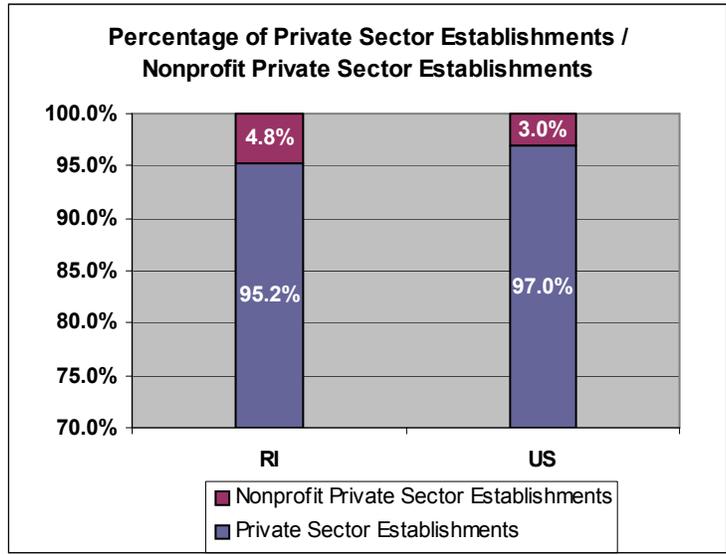
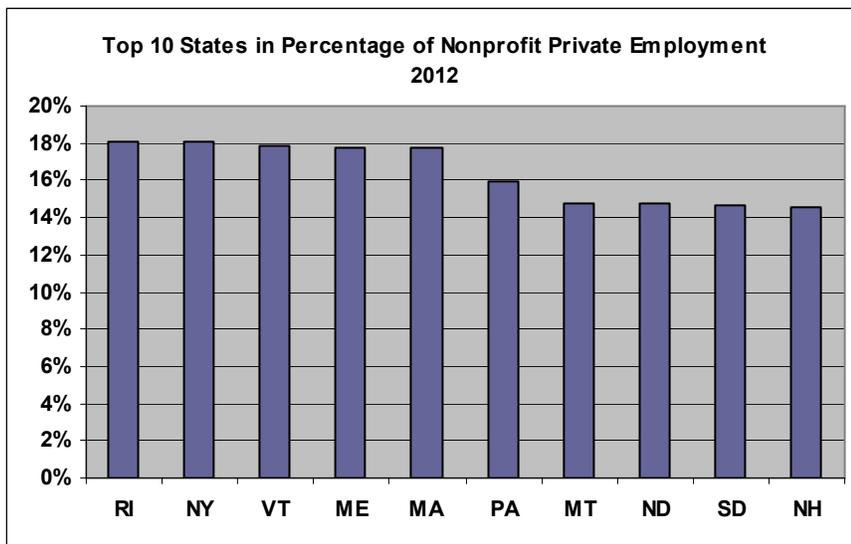


According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in 2012, there were over 11.4 million individuals employed nationally in the *501(c)3's nonprofit private sector.

Among the 34,524 private sector establishments in Rhode Island in 2012, 1,665 or 4.8 percent were *nonprofit private establishments. Nationally, there were over 8.8 million private sector establishments (Table 1.) in 2012, of which 3.0 percent were nonprofit establishments. On a percentage basis, Rhode Island ranked twelfth in the nation in the amount of nonprofit establishments within its borders. Alaska, with 6.9 percent, was the state with the highest percentage of nonprofit establishments in the nation. A total of 10.6 percent of the establishments in the District of Columbia were designated as nonprofit establishments. Nevada, with 1.5 percent, had the lowest percentage of nonprofit establishments in 2012.



Nationally, there were over 11.4 million people employed in nonprofit organizations (Table 2.) in 2012, representing 10.3 percent of the total private employment. Rhode Island, by a large margin, fell above the national percentage of nonprofit employment as 18.1 percent or 70,841 individuals were employed in the nonprofit sector. Among all fifty states, both Rhode Island and New York tied for first in the percentage of employees employed in nonprofit private sectors. Enriched with the nation's history, the District of Columbia had 26.6 percent of its private sector employment employed in nonprofit organizations.

