

# NORTH CAROLINA'S FEDERAL FAMILY

**Total Active and Retired  
Federal and Postal Employees**

**160,775**

## North Carolina's Federal Family

Federal Annuitants <sup>1</sup>	<b>88,908</b>
Active Federal Employees <sup>2</sup>	<b>50,775</b>
U.S. Postal Service Employees <sup>3</sup>	<b>21,092</b>

## North Carolina's Largest Employers<sup>4</sup>

- #1 Department of Defense**
- #2 United States Postal Service**
- #2 Department of Veterans Affairs**

## North Carolina's Federal Employees<sup>2</sup>

Department	Employees	Largest Agencies within Department
<b>Agriculture</b>	2,235	Food Safety and Inspection Service, Forest Service
<b>Commerce</b>	871	Census Bureau, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
<b>Defense</b>	21,739	Fort Bragg, Pope Air Force Base, Seymour Johnson Air Force Base, three U.S. Marine Corps bases
<b>Justice</b>	775	Bureau of Prisons
<b>Labor</b>	117	
<b>Health and Human Services</b>	1,370	National Institutes of Health (NIH)
<b>Homeland Security</b>	1,244	Coast Guard, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
<b>Housing and Urban Development</b>	69	
<b>Interior</b>	647	National Park Service (NPS), Fish and Wildlife Service
<b>Transportation</b>	654	Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)
<b>Treasury</b>	607	Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Office of the Comptroller of the Currency
<b>Veterans Affairs</b>	16,816	Veterans Health Administration, W.G Hefner VA Medical Center, Fayetteville VA Medical Center, Durham VA Medical Center, Asheville VA Medical Center
<b>Non-Cabinet agencies</b>	3,631	Social Security Administration (SSA), Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
<b>Total</b>	<b>50,775</b>	

<sup>1</sup>Office of Personnel Management (OPM) Fiscal Year 2023

<sup>2</sup>Office of Personnel Management (OPM) February 2024

<sup>3</sup>Postal Regulatory Commission (PRC) June 2024

<sup>4</sup>Career One Stop <https://www.careeronestop.org/>