

Economic Impact of Obesity & Overweight on the Professional and Business Services Sector in 2023



ECONOMIC COSTS TO EMPLOYERS & EMPLOYEES \$45.1B



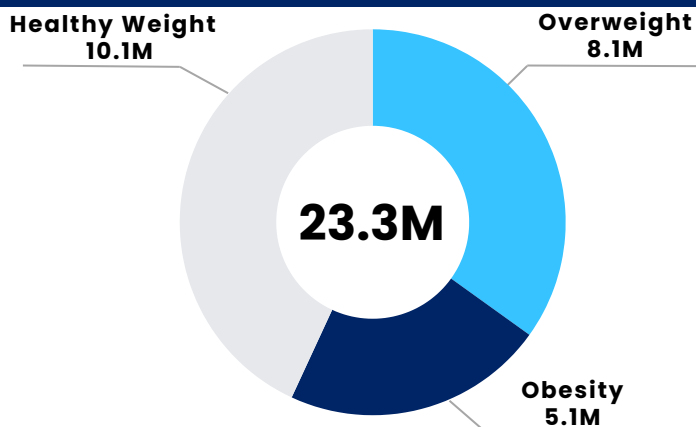
Obesity \$32.3B



Overweight \$12.1B



TOTAL EMPLOYEES*



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

PREVALENCE BY OCCUPATION*

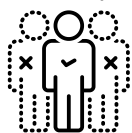
Occupation	Obesity (%)	Overweight (%)
Computer & Mathematical	21%	40%
Business & Financial Operations	23%	33%
Management	19%	38%
Office & Administrative Support	29%	29%
All Occupations	22%	35%

WORKPLACE COSTS

\$7.8B

Absenteeism

Higher health-related work absenteeism associated with obesity



\$19B

Presenteeism

Higher health-related presenteeism associated with



\$10.2B
Obesity

\$8.8B
Overweight

\$1B

Disability

Higher disability costs associated with obesity



\$0.2B

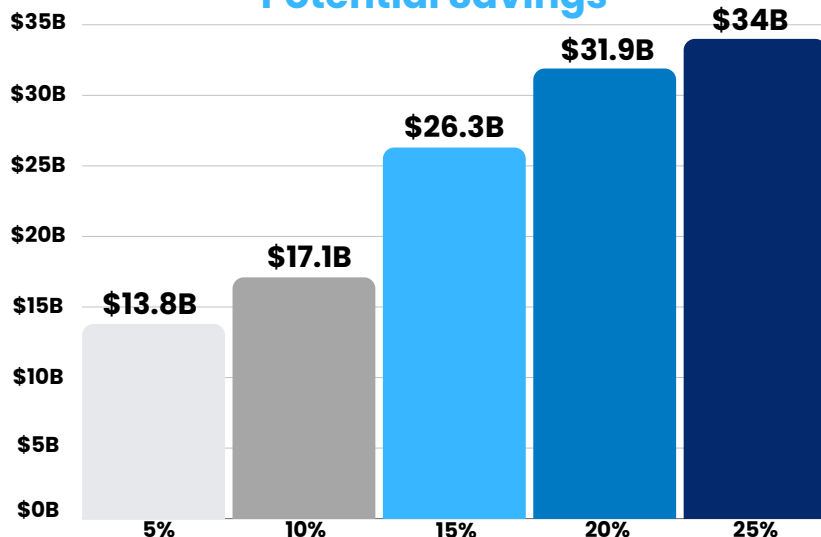
Workers' Comp

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 \$13.8B-\$34B in medical costs over 5 years**

\$17.2B

Medical

Higher medical costs associated with obesity

\$13.2B
Obesity



\$4B
Overweight

Obesity

5% to 25% weight loss **per individual** with obesity has the potential to **save \$1,870-\$4,620 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 \$1,980-\$7,470 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>