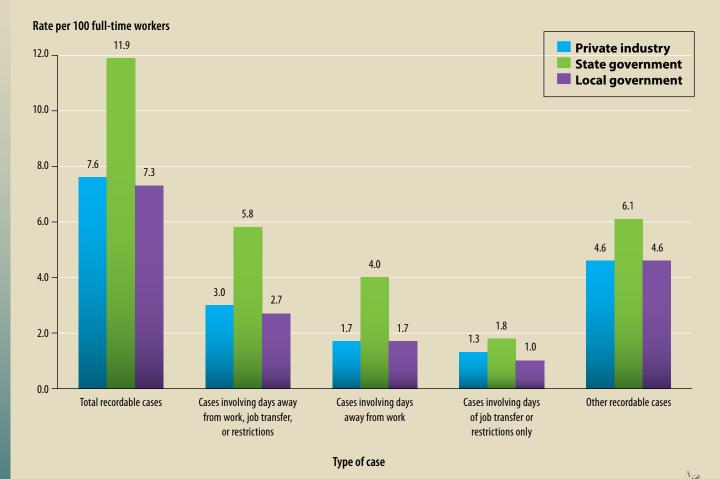
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Employees at State hospitals experienced nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses at a rate of 11.9 per 100 full-time workers, a rate that was notably higher than that of employees at either private or local government hospitals. The latter two rates were not significantly different from each another.

There were about 275,600 nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses in private hospitals, 36,900 in State hospitals, and 39,200 in local government hospitals in 2008.

Incidence rate of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses of employees in public and private hospitals, by type of case, 2008



SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, October 2009.