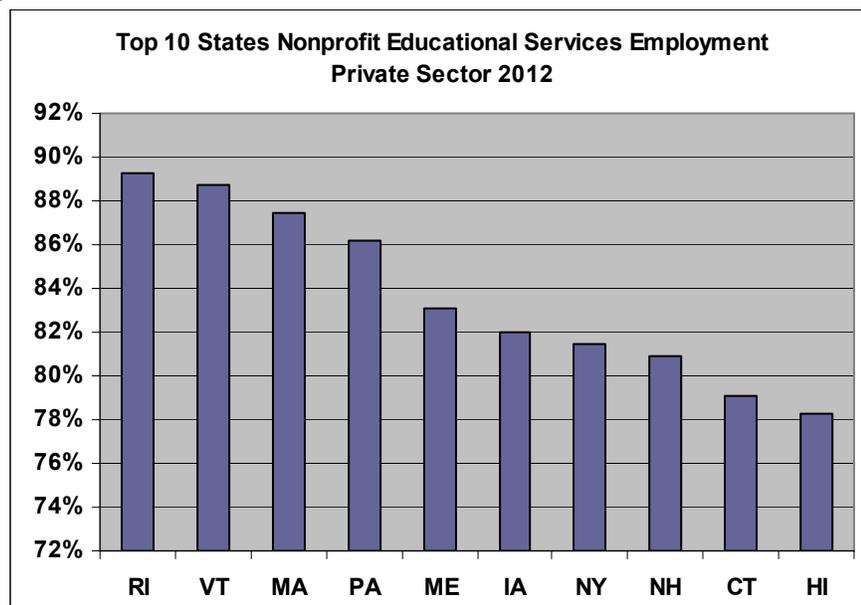


Annual wages for those employed in nonprofit private organizations in Rhode Island were nearly equal to those employed in the private sector. Those employed in nonprofit organizations earned an average of \$44,165 in 2012, just short of the private sector's annual average wage of \$44,581. Nationally, nonprofit employees earned an average of \$46,568 in 2012. Overall, Rhode Island ranked 23 in nonprofit average annual wage among the fifty states.

Top 5 Nonprofit Employment Sectors United States - 2012		
<u>Industry Sector</u>	<u>Number of US Nonprofit Employees</u>	<u>Percentage of US Nonprofit Employment</u>
Health Care & Social Assistance	7,716,964	67.5%
Educational Services	1,812,270	15.9%
Other Services	784,675	6.9%
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	289,111	2.5%
Professional, Scientific & Technical	251,288	2.2%
Total Top 5 Nonprofit Sectors	10,854,308	95.0%
Total Nonprofit Employment 2012	11,426,870	100.0%

Most private nonprofit employment in the United States is found in the Health Care & Social Assistance industry sector, representing nearly 68 percent of nonprofit employment in 2012. Four other employment sectors contain notable nonprofit employment levels. Educational Services represented 15.9 percent of nonprofit employment nationally while the Other Services sector represented 6.9 percent. The Arts, Entertainment & Recreation and Professional, Scientific & Technical Services sectors made-up 2.5 percent and 2.2 percent of the nation's nonprofit private employment, respectively. Together, these five industry sectors represented 10.8 million or 95.0 percent of nonprofit private employment nationally.

