and warehousing</b> <sup>8</sup> .....	48-49	9,760	1,590	670	500	300	660	1,210	440	1,420	420
Transit and ground passenger transportation .....	485	8,690	1,470	640	460	290	610	1,020	410	1,150	250
<b>Utilities</b> .....	22	4,390	740	490	160	60	430	400	170	1,150	640
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Water, sewage and other systems .....	2213	3,050	540	380	100	40	370	250	110	840	500
<b>Education and health services</b> .....		69,870	12,240	7,100	3,510	1,050	4,410	16,760	3,250	14,350	7,000
<b>Educational services</b> .....	61	54,470	9,540	5,470	2,630	900	3,820	14,190	2,780	9,880	5,150
Educational services .....	611	54,470	9,540	5,470	2,630	900	3,820	14,190	2,780	9,880	5,150
Elementary and secondary schools .....	6111	52,100	9,050	5,290	2,420	880	3,650	13,700	2,700	9,300	4,850
<b>Health care and social assistance</b> .....	62	15,390	2,700	1,630	880	140	590	2,570	470	4,480	1,850
Hospitals .....	622	9,500	1,520	720	680	100	450	1,540	340	3,080	1,450
Nursing and residential care facilities .....	623	2,850	460	250	160	30	30	560	90	1,150	270
<b>Public administration</b> .....		99,410	15,440	6,520	6,370	1,420	6,300	12,970	4,130	16,050	7,460

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Industry <sup>2</sup>	Event or exposure leading to injury or illness <sup>4</sup>									
	Repetitive motion	Exposure to harmful substance or environment	Transportation accidents		Fires and explosions	Assaults and violent acts				
			Total	Highway accident		Total	Assaults by person	All other assaults		
							Total	Assaults by animal	All other events <sup>5</sup>	
<b>Local government</b> <sup>6,7</sup> .....	3,670	9,130	13,650	9,330	390	16,930	14,900	2,030	1,700	31,460
<b>Goods producing</b> <sup>6</sup> .....	120	330	810	590	—	70	—	70	70	970
<b>Construction</b> .....	120	330	810	590	—	70	—	70	70	970
<b>Construction</b> .....	120	330	810	590	—	70	—	70	70	970
Heavy and civil engineering construction .....	120	330	770	570	—	70	—	70	70	960
<b>Service providing</b> .....	3,540	8,800	12,840	8,740	380	16,860	14,900	1,960	1,630	30,490
<b>Trade, transportation, and utilities</b> <sup>8</sup> .....	350	700	1,780	1,270	—	750	530	220	220	2,330
<b>Transportation and warehousing</b> <sup>8</sup> .....	260	510	1,500	1,030	—	680	510	170	170	1,490
Transit and ground passenger transportation .....	230	450	1,420	980	—	670	510	170	170	1,260
<b>Utilities</b> .....	90	190	280	240	—	70	20	50	50	850
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Water, sewage and other systems .....	50	110	210	190	—	50	20	30	30	510
<b>Education and health services</b> .....	1,220	2,560	1,520	940	—	4,720	4,460	260	220	8,830
<b>Educational services</b> .....	830	1,810	1,120	610	—	3,540	3,310	230	210	6,960
Educational services .....	830	1,810	1,120	610	—	3,540	3,310	230	210	6,960
Elementary and secondary schools .....	770	1,690	1,050	570	—	3,490	3,280	210	190	6,680
<b>Health care and social assistance</b> .....	380	750	400	330	—	1,180	1,150	30	—	1,880
Hospitals .....	280	570	70	40	—	810	780	20	—	830
Nursing and residential care facilities .....	20	100	20	—	—	210	210	—	—	210
<b>Public administration</b> .....	1,710	5,320	9,050	6,110	350	11,280	9,830	1,450	1,160	16,810

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<b>Public administration</b> .....	92	99,410	15,440	6,520	6,370	1,420	6,300	12,970	4,130	16,050	7,460
Justice, public order, and safety activities .....	922	42,960	5,870	2,460	2,530	590	1,990	4,740	1,540	5,460	2,560
Justice, public order, and safety activities .....	9221	42,960	5,870	2,460	2,530	590	1,990	4,740	1,540	5,460	2,560
Police protection .....	92212	21,620	2,440	750	1,160	460	670	2,690	610	1,300	880
Fire protection .....	92216	12,720	2,350	1,340	760	100	950	1,040	640	3,100	1,310

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<b>Public administration</b> .....	1,710	5,320	9,050	6,110	350	11,280	9,830	1,450	1,160	16,810
Justice, public order, and safety activities .....	370	2,230	4,930	3,350	240	7,800	7,120	670	650	7,800
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Police protection .....	40	410	3,420	2,700	—	6,200	5,640	560	550	3,820
Fire protection .....	240	1,230	890	140	210	120	110	—	—	1,960

<sup>1</sup> Days-away-from-work cases include those that resulted in days away from work, some of which also included job transfer or restriction.

<sup>2</sup> Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> *North American Industry Classification System* — United States, 2007

<sup>4</sup> Data shown in columns correspond to the following Event codes: Contact with objects, Total = 00-09; Struck by object = 020-029; Struck against object = 010-019; Caught in or compressed or crushed = 030-049; Fall to lower level = 110-119; Fall on same level = 130-139; Slips or trips without fall = 215; Overexertion, Total = 220-229; In lifting = 221; Repetitive motion = 230-239; Exposure to harmful substances or environments = 30-39; Transportation incidents = 40-49; Highway accident = 41; Fires and explosions = 50-52; Assaults and violent acts, Total = 60-63; Assaults by person = 61; All other assaults = 60, 62, and 63; Assaults by animal = 63; All other events = all remaining codes, including 9999 (Nonclassifiable). These codes are based on the Occupational Injury and Illness Classification System developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

<sup>5</sup> Includes nonclassifiable responses.

<sup>6</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>7</sup> Data for Mining (Sector 21 in the *North American Industry Classification System*-- United

States, 2007) include establishments not governed by the Mine Safety and Health Administration rules and reporting, such as those in Oil and Gas Extraction and related support activities. Data for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries. These data do not reflect the changes the Occupational Safety and Health Administration made to its recordkeeping requirements effective January 1, 2002; therefore, estimates for these industries are not comparable to estimates in other industries.

<sup>8</sup> Data for employers in rail transportation are provided to BLS by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

NOTE: Dash indicates data do not meet publication guidelines. Because of rounding and data exclusion of nonclassifiable responses, data may not sum to the totals.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses in cooperation with participating State agencies