

**Table 9.66-- STATE GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLL, BY FUNCTION: MARCH 2023**

[In number of jobs and dollars. Data are preliminary. Beginning with the release of the 2019 Annual Survey of Public Employment and Payroll, 'Part-Time Hours' are no longer included in the content that is collected and published]

Government function	Employment				Payroll		
	Total	Full-time	Part-time	Full-time equivalent	Total March	Full-time employees	Part-time employees
Total	67,743	50,481	17,262	55,655	312,719,002	287,718,229	25,000,773
Financial administration	635	635	-	635	3,518,486	3,518,486	-
Other government admin.	799	750	49	777	4,162,756	4,084,649	78,107
Judicial and legal	2,521	2,463	58	2,481	14,751,220	14,629,696	121,524
Corrections	2,382	2,369	13	2,375	16,646,512	16,558,255	88,257
Highways	741	738	3	739	4,587,048	4,581,638	5,410
Air transportation	1,133	1,128	5	1,130	6,346,454	6,339,130	7,324
Sea & inland port facilities	226	225	1	226	1,262,826	1,262,054	772
Public welfare	1,162	1,154	8	1,157	6,130,775	6,115,990	14,785
Health	2,191	2,166	25	2,179	14,541,932	14,449,934	91,998
Hospitals	3,242	2,520	722	2,872	22,116,546	16,553,972	5,562,574
Social insurance admin.	268	264	4	266	1,220,510	1,207,192	13,318
Parks and recreation	601	125	476	160	691,682	652,626	39,056
Housing & community dev.	269	256	13	256	1,315,497	1,300,610	14,887
Natural resources	855	851	4	853	4,827,992	4,818,920	9,072
Education total	48,069	32,358	15,711	36,999	196,472,285	177,698,644	18,773,641
Elem. & sec. total	33,127	22,530	10,597	25,934	133,845,970	122,181,472	11,664,498
Elem & sec. instruct.	26,655	17,031	9,624	20,167	110,925,046	99,769,338	11,155,708
Elem & sec. other	6,472	5,499	973	5,767	22,920,924	22,412,134	508,790
Higher educ. total	14,633	9,521	5,112	10,757	61,019,281	53,913,845	7,105,436
Higher educ. Instruct.	4,203	3,028	1,175	3,317	28,974,934	25,578,977	3,395,957
Higher educ. other	10,430	6,493	3,937	7,440	32,044,347	28,334,868	3,709,479
Other	309	307	2	308	1,607,034	1,603,327	3,707
Libraries	557	405	152	468	1,936,417	1,799,981	136,436
All other and unallocable	2,092	2,074	18	2,082	12,190,064	12,146,452	43,612

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Survey of Public Employment & Payroll "State Government Employment and Payroll Data by State and Function: March 2023" (May 16, 2024) <<https://www.census.gov/data/datasets/2023/econ/apes/2023.html>> accessed May 16, 2024.