

Economic Impact of Obesity & Overweight on the Education and Health Sector in 2023



ECONOMIC COSTS TO EMPLOYERS & EMPLOYEES **\$78.6B**

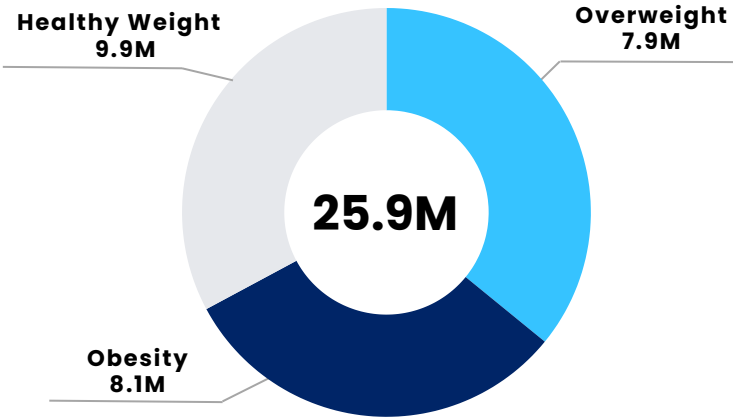


Obesity
\$63.65B



Overweight
\$14.95B

TOTAL EMPLOYEES*



PREVALENCE BY OCCUPATION*

	Obesity	Overweight
Education & Health Services	26%	31%
Business & Financial Operations	29%	27%
Management	29%	35%
Office & Administrative Support	35%	27%
All Occupations	31%	30%

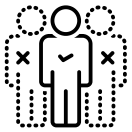
* Calculations are based on self-reported height and weight, and thus might be under-stated

WORKPLACE COSTS

\$13.1B

Absenteeism

Higher health-related work absenteeism associated with obesity



\$29.2B

Presenteeism

Higher health-related presenteeism associated with

\$20B
Obesity

\$9.2B
Overweight

\$7.8B

Disability

Higher disability costs associated with obesity



\$1.3B

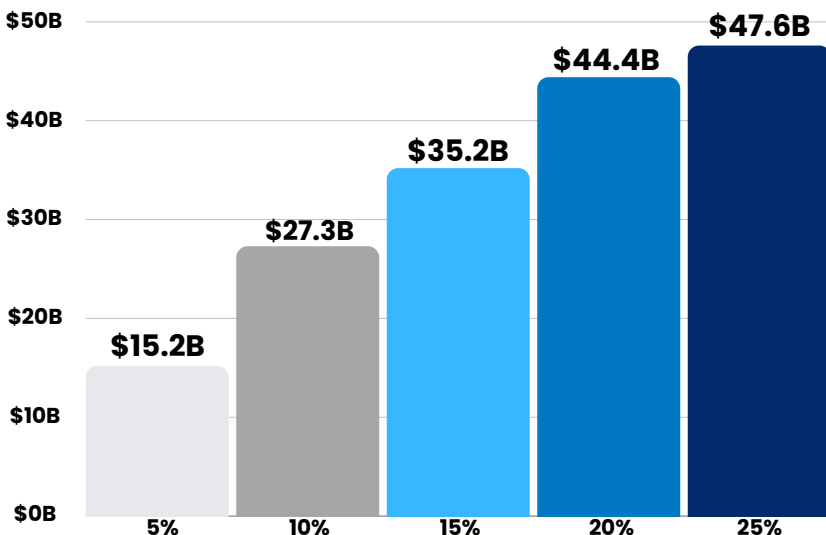
Workers' Comp

Higher injury workers' compensation costs associated with obesity



EXCESS MEDICAL COSTS & SAVINGS FROM OBESITY TREATMENT

Potential Savings



5% to 25% weight loss has the potential to **save** the industry **\$15.2B-\$47.6B** in **medical costs** over 5 years

\$27.1B

Medical

Higher medical costs associated with obesity

\$21.4B
Obesity



\$5.7B
Overweight

Obesity

5% to 25% weight loss **per individual** with obesity has the potential to **save \$1,310-\$4,090** in **medical costs** cumulative over 5 years



Class III Obesity

5% to 25% weight loss **per individual** with class III obesity has the potential to **save \$2,050-\$8,350** in **medical costs** cumulative over 5 years

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Read full report: <https://www.globaldata.com/health-economics/US/Employers/Overweight-Obesity-Impact-on-Employers.pdf>