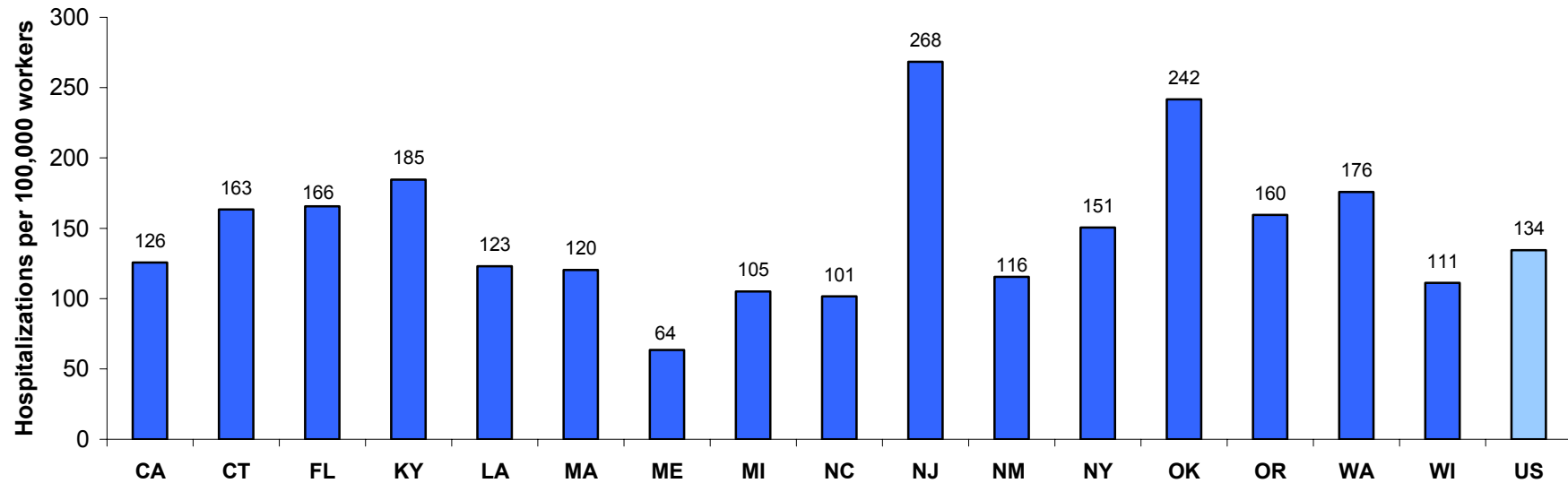


Table 2. Number of Work-Related Hospitalizations, Ages 16 Years and Older, by State and U.S., 2003

	CA	CT	FL	KY	LA	MA	ME	MI	NC	NJ	NM	NY	OK	OR	WA	WI	US
Number of work-related hospitalizations	20,459	2,785	12,824	3,388	2,341	3,870	418	4,913	4,015	11,047	970	13,141	3,867	2,722	5,104	3,229	184,986

Figure 2. Rate of Work-Related Hospitalizations, by State and U.S., 2003



Data Sources: Number of hospitalizations per state: state hospital discharge data. Estimated number of hospitalizations in the U.S.: [National Hospital Discharge Survey](#).
Employment statistics used to calculate rates: [Bureau of Labor Statistics' Current Population Survey](#).

Technical Notes:

- Hospital discharge records are limited to records from non-federal, acute care hospitals.
- This indicator excludes reference state residents hospitalized out of state. These exclusions will result in some undercount of cases. The degree of undercounting may vary by state.
- Some workers are hospitalized more than once for injuries or illnesses related to a given incident or exposure. Due to data limitations, these secondary hospitalizations cannot be excluded. Thus, this indicator is a measure of hospitalizations, not injuries/illnesses.