



Week 3 + 4 Presentation

Low-Income Jobs Lost to COVID-19

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Recap & Progress Overview

- Analysis of selected industries by demographics
 - Proportion of Women Per Industry
 - Proportion of Demographics that have jobs in each Industry
- Analysis of change in gross output (pre, post, and during COVID-19)
- Research of health and social assistance
 - Why was there a large change in low-income employment?
 - What jobs in this category qualify as low-income?
- Finalized research question
- New datasets to support research questions

Issues we encountered:

- Narrowing down our research question
- Figuring out what Metrics to Use to measure covid-19 regulations

Visual 1: 2019 Q1 – 2022 Q4 Gross Output by Industry (In Billions)

	2019 Q1	2019 Q2	2019 Q3	2019 Q4	2020 Q1	2020 Q2	2020 Q3	2020 Q4	2021 Q1	2021 Q2	2021 Q3	2021 Q4	2022 Q1	2022 Q2	2022 Q3	2022 Q4
Accommodation and food services	1,167.80	1,186.40	1,207.20	1,205.80	1,135.70	682.3	976.3	984.3	1,085.30	1,286.60	1,391.10	1,421.90	1,441.60	1,526.40	1,561.20	1,615.90
Health care and social assistance	2,599.50	2,638.70	2,659.70	2,694.20	2,638.90	2,366.50	2,595.60	2,684.00	2,692.80	2,765.50	2,819.60	2,869.00	2,899.30	2,928.20	2,979.80	3,023.60
Professional, scientific, and technical services (STEM)	2,425.50	2,471.10	2,523.00	2,528.90	2,608.70	2,395.30	2,553.40	2,678.00	2,732.70	2,818.90	2,901.70	2,975.80	3,059.40	3,120.90	3,198.00	3,262.20
Transportation and warehousing	1,281.10	1,286.80	1,285.60	1,300.60	1,291.00	998.4	1,132.60	1,218.50	1,295.60	1,402.10	1,509.20	1,615.30	1,696.10	1,803.70	1,823.80	1,795.60

Huge **decrease** in Jobs

- Accommodation & Food Services
- Health Care & Social Assistance

Increase in Jobs

- STEM
- Transportation & Warehousing

- Shows the Gross Output amongst each industry from 2019 Q1 to 2022 Q4
- 2019 Q1 to 2020 Q2 shows the change in each industries Gross Output due to covid and how much impact there was
- 2020 Q2 to 2022 Q4 period shows the changes in recovery and how much they had gained before, during, and after covid

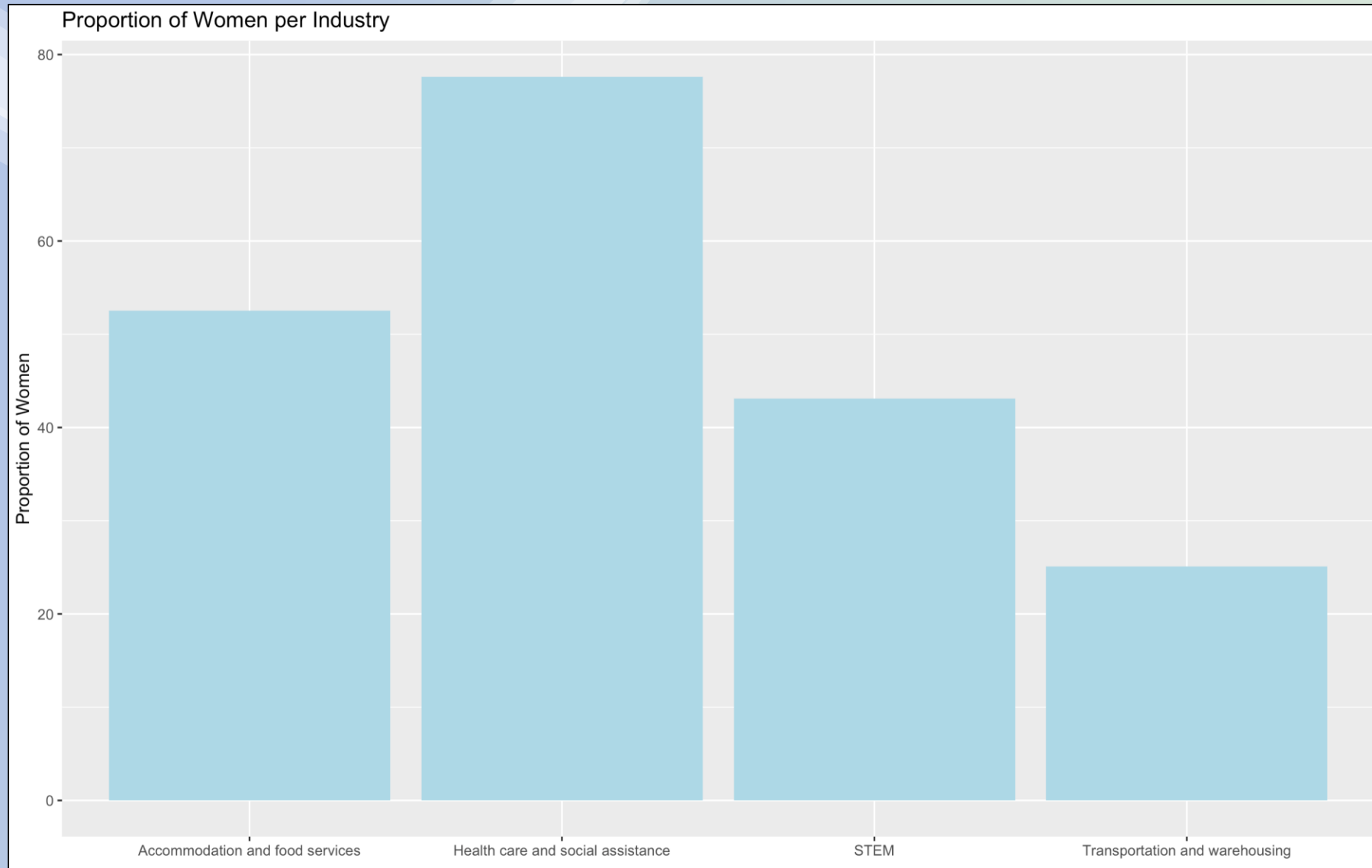
Visualization 2: Gross Output of Industries (In Billions)

