

Table 27. Short-term disability plans: Maximum benefit amounts, State and local government workers, National Compensation Survey, March 2015

(All workers with fixed percent of annual earnings short-term disability coverage = 100 percent)

Characteristics	With maximum benefit amount	Maximum weekly benefit amount ¹					With no maximum benefit amount
		10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile (median)	75th percentile	90th percentile	
All workers	72	\$185	–	\$692	\$850	\$1,662	28
Worker characteristics							
Management, professional, and related	74	185	\$500	692	961	2,000	26
Professional and related	73	185	500	692	850	2,000	27
Teachers	75	185	546	692	831	2,000	25
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	73	–	546	692	831	2,310	27
Service	69	170	200	521	769	1,500	31
Protective service	60	135	200	500	692	–	40
Sales and office	74	200	–	595	987	1,662	26
Office and administrative support	74	200	–	595	1,000	1,662	26
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	67	135	–	595	692	1,500	33
Production, transportation, and material moving ...	63	170	–	692	–	–	37
Full time	73	185	500	692	961	2,000	27
Part time	67	185	185	–	604	–	33
Union	79	170	200	546	850	1,662	21
Nonunion	64	–	595	692	917	2,000	36
Average wage within the following categories: ²							
Lowest 25 percent	68	200	500	692	769	–	32
Lowest 10 percent	64	–	500	692	–	2,000	36
Second 25 percent	71	185	200	595	–	1,662	29
Third 25 percent	77	170	–	692	–	2,000	23
Highest 25 percent	73	170	–	604	831	–	27
Highest 10 percent	76	170	–	831	831	–	24
Establishment characteristics							
Service-providing industries	72	185	–	692	917	–	28
Education and health services	72	185	500	692	850	2,000	28
Educational services	73	185	500	692	831	2,000	27
Elementary and secondary schools	71	–	500	692	831	–	29
Health care and social assistance	65	170	521	961	–	2,000	35
Hospitals	66	170	–	987	1,500	2,000	34
Public administration	71	170	200	595	–	1,662	29
1 to 99 workers	66	–	500	692	–	1,662	34
50 to 99 workers	55	–	–	–	1,662	–	45
100 workers or more	73	170	–	692	850	2,000	27
100 to 499 workers	68	170	–	692	–	2,308	32
500 workers or more	74	185	–	692	831	1,662	26

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Short-term disability plans: Maximum benefit amounts, State and local government workers, National Compensation Survey, March 2015—continued

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Characteristics	With maximum benefit amount	Maximum weekly benefit amount ¹					With no maximum benefit amount
		10th percentile	25th percentile	50th percentile (median)	75th percentile	90th percentile	
State government	81	\$135	\$185	\$595	—	\$1,662	19
Local government	69	200	462	692	\$961	2,000	31
Geographic areas							
Northeast	87	170	200	584	831	850	13
Middle Atlantic	88	170	200	546	831	831	12
South	73	500	625	692	692	2,000	27
South Atlantic	79	500	692	692	692	2,000	21
Midwest	33	—	—	—	—	2,308	67
East North Central	30	500	692	1,000	2,000	2,308	70
West	80	135	185	—	1,662	2,500	20
Pacific	82	135	185	—	—	2,000	18

¹ The 10th, 25th, 50th, 75th, and 90th percentiles designate position within each published series. For example, at the 50th percentile or median, half of the participating workers receive the same as or more than the benefit shown, and half receive the same as or less than the benefit shown. At the 25th percentile, one-fourth of the participating workers receive the same or less than the benefit shown. The remaining percentiles follow the same logic.

² Surveyed occupations are classified into wage categories based on the average wage for the occupation, which may include workers with earnings both above and below the threshold. The categories were formed using percentile estimates generated using wage data for March 2015.

Note: Because of rounding, sums of individual items may not equal totals. Dash indicates no workers in this category or data did not meet publication criteria. For definitions of major plans, key provisions, and related terms, see the "Glossary of Employee Benefit Terms" at www.bls.gov/ncs/ebs/glossary20142015.htm.