

Impact of the Federal Government on the New Mexico Economy

Dedicated federal employees serve the American public from coast to coast. The federal employees who live in work in New Mexico are part of the 85% of federal workers who live and work outside of the Washington D.C. area.

In 2024 there were an estimated **71,920** federal employees living in the state, representing **7.5%** of the New Mexico civilian workforce, with an average salary of **\$93,295**.

Top Federal Agency Employers:

Veterans Affairs, Health And Human Services, Interior

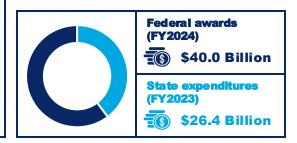
NTEU-Represented Agencies:

Bureau of Land Management (BLM); Customs and Border Protection (CBP); Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC); Department of Energy (DOE); Food and Drug Administration (FDA); Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC); Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers (FLETC); USDA Food and Nutrition Service (FNS); Federal Trade Commission (FTC); Department of Health and Human Services (HHS); Internal Revenue Service (IRS); National Credit Union Administration (NCUA); National Park Service (NPS); Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC); Social Security Administration Office of Hearings Operations (OHO); Patent and Trademark Office (PTO); Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC)

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Reducing federal employment can ripple through local economies, affecting housing, retail, services, and more.





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