- **Impact** (2019 Q1 – 2020 Q2)
- **Recovery** (2020 Q2 – 2022 Q4)

	Covid Impact (loss in billions)	Recovery (gain in billions)	Gain-Loss Ratio
Accommodation & food services	485.5	933.6	1.92
Health care & social assistance	233	657.1	2.82
STEM	30.2	866.9	28.71
Transportation & warehousing	282.7	797.2	2.82

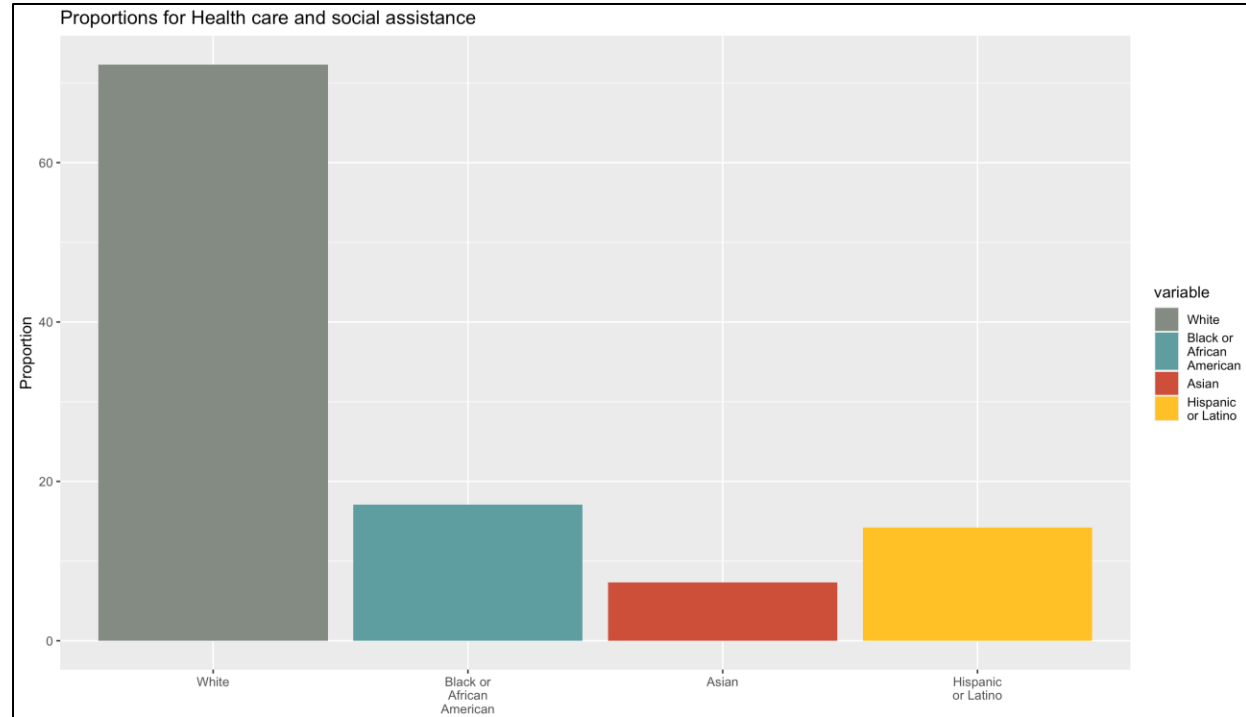
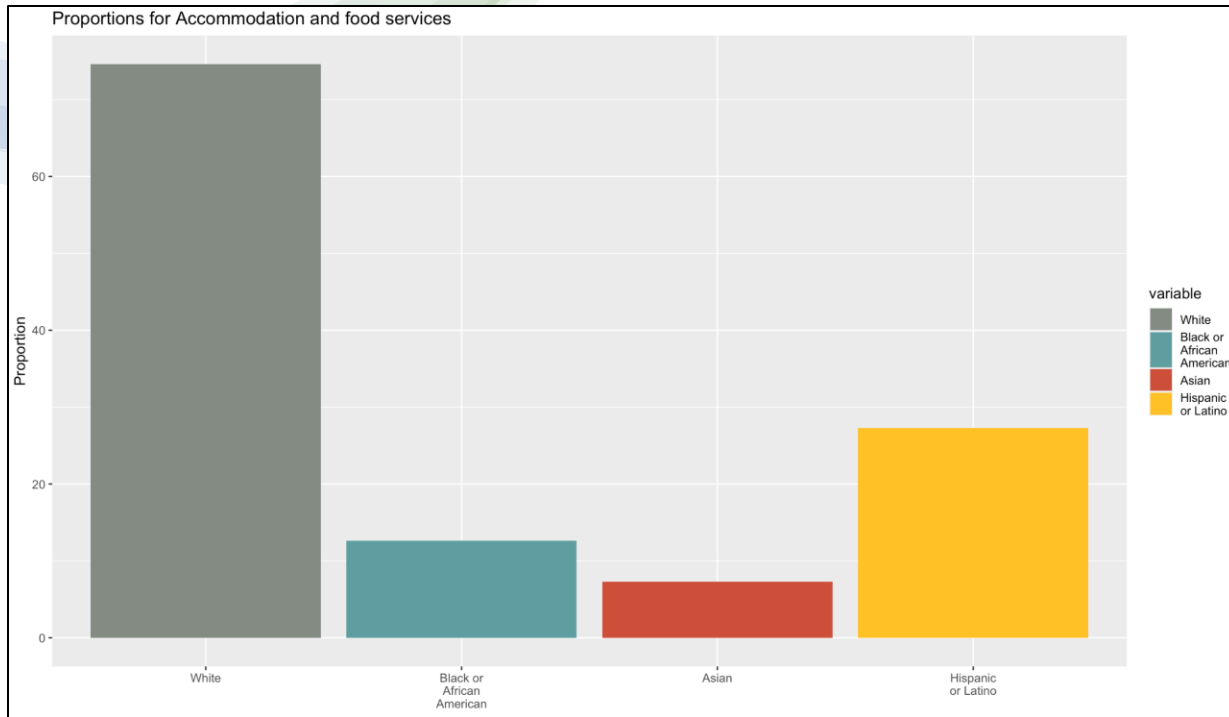
- Accommodation & food services loss the most and gained the most in terms of recovery
- Healthcare was impacted the least in terms of loss & gain
- The STEM industry had the **highest** ratio whereas Accommodation & food services had the **lowest** ratio

