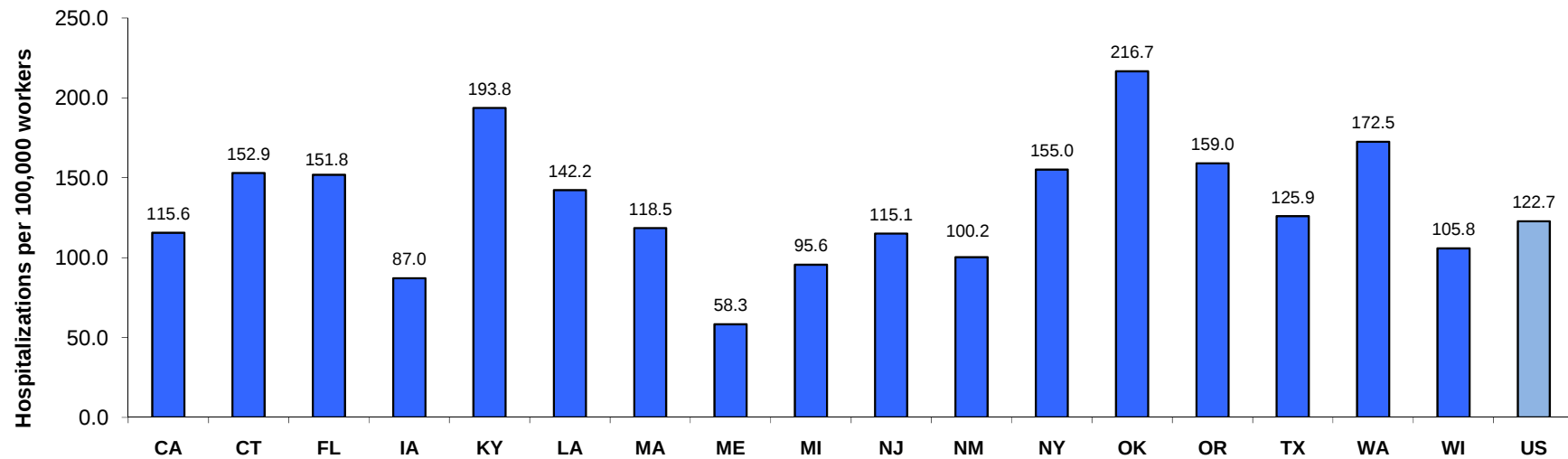


Table 2. Number of Work-Related Hospitalizations by State and U.S., 2004

	CA	CT	FL	IA	KY	LA	MA	ME	MI	NJ	NM	NY	OK	OR	TX	WA	WI	US
Number of work-related hospitalizations	19,036	2,603	12,179	1,339	3,631	2,751	3,822	387	4,549	4,809	862	13,680	3,532	2,719	13,010	5,239	3,087	170,796

Data Source: The numerators were obtained from state Hospital Discharge datasets and were limited to hospitalizations of state residents 16 years or older. The denominator data on employment were obtained from the Bureau of Labor Statistics Current Population Survey. Estimates of hospitalizations for the US were obtained from the National Hospital Discharge Survey.

Figure 2. Rate of Work-Related Hospitalizations by State and U.S., 2004

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 a state's residents who were 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.