

**TENNESSEE’S FEDERAL FAMILY**

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

**99,874**

**Tennessee’s Federal Family**

Federal Annuitants<sup>1</sup>      **53,446**  
Active Federal Employees<sup>2</sup>      **32,437**  
U.S. Postal Service Employees<sup>3</sup>      **13,991**

**Tennessee’s Largest  
Employers<sup>4</sup>**

**#2 Department of Veterans Affairs**  
**#3 United States Postal Service**

**Tennessee’s Federal Employees<sup>2</sup>**

Department	Employees	Largest Agencies within Department
<b>Agriculture</b>	1,603	Agriculture Marketing Service, Food Safety and Inspection Service
<b>Commerce</b>	294	Census Bureau
<b>Defense</b>	6,672	Arnold Air Force Base, Holston Army Ammunition Plant, Milan Army Ammunition Plant, NSA Mid-South Naval Base
<b>Justice</b>	231	Bureau of Prisons
<b>Labor</b>	104	
<b>Energy</b>	476	
<b>Health and Human Services</b>	375	Office of the Secretary
<b>Homeland Security</b>	238	Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
<b>Housing and Urban Development</b>	57	
<b>Interior</b>	654	National Park Service (NPS)
<b>Transportation</b>	1,011	Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)
<b>Treasury</b>	5,259	Internal Revenue Service (IRS)
<b>Veterans Affairs</b>	14,014	Veterans Health Administration, Memphis VA Medical Center, Mountain Home VA Medical Center
<b>Non-Cabinet agencies</b>	1,442	Social Security Administration (SSA)
<b>Unspecified</b>	7	
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,437</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/>