Distribution of Cases by Major Occupational Group

Sixty-three percent of the occupations fell into the broad 1990 COC* category of “Operators, Fabricators and Laborers.” Thirty-three percent involved work in the skilled trades, a category named “Precision Production, Craft and Repair Operations.” The remaining 4% of cases were employed in managerial, technical, service and farming occupations. Occupation was unknown for 48 cases.

*1990 U.S. Census Occupation Codes