Visualization 3: Proportion of Women per Industry



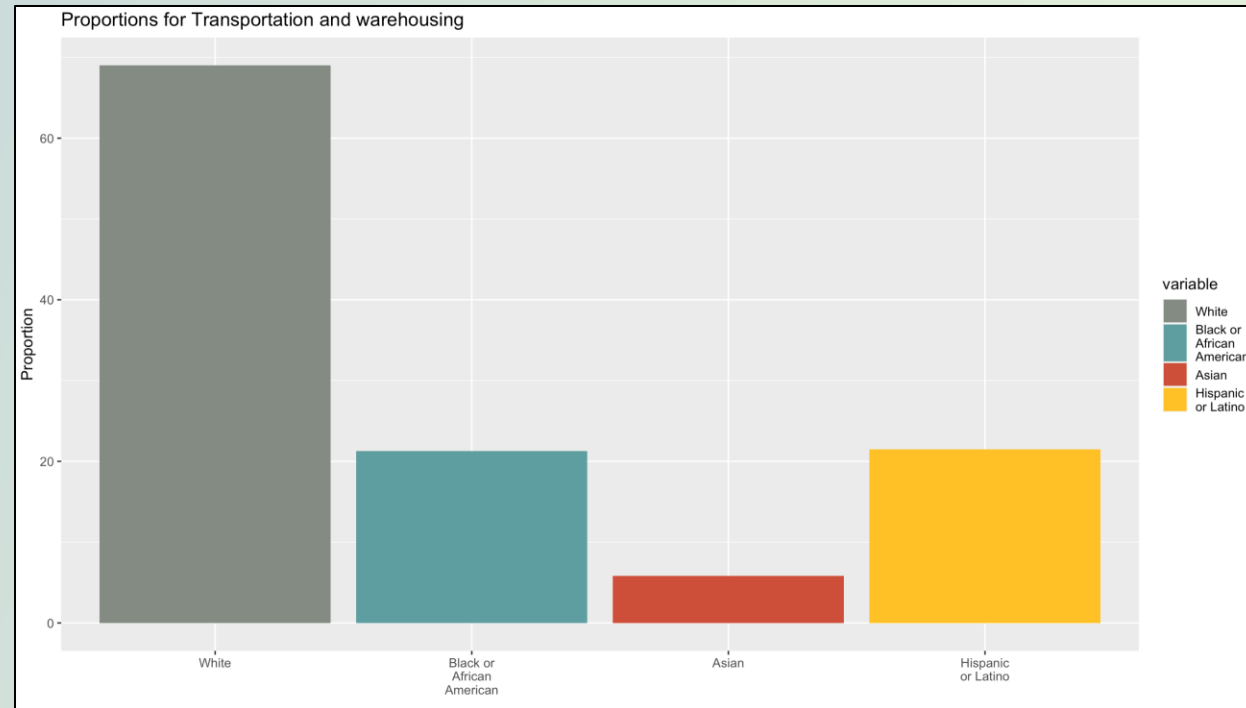
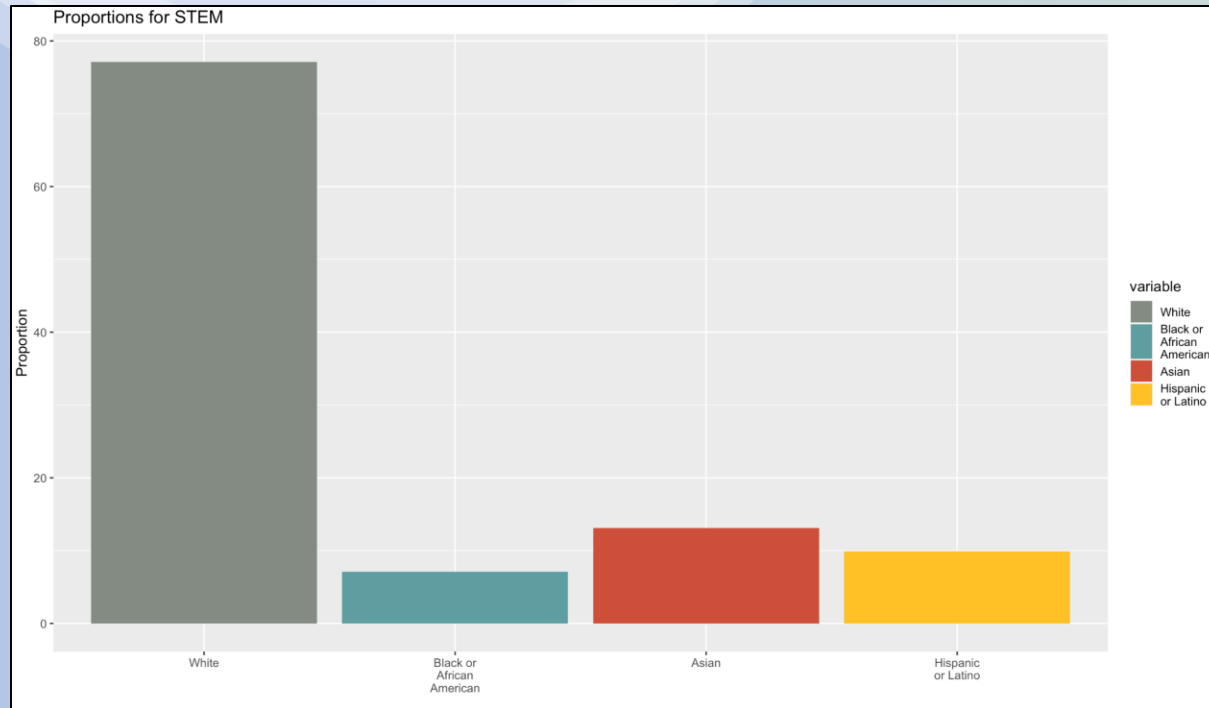
- Percent of women employed in 2021 amongst these 4 industries
- Health care had the **highest** & Accommodation & Food Services had the **second highest**
- STEM & Transportation & Warehousing **last**

