

Table 27. Short-term disability plans: Maximum benefit amounts, State and local government workers, March 2018

(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	74	\$170	\$200	\$604	\$800	\$1,500	26
Worker characteristics							
Management, professional, and related	78	170	200	615	723	1,160	22
Professional and related	79	170	200	615	720	1,150	21
Teachers	84	185	225	692	692	1,000	16
Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers	84	200	225	692	692	1,000	16
Service	74	170	200	600	1,000	–	26
Protective service	77	135	200	570	1,000	2,300	23
Sales and office	71	170	200	600	692	1,270	29
Office and administrative support	70	170	200	595	692	1,270	30
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance	62	170	–	692	1,000	1,500	38
Production, transportation, and material moving ...	59	170	170	–	692	1,000	41
Full time	75	170	200	615	808	1,500	25
Part time	70	170	170	185	615	731	30
Union	77	135	185	225	633	1,000	23
Nonunion	72	185	500	692	1,000	1,500	28
Average wage within the following categories: ²							
Lowest 25 percent	70	170	–	692	923	1,500	30
Lowest 10 percent	75	170	–	576	1,000	1,500	25
Second 25 percent	72	170	200	580	800	1,500	28
Third 25 percent	76	170	–	692	923	1,500	24
Highest 25 percent	78	170	185	–	692	1,000	22
Highest 10 percent	82	135	185	200	633	831	18
Establishment characteristics							
Service-providing industries	74	170	200	604	750	1,500	26
Education and health services	76	185	200	633	808	1,160	24
Educational services	77	170	200	615	692	1,000	23
Elementary and secondary schools	75	170	200	615	692	1,000	25
Junior colleges, colleges, and universities	81	185	185	595	692	923	19
Health care and social assistance	75	185	–	923	–	–	25
Public administration	71	135	200	576	–	1,500	29
1 to 99 workers	72	135	170	576	692	1,270	28
1 to 49 workers	66	135	135	–	692	–	34
50 to 99 workers	80	135	–	633	–	1,270	20
100 workers or more	75	170	200	615	808	1,500	25
100 to 499 workers	73	170	–	692	1,000	1,000	27
500 workers or more	75	170	200	576	750	1,500	25

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 27. Short-term disability plans: Maximum benefit amounts, State and local government workers, March 2018—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	\$692	—	19
Local government	72	170	200	604	1,000	\$1,500	28
Geographic areas							
Northeast	93	170	170	200	604	637	7
Middle Atlantic	96	170	170	200	604	633	4
South	78	500	576	692	692	1,000	22
South Atlantic	81	500	692	692	692	—	19
Midwest	30	—	500	923	1,270	1,500	70
East North Central	25	—	580	923	1,000	1,500	75
West	80	135	185	594	1,385	2,310	20
Mountain	78	—	1,000	1,500	2,310	2,310	22
Pacific	81	135	135	185	—	1,000	19

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 2018.

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/national-compensation-survey-glossary-of-employee-benefit-terms.htm.

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