



Our reports on federal employee presence by state and congressional district are population estimates from the US Census Bureau's 2022 [American Community Survey](#).

The American Community Survey (ACS) is a nationwide survey designed to provide communities a fresh look at how they are changing. The ACS eliminated the need for a decennial census long form in 2010. The ACS collects long form type information (e.g., employment, migration, educational attainment, veteran status, etc.) throughout the decade, publishing statistics yearly rather than only once every 10 years. The American Community Survey collects data throughout the year in every county in the United States and every municipality in Puerto Rico. Statistics from the ACS are released in the form of 1-year and 5-year estimates. For more information about the ACS content, methodology, and documentation, visit the [American Community Survey website](#).

NTEU uses the counts of federal employees from the ACS as the most reliable count of where federal employees live and vote, rather than where federal employees work.

To recreate our report and view margins of error for each estimate, please use the following data set, table, and class of worker:

Data Set

[2022 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates](#): The 2022 American Community Survey 1-year estimates include results from both the American Community Survey and the Puerto Rico Community Survey. The statistics presented describe the entire data collection period, from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022.

Table

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Class of Worker

[Federal government civilian employee](#): This includes people who were employees of any Federal governmental unit within the past five years, regardless of the activity of the particular agency.

For more information on the ACS contact the U.S. Census Bureau by calling 301-763-1405 or emailing acso.users.support@census.gov