Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses, 2004



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Dear Employer:

This survey asks employers to provide information about occupational injuries and illnesses based upon the information you have maintained for Calendar Year 2004 on your *OSHA Forms for Recording Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses*. Copies of these forms were mailed to you in late 2003. Although participation in this survey is mandatory under Public Law 91-596, we have made every effort to reduce the amount of time required wherever possible and still collect the necessary information. To the full extent permitted by law, this information will be held in confidence and be used only for statistical purposes. Contact information is included for each State to provide you with assistance in completing this survey.

Please correct your company address as needed

For your convenience, you can submit your survey response online at https://idcf.bls.gov

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We estimate it will take you an average of 24 minutes to complete this survey (ranging from 10 minutes to 5 hours per package), including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing this information. If you have any comments regarding the estimates or any other aspect of this survey, including suggestions for reducing this burden, please send them to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Safety and Health Statistics (1220-0045), 2 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E., Washington, DC 20212. Persons are not required to respond to the collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. **DO NOT SEND THE COMPLETED FORM TO THIS ADDRESS.**

The Bureau of Labor Statistics, its employees, agents, and partner statistical agencies, will use the information you provide for statistical purposes only and will hold the information in confidence to the full extent permitted by law. In accordance with the Confidential Information Protection and Statistical Efficiency Act of 2002 (Title 5 of Public Law 107-347) and other applicable Federal laws, your responses will not be disclosed in identifiable form without your informed consent.

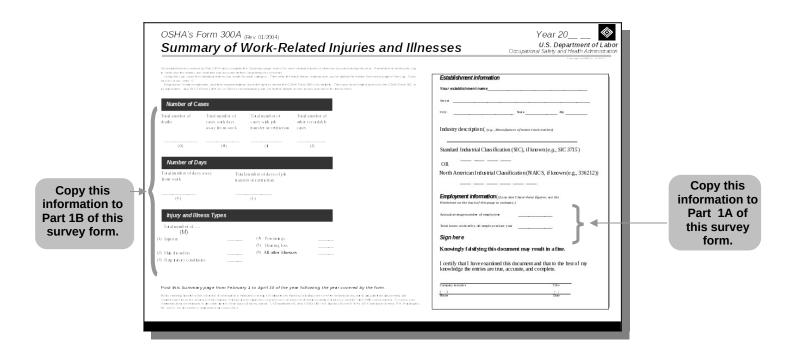
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Who must complete the Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses?

Under Public Law 91-596, all establishments that receive this survey must complete and return it within 30 days, even if they had no work-related injuries and illnesses during 2004.

What do you need to do?

- Identify the *Reporting Site* referred to on the front cover. Complete this survey **only** for the establishment(s) noted on the front cover under *Reporting Site*.
- Under the Check Your Company Address printed on the front cover. Make any necessary corrections directly on the front cover.
- Refer to your *Reporting Site's OSHA Forms for Recording Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses*. Copies of these forms were mailed to you in late 2003.
 - your 2004 Log of Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses (OSHA Form 300),
 - your 2004 Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses (OSHA Form 300A), and
 - your supplemental records of cases with days away from work (OSHA Form 301 or an equivalent).
- Complete Part 1A and Part 1B. You can either photocopy your OSHA Form 300A or you can transcribe the entries noted below from your OSHA Form 300A to this survey form.



- Complete Part 2: *Reporting Cases with Days Away from Work* if your establishment had any worker injuries or illnesses that resulted in days away from work in 2004.
- Write the name of the contact person we should call with questions in *Contact Information* on the back cover of this booklet.
- Return this survey booklet and any attachments in the enclosed envelope within 30 days of the date your establishment received it.

Part 1A. Establishment Information

Using your completed Calendar Year 2004 *Summary of Work-Related Injuries and Illnesses (OSHA Form 300A*), copy the establishment information into the boxes below. If more than one establishment is noted on the front cover under *Reporting Site*, add together the total lines from each specified establishment's OSHA Form 300A to complete the 2004 totals for all establishments. Then copy those totals into the corresponding spaces below. If these numbers are not available on your OSHA Form 300A, or if your establishment does not keep records needed to answer (1) and (2) below, you can estimate using the steps that follow.