Visual 4: Accommodation & Food Services and Health & Social Assistance



- Shows the proportion of demographics that have jobs in each industry as of 2021 (total employed)

Visual 4 (cont'd): STEM and Transportation & Warehousing

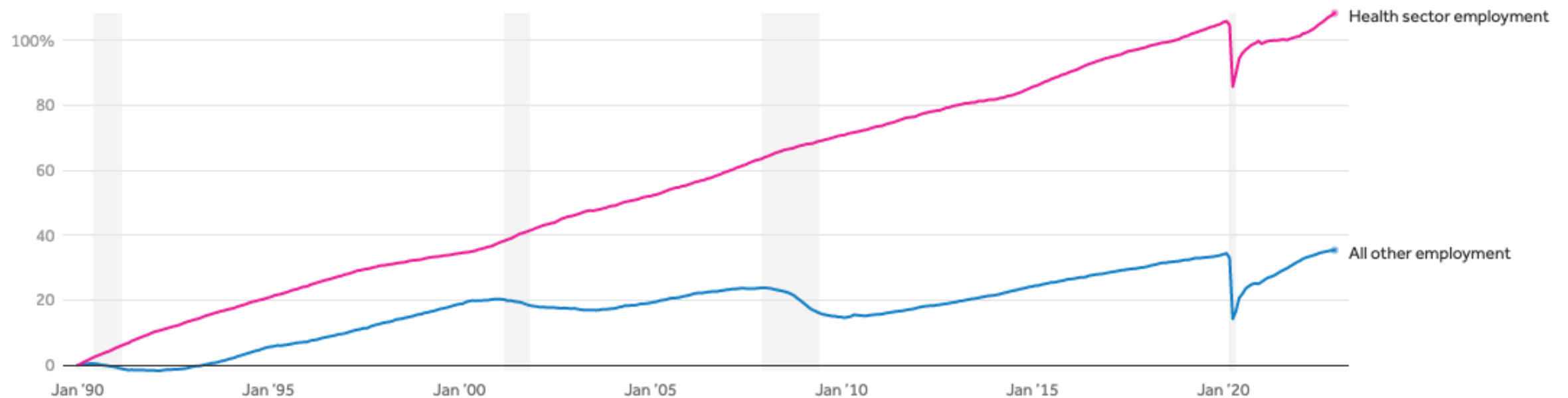


Health & Social Assistance: A Closer Look

- Health employment drastically fell in 2020.
 - Healthcare providers cancelled elective care
 - Patients practicing social distancing, avoiding the health facilities.
 - Employees quitting (burnout from pandemic, fear of uncertainty, financial hardship)
 - Getting laid-off
- Health employment fell by -8.2% from April 2019 - April 2020.
- 16.2 to 14.9 million employees
- By May 2020, employment began to rise again (recovery process).
- By Dec. 2022, jobs including physicians, care centers, hospitals, and more employed more people than in Feb. 2020.
- Given trends of pre-pandemic, the employment in these industries is still below expected levels.

Visual 5: Health & Social Assistance: A Closer Look (cont'd)

Cumulative % change in health sector and non-health sector employment, January 1990-December 2022