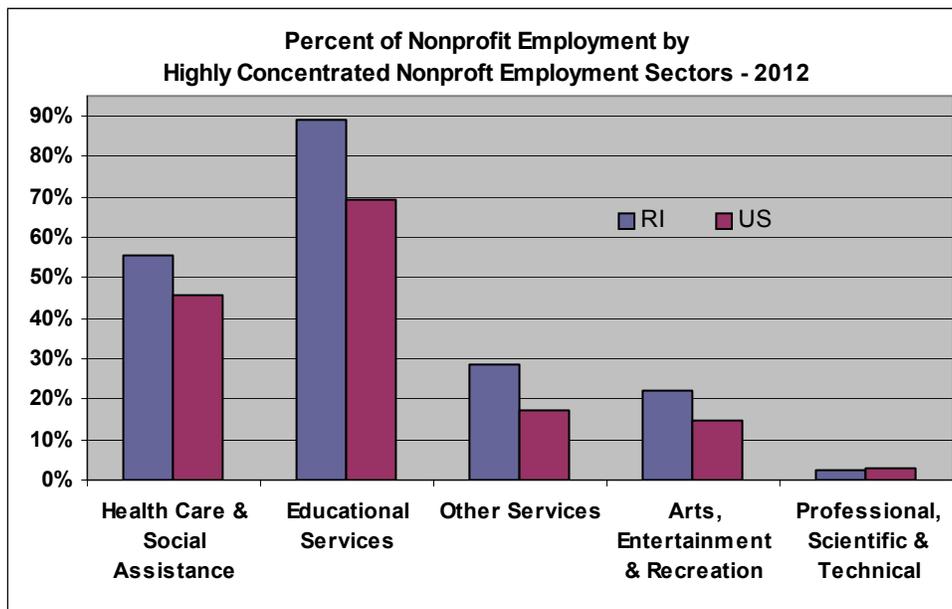
Rhode Island fell above the national rank in terms of the percentage of nonprofit Health Care & Social Assistance workers. In 2012, nearly 56 percent of Health Care & Social Assistance workers in Rhode Island were employed in nonprofit organizations, the fourteenth highest state nationally. Approximately 46 percent of all Health Care & Social Assistance workers in the US were employed in nonprofit organizations in 2012. In North Dakota, 77.3 percent of the Health Care & Social Assistance employment is employed by nonprofit organizations, the highest rank in the nation.



Once again, the Ocean State had a higher percentage of nonprofit workers than the nation in another highly concentrated nonprofit industry. In 2012, Rhode Island had 89.3 percent of its private Educational Services employment employed in nonprofit organizations, representing the highest ranking state in the nation. Nationally, nearly 70.0 percent of those employed in the Educational Services sector were employed by nonprofit organizations.

In 2012, the Other Services industry sector employed 784,675 or 17.3 percent nonprofit workers nationally. Nearly 29.0 percent of Rhode Island's Other Service's workers were employed in nonprofit establishments during this period, the fifth highest ranking state in the nation. Religious organizations and grant making/giving services are the type of nonprofit organizations found in the Other Services sector.

Rhode Island's Arts, Entertainment and Recreation sector had 22.1 percent of its workforce employed as nonprofit employees in 2012 as opposed to the 14.6 percent found within the nation.



The Professional, Scientific and Technical Services sector was the only highly concentrated nonprofit industry sector in which Rhode Island fell below the national average in employment percentage. A total of 2.4 percent of Rhode Island's Professional, Scientific and Technical Services employment was employed in nonprofit organizations, below the nation's average of 3.2 percent.

Nonprofit organizations in Rhode Island represented 0.6 percent of the nation's nonprofit establishments as well as 0.6 percent of the nation's nonprofit employment in 2012. In comparison, total private sector establishments in Rhode Island accounted for 0.4 percent of total private sector establishments nationally and 0.4 percent of the nation's total private sector employment.

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Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics, Business Employment Dynamics

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**Table 1. Nonprofit Private Industry by State
Total Private Establishments - 2012**