1.	For the reporting site identified on the cover: Enter the annual average employment for 2004. (You can copy this from your OSHA Form 300A.) Annual average number of employees for 2004	2. For the reporting site identified on the cover: Enter the total hours worked for 2004. (You can copy this from your OSHA Form 300A.) Total hours worked by all employees in 2004 Note: Total Hours Worked should exclude vacation, sick leave, holidays, and other non-work time.
	If needed: Steps to estimate employment	If needed: Steps to estimate total hours worked
	STEP 1: Add the number of employees your establishment paid in every pay period during 2004. Include all employees: full-time, part-time, temporary, seasonal, salaried, and hourly.	STEP 1: Find the number of full-time employees in your establishment for 2004.
		ABC Company had 15 full-time employees during 2004.
	Acme Construction pays its employees 26 times each year. During 2004, In this pay period Acme paid this many employees	STEP 2: Multiply this number by the number of hours worked for a full-time employee in a year. This is equal to the number of full-time hours worked:
	1	ABC Company's 15 full-time employees worked an average of about 1,760 hours each per year after excluding vacation, sick leave, holidays, and other non-work time. (<i>The hours worked for a full-time employee in a year may be different at your reporting site.</i>) 15 (full-time employees) times 1,760 (hours worked by a full-time employee in a year) equals 26,400 full-time hours.
	periods your establishment had in 2004. Include any pay periods when you had no employees.	STEP 3: Add the number of any overtime hours and the number of hours worked by other employees (part-time,
	Because Acme has 26 pay periods, it would divide its sum by 26. 830 divided by 26 = 31.92	temporary, seasonal) to the amount in Step 2:
	STEP 3: Round the answer to the next highest whole number. Write the rounded number in the box marked Annual average number of employees.	ABC Company's full-time employees worked a total of 1,500 hours of overtime. In addition, 3 part-time employees worked a total of 2,715 hours during 2004. Adding these hours to those from Step 2:
	Acme would round 31.92 to 32 and write that number in the box marked <i>Annual average number of employees</i> .	Full-time hours from Step 2 26,400 Overtime hours + 1,500 Part-time hours + 2,715 Total hours worked by all employees in 2004 = 30,615
3.	Check any conditions that might have affected y hours worked during 2004:	your annual average number of employees or total
	☐ Strike or lockout ☐ Sho ☐ Shutdown or layoff ☐ Lon ☐ Seasonal work ☐ Oth	orter work schedules or fewer pay periods than usual nger work schedules or more pay periods than usual ner reason: thing unusual happened to affect our employment or hours figures.

Did	you ha	ve ANY occupati	onal injuries or ill	nesses during 2004?		
			nary of Work-Related nation on the back co	I Injuries and Illnesses, 20 ver.	04 directly below.	
art	1B:	Summary	of Work-Rel	ated Injuries a	nd Illnesses, 2004	
Jsing y	our com	pleted Calendar Year	2004 Summary of Wo	rk-Related Injuries and Illr	nesses (OSHA Form 300A):	
0	front co	over under Reportin	g Site , add together tl	ne total lines from each spe	than one establishment is noted on the cified establishment's OSHA Form 300, o the corresponding spaces below.	A
2	more th		is noted on the front		d Injuries and Illnesses (OSHA Form 30 te , be sure to include the OSHA Form 3	
8	If any t	otal is zero on your C	SHA Form 300A, wri	te "0" in that total's space	below.	
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		Total number of deaths	Total number of cases with days away from work	Total number of cases with job transfer or restriction	Total number of other recordable cases	
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		Number of Day	/S			
		Total number of da away from work	•	Total number of days of job transfer or restriction		
	Number of Days Total number of days away from work (K)		-	(L)		
		Injury and Illne	ess Types			
		Total number of				
		(1) Injuries		(4) Poisonings		
		(2) Skin disorders(3) Respiratory con	nditions	(5) Hearing loss (6) All other illness	es	
•		al Number of Cases + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6).		· H + I + J must equal the to	otal Injury and Illness Types recorded	above
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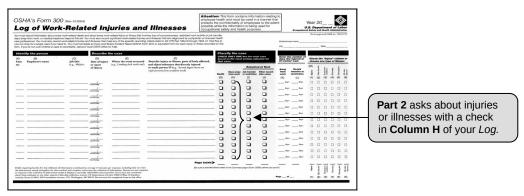
Look at the total *Number of Cases* you entered in Column H above.

- If you had **NO** cases in Column H, you are finished with the survey. Go to *Contact Information* on the Back Cover.
- If you had cases in Column H, go to *Part 2: Reporting Cases with Days Away from Work.*

Part 2: Reporting Cases with Days Away from Work

This part of the survey asks you about individual injuries and illnesses that resulted in an employee being away from work. Several copies of the form *Case with Days Away from Work* are included. To answer the questions on this form, you'll need:

• your completed copy of the 2004 *Log* (OSHA Form 300)



your completed copies of supplementary documents about the case, such as a workers' compensation report, an accident report, an insurance form, or the *Injury and Illness Incident Report* (OSHA Form 301).