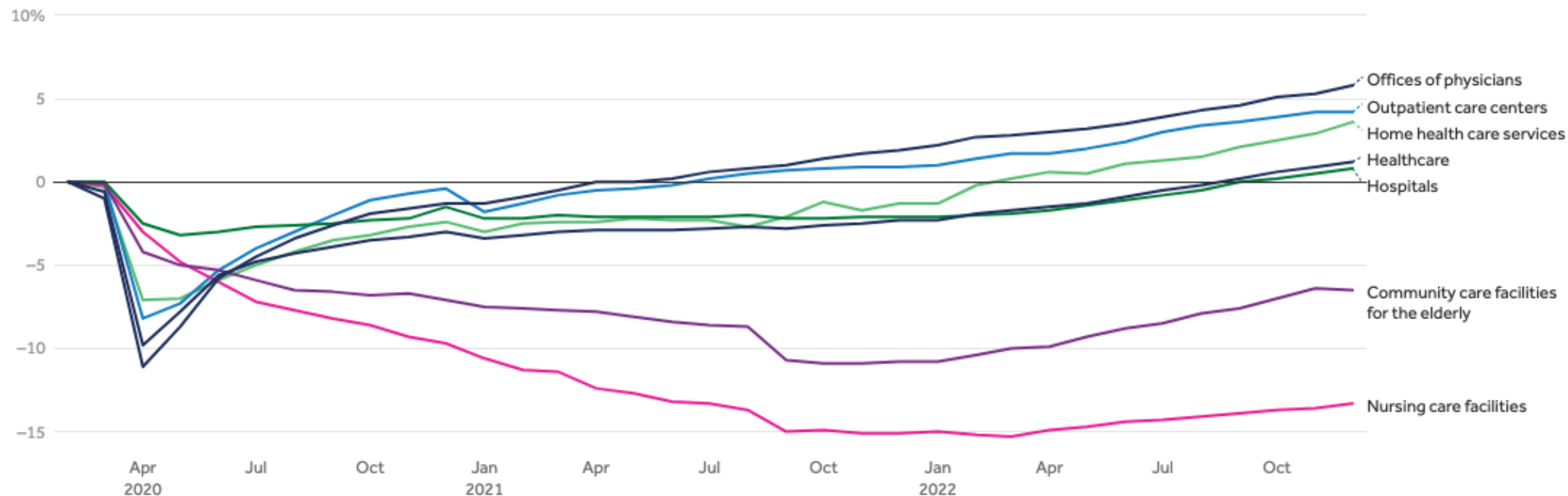
Note: All data is seasonally adjusted. Data from the latest two months are preliminary. Grey regions represent periods of economic recession.

Source: [Bureau of Labor Statistics Current Employment Statistics \(CES\)](#) • [Get the data](#) • [PNG](#)

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Health & Social Assistance: A Closer Look (cont'd)

Cumulative % change in health sector employment by setting, February 2020 - December 2022



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Health & Social Assistance: A Closer Look (cont'd)

- Utilization of health services remained lower than expected based on the trends of the years before the pandemic.
- Patients ensuring own safety – not going out much
- Effects of the pandemic still linger (COVID-19. Still. Exists!)
- Much of the employee gain came from temporary layoffs due to the shutdown.
- Wanting less people in the work settings.

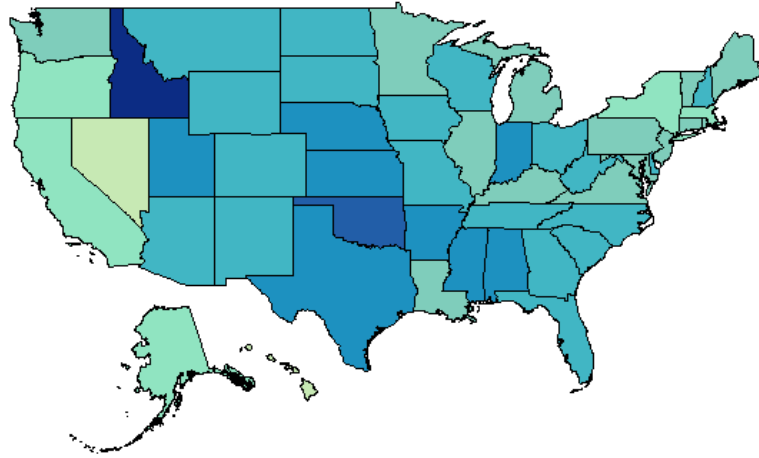
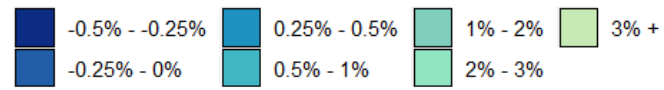
Proposed Research Question

- How do different states respond to the covid pandemic and how does that affect the workforce?
- Approach to answering the question:
 - Analysis on the state level
 - Analyzing COVID and economic regulations that impact our four key industries
 - Analyzing work conditions on each of the four industries
 - *In our final report, we plan to incorporate demographic analysis to explore the hypothesized impacts on various demographics.*

