

Table 4. Number and rate per 100 beds of full-time equivalent employees by occupational categories, according to selected nursing home characteristics: United States, 1999.

Facility Characteristics	Occupational category											
	All full-time equivalent employees 1/		Administrative medical and therapeutic 2/		Total	Nursing						
	Number	Rate per 100 beds	Number	Rate per 100 beds		Registered nurse	Rate per 100 beds	Licensed practical nurse		Nurse's aide and orderly	Rate per 100 beds	
Number					Rate per 100 beds			Number	Rate per 100 beds			
All facilities	1,057,700	56.3	96,600	5.1	961,100	51.1	143,000	7.6	199,800	10.6	618,300	32.9
Ownership												
Proprietary	657,700	53.2	60,200	4.9	597,500	48.3	84,100	6.8	128,900	10.4	384,500	31.1
Voluntary nonprofit	308,800	61.8	29,100	5.8	279,800	56.0	45,700	9.1	54,700	11.0	179,400	35.9
Government and other	91,100	63.2	7,400	5.1	83,800	58.1	13,200	9.1	16,200	11.2	54,400	37.7
Certification												
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By Medicare and Medicaid	924,900	56.9	83,200	5.1	841,700	51.8	127,200	7.8	174,100	10.7	540,500	33.3
By Medicare only	28,800	61.6	2,800	6.0	26,000	55.6	5,100	10.8	5,300	11.3	15,700	33.5
By Medicaid only	84,200	49.6	9,000	5.3	75,200	44.3	7,800	4.6	16,700	9.8	50,700	29.8
Not certified	19,700	51.1	1,600	4.1	18,100	47.0	2,900	7.6	3,800	9.8	11,400	29.6
Beds												
Fewer than 50 beds	49,700	71.7	7,100	10.3	42,600	61.5	8,300	12.0	8,900	12.8	25,400	36.7
50-99 beds	280,300	57.9	28,800	5.9	251,600	51.9	36,500	7.5	51,000	10.5	164,100	33.9
100-199 beds	521,500	54.8	45,000	4.7	476,400	50.0	68,400	7.2	103,200	10.8	304,800	32.0
200 beds or more	206,200	55.2	15,700	4.2	190,500	51.0	29,800	8.0	36,700	9.8	124,000	33.2
Geographic region												
Northeast	266,000	64.4	21,700	5.2	244,400	59.2	41,600	10.1	43,900	10.6	158,900	38.5
Midwest	300,400	50.2	28,300	4.7	272,100	45.5	44,200	7.4	55,800	9.3	172,200	28.8
South	341,900	55.6	30,500	5.0	311,400	50.6	35,200	5.7	74,200	12.1	202,000	32.9
West	149,300	58.9	16,100	6.4	133,200	52.5	22,000	8.7	25,900	10.2	85,200	33.6
Location of agency												
Metropolitan statistical area	739,400	65.5	68,300	6.1	671,200	59.5	104,600	9.3	139,700	12.4	426,800	37.8
Nonmetropolitan statistical area	318,200	42.6	28,300	3.8	289,900	38.8	38,400	5.1	60,100	8.0	191,500	25.6
Affiliation 3/												
Chain	614,600	47.3	58,700	4.5	555,900	42.8	79,100	6.1	120,900	9.3	356,000	27.4
Independent	441,500	76.0	37,700	6.5	403,900	69.5	63,700	11.0	78,700	13.5	261,500	45.0
Unknown	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

1/ Includes only those employees providing direct health-related services to residents.

2/ Includes dentists, dental hygienists, physical therapists, speech pathologists and/or audiologists, dieticians or nutritionists, podiatrists, and social workers.

3/ Excludes unknown.

NOTES: Numbers may not add to totals because of rounding. Rates are based on the unrounded numbers.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, 1999 National Nursing Home Survey.