Appendix C

Type of injury or illness and body parts affected by nonfatal injuries and illnesses in 2014

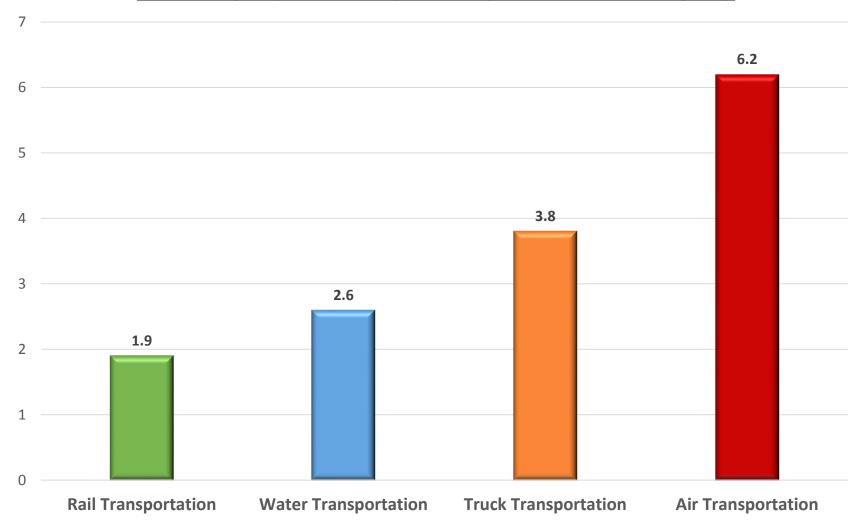
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Sprains, strains, or tears were the leading injury or illness in private industry and state and local government in 2014. There were 420,870 of these cases requiring days away from work to recuperate. The incidence rate was 38.9 cases per 10,000 full-time workers, down from 40.2 in 2013. Workers who suffered sprains, strains, or tears needed a median of 10 days away from work, compared to 9 days for all types of injuries or illnesses.

Nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses involving days away from work by nature of injury or illness, private and state and local government, 2014

Nature of injury or illness	Number of cases	Incidence rate	Median days away from work
Fractures	95,550	8.8	32
Sprains, strains, tears	420,870	38.9	10
Amputations	4,900	0.5	19
Cuts, lacerations, punctures	94,670	8.8	3
Bruises, contusions	97,080	9.0	5
Chemical burns and corrosions	3,750	0.3	3
Heat (thermal) burns	14,120	1.3	5
Multiple traumatic injuries	36,040	3.3	10
Soreness, pain	197,870	18.3	9
Carpal tunnel syndrome	7,970	0.7	32
Tendonitis (other or unspecified)	2,440	0.2	15
All other natures	182,150	16.9	9

2018 Injury Rates by Transportation Category



2018 Injury Rates Comparison – Other Industries