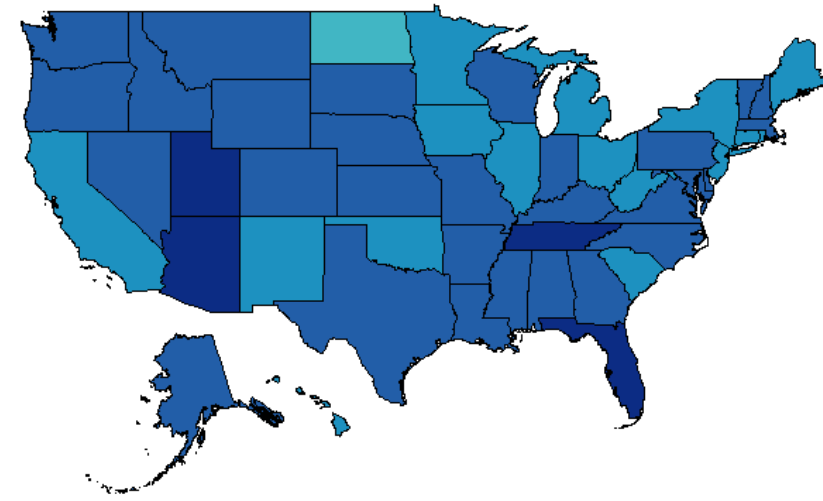
Metrics to Measure COVID-19 Regulations

- Rate of vaccinations (as a proportion)
- Mask Mandate (length, strictness)
- Social distancing (mandates around gatherings, distance)
- Income tax (y/n)
- Number of LIJs
- Number of jobs
- Average salary per state (change over time)
- Health ranking by state (from the QoL Metric)
- Political standing of the state
- Rate of jobs that went remote
- Proportion of vaccines by age and state compared to how many work

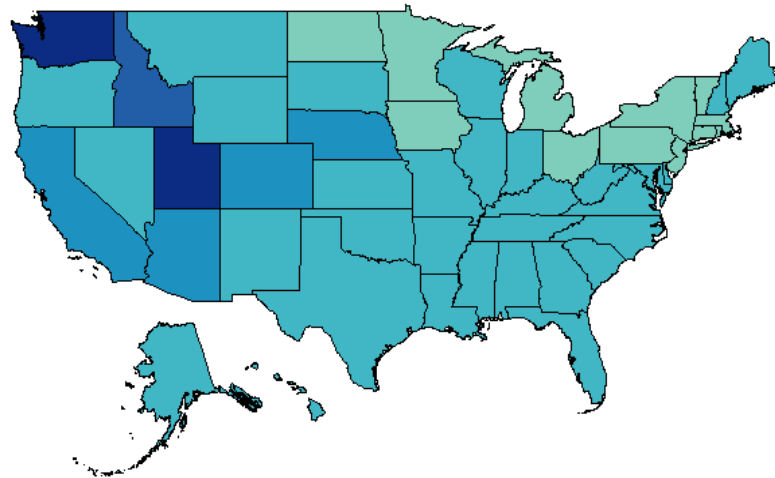
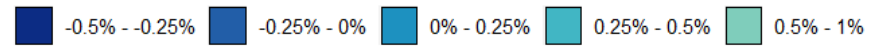
Proportion of Accommodations and Food Services Jobs Lost to Covid-19



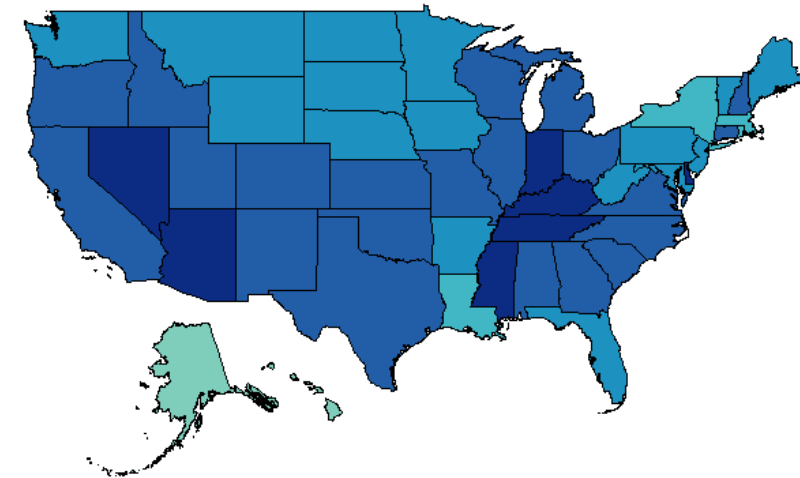
Proportion of Stem Jobs Lost to Covid-19



Proportion of Health and Social Assistance Jobs Lost to Covid-19



Proportion of Transportation and Warehousing Jobs Lost to Covid-19



External Dataset 1: Rate of Vaccinations

Source: https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#vaccinations_vacc-total-admin-count-total

