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Selected characteristic	All employed adults aged 18 years and over	Work-loss days in the past 12 months among employed adults ¹	Mean work-loss days per employed adult ¹	All adults aged 18 years and over	Bed days in the past 12 months among all adults ¹	Mean bed days per adult ¹
Total	159,094	606,074	3.8 (0.15)	237,394	1,123,633	4.8 (0.18)
Sex						
Male	83,734	281,593	3.4 (0.20)	114,334	466,809	4.1 (0.25)
Female	75,360	324,481	4.3 (0.24)	123,061	656,823	5.4 (0.25)
Age (years)						
18–44	89,777	297,678	3.3 (0.18)	111,717	333,664	3.0 (0.16)
45–64	60,363	276,631	4.6 (0.29)	82,286	483,215	5.9 (0.31)
65–74	7,489	28,596	3.9 (0.68)	25,086	160,045	6.4 (0.76)
75 and over	1,465	3,169	2.2 (0.61)	18,305	146,709	8.1 (0.96)
Race						
One race ²	156,682	598,862	3.8 (0.16)	233,678	1,103,230	4.8 (0.18)
White	127,243	484,344	3.8 (0.17)	189,484	924,212	4.9 (0.21)
Black or African American	18,850	88,097	4.7 (0.49)	28,503	138,013	4.9 (0.40)
American Indian or Alaska Native	1,190	*6,275	*5.3 (2.03)	1,970	9,900	5.1 (1.11)
Asian	9,000	17,946	2.0 (0.26)	13,236	29,430	2.2 (0.35)
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	400	*	*	485	*	*
Two or more races ³	2,412	7,212	3.0 (0.51)	3,716	20,402	5.5 (0.93)
Black or African American, white	602	*1,166	1.9 (0.52)	801	*2,333	2.9 (0.82)
American Indian or Alaska Native, white	851	*3,789	4.5 (1.31)	1,570	11,869	7.6 (1.88)
Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ and race						
Hispanic or Latino	25,167	76,485	3.0 (0.30)	35,704	124,717	3.5 (0.31)
Mexican or Mexican American	15,844	51,864	3.3 (0.45)	22,277	69,780	3.1 (0.39)
Not Hispanic or Latino	133,927	529,589	4.0 (0.17)	201,690	998,916	5.0 (0.21)
White, single race	104,380	416,799	4.0 (0.20)	156,858	811,715	5.2 (0.25)
Black or African American, single race	17,991	85,522	4.8 (0.51)	27,415	135,197	5.0 (0.42)
Education ⁵						
Less than a high school diploma	12,701	41,842	3.3 (0.48)	27,749	221,478	8.1 (0.72)
High school diploma or GED ⁶	30,957	134,645	4.4 (0.39)	52,621	293,623	5.6 (0.47)
Some college	41,723	208,094	5.0 (0.38)	60,000	365,728	6.1 (0.35)
Bachelor's degree or higher	51,451	167,278	3.3 (0.20)	65,758	179,677	2.7 (0.21)

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Family income⁷						
Less than \$35,000	36,455	154,714	4.3 (0.30)	72,188	544,315	7.6 (0.39)
\$35,000 or more	113,318	407,703	3.6 (0.18)	149,560	508,762	3.4 (0.19)
\$35,000–\$49,999	20,494	83,318	4.1 (0.49)	30,855	139,123	4.5 (0.50)
\$50,000–\$74,999	29,249	107,596	3.7 (0.28)	40,797	194,511	4.8 (0.47)
\$75,000–\$99,999	21,377	77,841	3.7 (0.39)	27,096	73,311	2.7 (0.30)
\$100,000 or more	42,198	138,948	3.3 (0.29)	50,812	101,818	2.0 (0.16)
Poverty status⁸						
Poor	14,154	64,566	4.6 (0.57)	29,822	261,189	8.8 (0.69)
Near poor	22,003	87,423	4.0 (0.43)	38,468	253,995	6.7 (0.48)
Not poor	111,472	400,984	3.6 (0.17)	148,428	500,015	3.4 (0.17)
Health insurance coverage⁹						
Under 65:						
Private	107,866	404,563	3.8 (0.17)	125,224	321,139	2.6 (0.11)
Medicaid	8,617	42,660	5.0 (0.83)	19,711	224,008	11.5 (1.03)
Other	3,808	12,730	3.4 (0.70)	9,247	112,065	12.3 (1.35)
Uninsured	29,242	113,324	3.9 (0.46)	38,942	158,037	4.1 (0.40)
65 and over:						
Private	5,463	21,101	3.9 (0.85)	21,580	97,785	4.6 (0.55)
Medicare and Medicaid	197	*	*	3,185	51,107	16.4 (2.55)
Medicare only	2,691	*8,470	3.2 (0.93)	14,960	117,728	7.9 (1.26)
Other	448	*	*	3,159	*36,292	*11.6 (3.58)
Uninsured	136	*	*	411	*	*
Marital status						
Married	85,765	312,994	3.7 (0.20)	125,149	494,261	4.0 (0.21)
Widowed	3,121	12,037	3.9 (0.74)	14,432	118,117	8.3 (1.06)
Divorced or separated	18,072	94,100	5.2 (0.52)	27,632	215,050	7.9 (0.60)
Never married	38,500	126,612	3.3 (0.30)	52,816	194,682	3.7 (0.30)
Living with a partner	13,285	59,796	4.5 (0.65)	16,910	99,790	5.9 (0.76)
Place of residence¹⁰						
Large MSA	88,024	328,868	3.8 (0.20)	127,881	534,275	4.2 (0.21)
Small MSA	49,337	198,361	4.0 (0.30)	73,440	387,774	5.3 (0.40)
Not in MSA	21,734	78,846	3.6 (0.35)	36,074	201,583	5.6 (0.50)
Region						
Northeast	28,245	111,647	4.0 (0.39)	41,590	146,589	3.5 (0.31)
Midwest	36,882	124,289	3.4 (0.27)	53,833	220,914	4.1 (0.33)
South	58,143	233,300	4.0 (0.29)	87,664	490,960	5.6 (0.32)
West	35,824	136,838	3.8 (0.29)	54,307	265,170	4.9 (0.44)