**Table 2. Nonprofit Private Industry by State
Total Private Employment- 2012**

State	Average Private Establishments (all industries)	Average Nonprofit Establishments	Percent Nonprofits per State	State	Average Private Employment (all industries)	Average Nonprofit Employment	Percent Nonprofits per State
Totals U.S.	8,826,016	267,855	3.0%	Totals U.S.	110,645,869	11,426,870	10.3%
District of Columbia	35,584	3,770	10.6%	District of Columbia	472,745	125,684	26.6%
Alaska	19,769	1,367	6.9%	Rhode Island	392,112	70,841	18.1%
Montana	40,254	2,529	6.3%	New York	7,190,226	1,297,883	18.1%
Oregon	126,106	7,878	6.2%	Vermont	247,087	44,131	17.9%
Hawaii	36,094	2,036	5.6%	Maine	486,542	86,312	17.7%
Vermont	22,788	1,245	5.5%	Massachusetts	2,828,275	501,595	17.7%
Pennsylvania	335,168	18,148	5.4%	Pennsylvania	4,887,296	776,258	15.9%
New York	590,416	31,040	5.3%	Montana	347,922	51,398	14.8%
Maine	46,568	2,436	5.2%	North Dakota	344,538	50,775	14.7%
New Hampshire	46,417	2,420	5.2%	South Dakota	329,141	48,143	14.6%
Iowa	89,258	4,567	5.1%	New Hampshire	527,252	76,880	14.6%
Rhode Island	34,526	1,665	4.8%	Minnesota	2,276,259	328,019	14.4%
Minnesota	158,455	7,533	4.8%	Connecticut	1,391,749	199,884	14.4%
Connecticut	107,687	4,822	4.5%	Maryland	2,024,063	268,202	13.3%
Massachusetts	217,171	9,441	4.3%	Alaska	248,576	32,699	13.2%
South Dakota	28,968	1,252	4.3%	West Virginia	567,438	71,895	12.7%
New Mexico	51,716	2,142	4.1%	Oregon	1,372,310	167,759	12.2%
West Virginia	45,564	1,871	4.1%	Wisconsin	2,315,717	281,603	12.2%
North Dakota	27,198	1,068	3.9%	Ohio	4,337,301	519,210	12.0%
Maryland	164,145	6,210	3.8%	Delaware	345,329	40,224	11.6%
Arkansas	80,740	2,967	3.7%	Hawaii	483,782	56,318	11.6%
Ohio	273,065	9,217	3.4%	Iowa	1,241,299	142,735	11.5%
Wisconsin	152,165	4,969	3.3%	Michigan	3,373,672	383,099	11.4%
Michigan	232,317	7,228	3.1%	Illinois	4,843,785	549,092	11.3%
Wyoming	23,900	740	3.1%	Missouri	2,188,757	245,743	11.2%
Kentucky	105,274	3,150	3.0%	Nebraska	762,468	81,578	10.7%
Nebraska	62,825	1,863	3.0%	Indiana	2,418,425	245,329	10.1%
Washington	231,293	6,574	2.8%	New Jersey	3,194,470	314,341	9.8%
Idaho	50,174	1,423	2.8%	Kentucky	1,455,758	139,034	9.6%
Missouri	167,364	4,700	2.8%	Washington	2,378,502	226,168	9.5%
Indiana	154,278	4,233	2.7%	Arkansas	944,388	85,531	9.1%
New Jersey	252,942	6,923	2.7%	North Carolina	3,226,792	283,453	8.8%
Kansas	78,635	2,100	2.7%	Kansas	1,076,065	94,429	8.8%
North Carolina	250,434	6,428	2.6%	Virginia	2,927,218	253,605	8.7%
Virginia	230,479	5,784	2.5%	Tennessee	2,240,924	185,759	8.3%
Oklahoma	98,780	2,436	2.5%	California	12,684,429	1,035,436	8.2%
Mississippi	64,808	1,568	2.4%	Arizona	2,045,349	165,987	8.1%
Tennessee	137,445	3,314	2.4%	New Mexico	603,114	48,901	8.1%
Colorado	168,824	3,891	2.3%	Colorado	1,891,870	146,137	7.7%
Louisiana	120,436	2,772	2.3%	Georgia	3,190,572	237,384	7.4%
California	1,299,697	29,869	2.3%	Florida	6,312,193	466,719	7.4%
Illinois	382,911	8,447	2.2%	Louisiana	1,540,332	112,305	7.3%
Alabama	109,868	2,412	2.2%	Idaho	503,774	35,200	7.0%
Delaware	27,278	526	1.9%	Utah	1,006,278	67,090	6.7%
Georgia	260,090	4,526	1.7%	Oklahoma	1,222,393	79,252	6.5%
Arizona	143,845	2,486	1.7%	Mississippi	846,759	53,847	6.4%
Utah	81,619	1,395	1.7%	Wyoming	212,192	12,576	5.9%
Texas	579,846	9,886	1.7%	South Carolina	1,478,136	80,542	5.4%
South Carolina	108,420	1,777	1.6%	Alabama	1,467,367	78,631	5.4%
Florida	600,971	9,762	1.6%	Texas	8,964,789	454,673	5.1%
Nevada	71,449	1,055	1.5%	Nevada	988,141	26,584	2.7%