

Table 2A.11.3: Limitations Due to Chronic Back or Neck Problems, by Race/Ethnicity, United States 2015

	Limitation Due to Chronic [1] Back or Neck Problems									
	Persons Reporting Limitation (in 1,000s)					Rate Per 100 Population [2]				
	Total	White, Non-Hispanic	Black, Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Other, Non-Hispanic	White, Non-Hispanic	Black, Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Other, Non-Hispanic	65 & Over
Any limitation	8,419.8	6,186.6	1,188.8	748.2	296.2	2.7	3.1	3.1	1.5	1.0
Need help with routine needs [3]	2,287.3	1,613.2	348.2	246.5	79.4	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.3
Help with personal care	1,189.2	782.7	197.1	145.1	64.3	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.2
Difficulty walking without equipment	3,489.7	2,437.3	562.3	352.8	137.3	1.1	1.2	1.5	0.7	0.5
Unable/limited work due to health [3]	4,876.2	3,495.6	758.4	438.5	183.8	1.5	1.8	2.0	0.9	0.6

	Persons Reporting Limitation Due to Any Health Condition									
	Persons Reporting Limitation (in 1,000s)					Rate Per 100 Population [2]				
	Total	White, Non-Hispanic	Black, Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Other, Non-Hispanic	Total	White, Non-Hispanic	Black, Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Other, Non-Hispanic
Any limitation	42,651.1	29,711.3	6,089.0	4,969.1	1,881.6	13.5	15.1	16.1	9.8	6.2
Need help with routine needs [3]	10,510.1	7,324.3	1,500.8	1,130.9	554.0	3.3	3.7	4.0	2.2	1.8
Help with personal care	6,316.7	4,178.0	878.2	851.6	408.9	2.0	2.1	2.3	1.7	1.3
Difficulty walking without equipment	14,076.0	9,705.3	2,263.4	1,447.0	660.3	4.5	4.9	6.0	2.9	2.2
Unable/limited work due to health [3]	18,865.1	13,125.2	2,957.2	1,967.9	814.8	6.0	6.7	7.8	3.9	2.7

	Proportion of All Persons With Limitations Where Limitations Are Due to Chronic Back or Neck Problems				
	Total	White, Non-Hispanic	Black, Non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Other, Non-Hispanic
Any limitation	19.7%	20.8%	19.5%	15.1%	15.7%
Need help with routine needs [3]	21.8%	22.0%	23.2%	21.8%	14.3%
Help with personal care	18.8%	18.7%	22.4%	17.0%	15.7%
Difficulty walking without equipment	24.8%	25.1%	24.8%	24.4%	20.8%
Unable/limited work due to health [3]	25.8%	26.6%	25.6%	22.3%	22.6%

[1] Condition lasting 3 months or longer.

[2] Based on U.S. Census of Population estimate. Source: United States Census Bureau, Population Division. Annual Estimates of the Resident Population: April 1,2010 to July 1, 2015. American Fact Finder. <http://factfinder.census.gov/faces/tableservices/jsf/pages/productview.xhtml?src=bkm> Accessed July 24, 2016.

[3] Asked of adult population (age 18 and older) only.

Source: National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)_Injury database, 2015. <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/data-questionnaires-documentation.htm> July 23, 2016.