Which cases should you report?

To identify the individual cases to report, follow these steps:

- Go to your completed 2004 OSHA Form 300. If more than one establishment is noted on the front cover under Reporting Site, be sure to look at all your OSHA Form 300's to find which cases to report.
- Mark each case that has a check in **column (H) on the Log** (OSHA Form 300). These are the **only** cases you should report.

- We have designed this survey to ensure that you do not have to report more than approximately 30 cases. If you have significantly more than 30 cases, please go to *If You Need Help...* at the back of this booklet and call the phone number listed for your State for assistance.
- Fill out one *Case with Days Away from Work* form for each case that you identified in Step 2. You can find most of the information on a supplementary document such as a workers' compensation report, an accident report, an insurance form, or the *Injury and Illness Incident Report* (OSHA Form 301).
 - (If you need more *Case with Days Away from Work* forms, you may either photocopy a blank one or go to *If You Need Help...* at the back of this booklet and call the phone number listed for your State).
- **6** When you have finished, proceed to *Contact Information* on the back cover of this booklet.

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Tell us about the Case				
Go to your completed OSHA Form 30	00. Copy the case information	from that form into the	spaces below.	
Employee's name (column B)	Job title (column C)	Date of injury or onset of illness (column D) / /04 month day year	Number of days away from work (column K)	Number of days of job transfer or restriction (column L)
Tell us about the Employee		Tell us about	the Incident	
1. Check the category which best describes of job or work: (optional) Office, professional, business, or management staff Sales Product assembly, product manufacture Repair, installation or service of machines, equipment Construction Other: 2. Employee's race or ethnic background: American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islan White Not available NOTE: You may either answer questions (3) supplementary document that answers them.	Healthcare Delivery or driving Food service Cleaning, maintenance of building, grounds Material handling (e.g.,stocking loading/unloading, moving, etc Farming (optional-check one or more)	6. Time employee beg 7. Time of event: Event occurred: 8. What was the emp Describe the activity employee was using carrying roofing ma "daily computer key 9. What happened? Examples: "When I "Worker was sprayed	gan work: am	The cannot be determined after workshift re the incident occurred? equipment, or material the bles: "climbing a ladder while orine from hand sprayer"; or illness occurred. Eloor, worker fell 20 feet"; gasket broke during
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Tell us about the Employee	Tell us about the Incident
1. Check the category which best describes the employee's regular type of job or work: (optional) Office, professional, business, or management staff Sales Product assembly, product manufacture Repair, installation or service of machines, equipment Construction Other: 2. Employee's race or ethnic background: (optional-check one or more) American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White Not available	Answer the questions below or attach a copy of a supplementary document that answers them. 6. Time employee began work: ampm 7. Time of event: ampm OR
NOTE: You may either answer questions (3) to (11) or attach a copy of a supplementary document that answers them. 3. Employee's age:OR date of birth:/	Examples: "When ladder slipped on wet floor, worker fell 20 feet"; "Worker was sprayed with chlorine when gasket broke during replacement"; "Worker developed soreness in wrist over time."
4. Employee's date hired:/	10. What was the injury or illness? Tell us the part of the body that was affected and how it was affected; be more specific than "hurt," "pain," or "sore." <i>Examples</i> : "strained back"; "chemical burn, hand"; "carpal tunnel syndrome."
More than 5 years 5. Employee's sex: Male	11. What object or substance directly harmed the employee? Examples: "concrete floor"; "chlorine"; "radial arm saw." If this question does not apply to the incident, leave it blank.

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Go to your completed OSHA Form 3	300. Copy the case information	from that form into the	spaces below.	
Employee's name (column B)	Job title (column C)	Date of injury or onset of illness (column D) / /04 month day year	Number of days away from work (column K)	Number of days of job transfer or restriction (column L)
Tell us about the Employe	e	Tell us about	the Incident	
1. Check the category which best describes of job or work: (optional) Office, professional, business, or management staff Sales Product assembly, product manufacture Repair, installation or service of machines, equipment Construction Other: 2. Employee's race or ethnic background American Indian or Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Hispanic or Latino Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Isl White Not available NOTE: You may either answer questions (Supplementary document that answers them.	Healthcare Delivery or driving Food service Cleaning, maintenance of building, grounds Material handling (e.g. stocking loading/unloading, moving, etc Farming (optional-check one or more) ander	6. Time employee beg 7. Time of event: Event occurred: 8. What was the emp Describe the activity employee was using carrying roofing ma "daily computer key 9. What happened? Examples: "When a "Worker was sprayed"	gan work: am	om OR Check if time cannot be determined after workshift re the incident occurred? equipment, or material the bles: "climbing a ladder while orine from hand sprayer"; or illness occurred. floor, worker fell 20 feet"; gasket broke during
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Contact Information								
Fill in the name, title, and phone number of the person we should call with questions about the survey.								