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Hispanic or Latino origin ⁴ , race, and sex						
Hispanic or Latino, male	14,469	45,641	3.2 (0.49)	17,870	56,450	3.2 (0.50)
Hispanic or Latina, female	10,698	30,845	2.9 (0.27)	17,834	68,267	3.8 (0.36)
Not Hispanic or Latino:						
White, single race, male	54,745	185,859	3.4 (0.24)	75,979	327,828	4.3 (0.34)
White, single race, female	49,635	230,940	4.7 (0.32)	80,880	483,886	6.0 (0.34)
Black or African American, single race, male	8,453	38,146	4.5 (0.84)	12,321	60,513	5.0 (0.73)
Black or African American, single race, female	9,538	47,376	5.0 (0.62)	15,094	74,684	5.0 (0.47)

* Estimates are considered unreliable. Data preceded by an asterisk have a relative standard error (RSE) greater than 30% and less than or equal to 50% and should be used with caution. Data not shown have an RSE greater than 50%.

- Quantity zero.

¹ Respondents who had worked during the past year were asked, "During the past 12 months, about how many days did you miss work at a job or business because of illness or injury (do not include maternity leave)?" In addition, all respondents were asked, "During the past 12 months, about how many days did illness or injury keep you in the bed more than half of the day (include days while an overnight patient in a hospital)?"

² Refers to persons who indicated only a single race group, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin.

³ Refers to persons who indicated more than one race group, including those of Hispanic or Latino origin. Only two combinations of multiple race groups are shown due to small sample sizes for other combinations.

⁴ Refers to persons who are of Hispanic or Latino origin and may be of any race or combination of races. "Not Hispanic or Latino" refers to persons who are not of Hispanic or Latino origin, regardless of race.

⁵ Shown only for adults aged 25 and over.

⁶ GED is General Educational Development high school equivalency diploma.

⁷ Includes persons who reported a dollar amount or who would not provide a dollar amount but provided an income interval.

⁸ "Poor" persons are defined as having income below the poverty threshold. "Near poor" persons have incomes of 100% to less than 200% of the poverty threshold. "Not poor" persons have incomes that are 200% of the poverty threshold or greater.

⁹ Based on a hierarchy of mutually exclusive categories. Adults with more than one type of health insurance were assigned to the first appropriate category in the hierarchy. "Uninsured" includes adults who had no coverage as well as those who had only Indian Health Service coverage or had only a private plan that paid for one type of service such as accidents or dental care.

¹⁰ MSA is metropolitan statistical area. Large MSAs have a population size of 1 million or more; small MSAs have a population size of less than 1 million. "Not in MSA" consists of persons not living in a metropolitan statistical area.

NOTES: Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian noninstitutionalized population. This table is based on data from the Sample Adult file and was weighted using the Sample Adult weight. Unknowns for the columns were not included in the denominators when calculating means, but they are included in the "All employed adults aged 18 and over" and "All adults aged 18 and over" columns. "Total" includes other races not shown separately and persons with unknown education, family income, poverty status, and health insurance characteristics. For more information on the data source, methods, and definitions used for this table, refer to Technical Notes for Summary Health Statistics Tables: National Health Interview Survey (available from <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>). Suggested citation: Blackwell DL, Villarreal MA, Clarke TC. Tables of Summary Health Statistics for U.S. Adults: 2013 National Health Interview Survey, 2015. Available from: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/SHS/tables.htm>.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health Interview Survey, 2013.