Ext.

Fax number

Use the return envelope to send us the **entire package** -- everything that we sent you -- within 30 days of the date your establishment received it. If the return envelope is missing, send the **entire package** to the return address on the front cover (look for *Address for Return Envelope*).

Today's date

Telephone number

If You Need Help . . .

Printed name

Title

If you have any questions or if you need help completing this survey, call the phone number that is listed below for your State. The phone number may be for an office outside your State, but they will be able to help you. If you prefer to write, send your letter to the return address on the front of this package

Alabama

(334) 242-3460 (334) 240-3417 fax

Alaska

(907) 465-4539 (907) 465-2101 fax

Arizona

(602) 542-3739 (602) 542-6360 fax

Arkansas

(501) 682-4542 (501) 682-4754 fax

California

(415) 703-3020 (415) 703-3029 fax

Colorado

(816) 426-2483

Connecticut

(860) 566-4380 (860) 566-1731 fax

Delaware

(302) 761-8221, 8223 (302) 761-6605 fax

District of Columbia

(202) 442-5920, 5930 (202) 442-4833 fax

Florida

(850) 413-1611 (800) 219-8953 (850) 922-0024 fax

Georgia

(404) 679-0687 ext. 114, 117 (404) 679-5818 fax

Guam

(671) 647-6521 (671) 647-6516 fax

Hawaii

(808) 586-9001 (808) 586-9022 fax

Idaho

(415) 975-4473 (415) 975-4472 fax

Illinois

(217) 524-2098 (217) 557-5152 fax

Indiana

(317) 232-2668 (317) 233-3790 fax

Iowa

(515) 281-3661 (515) 242-5076 fax

Kansas

(785) 296-5642 (785) 291-3612 fax

Kentucky

(502) 564-3070 ext. 277 (502) 564-1682 fax

Louisiana

(225) 342-3126 (225) 342-3269 fax

Maine

(207) 624-6453 (207) 624-6450 fax

Maryland

(410) 767-2373 (410) 333-7909 fax

Massachusetts

(617) 727-3593 (617) 727-5726 fax

Michigan

(517) 322-1848 (517) 322-5117 fax

Minnesota

(651) 284-5428 (888) 589-6322 (651) 284-5726 fax

Mississippi

(404) 562-2518 (404) 562-2542 fax

Missouri

(573) 751-2719, 2663, 3802 (573) 751-2319 fax

Montana

(800) 541-3904

Nebraska

(402) 471-3547 (800) 599-5155 (402) 742-2352 fax

Nevada

(775) 684-7081 (775) 687-3826 fax

New Hampshire

(617) 565-2302 (617) 565-3847 fax

New Jersey

(609) 633-0755 (609) 633-0618 fax

New Mexico

(505) 827-4230 (505) 476-8566 fax

New York

(212) 352-6688, 6691 (212) 352-6711 fax

North Carolina

(919) 733-2758 (919) 733-2186 fax

North Dakota

(312) 353-7253 (312) 353-7230 fax

Ohio

(312) 353-7253 (312) 353-7230 fax

Oklahoma

(405) 528-1500 ext. 257 (405) 528-3412 fax

Oregon

(503) 947-7030 (503) 378-3134 fax

Pennsylvania

(215) 861-5637, 5638 (215) 861-5736 fax

Puerto Rico

(787) 754-2467 (787) 765-4687 fax

Rhode Island

(401) 462-8820 (401) 462-8766 fax

South Carolina

(803) 734-9653, 4298 (803) 734-9772 fax

South Dakota

(312) 353-7253 (312) 353-7230 fax

Tennessee

(800) 778-3966 (615) 741-1748 (615) 253-5501 fax

Texa:

(866) 237-6405 toll free (512) 804-4652 fax

Utah

(801) 530-6926, 6823 (801) 536-7906 fax

Vermont

(802) 828-5076 (802) 828-2195 fax

Virgin Islands

(340) 776-3700 ext. 2135 (340) 777-4803 fax

Virginia

(804) 786-8011 (804) 786-8418 fax

Washington

(360) 902-5640 (360) 902-5529 fax

West Virginia

(304) 558-3322 (800) 652-9033 (304) 558-0301 fax

Wisconsin

(800) 884-1273 (608) 266-3058 fax

Wyoming

(866) 518-6680 (307) 473-3863 fax