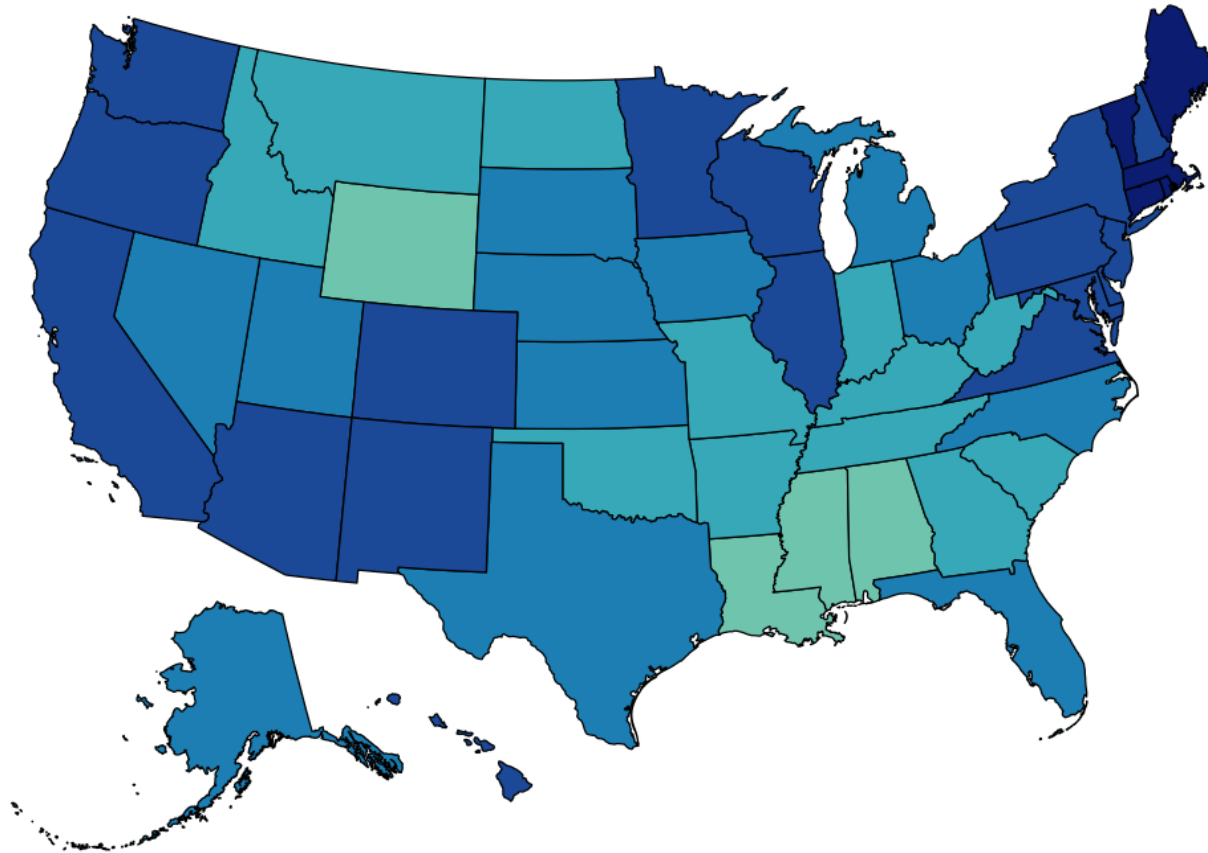
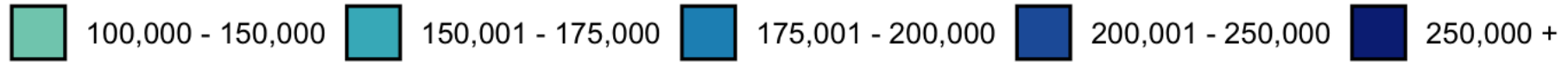
Description: Data Table for COVID-19 Vaccinations in the United States

Variables:

- State/ Territory
- Total doses distributed
- Doses administered by jurisdiction per 100K pop
- Percent of total population with at least one dose
- Percent of total population with a completed primary series
- Percent of total population with Updated Booster

Key Dataset 1: Rate of Vaccinations – Continued

Total Doses Administered Reported to the CDC by State/Territory
and for Select Federal Entities per 100K of the Total Population



Key Dataset 2: Mask Mandates

- Source: BallotPedia (from CDC + local state data)

[https://ballotpedia.org/State-level_mask_requirements_in_response_to_the_coronavirus_\(COVID-19\)_pandemic,_2020-2022](https://ballotpedia.org/State-level_mask_requirements_in_response_to_the_coronavirus_(COVID-19)_pandemic,_2020-2022)

- Variables:
 - State
 - Start of first requirement (if one exists)
 - End of first requirement (if one exists)
 - Start of second requirement (if one exists)
 - End of second requirement (if one exists)
 - Type of restriction (Legislative action/Executive Order/Court Order)
 - Length of mask requirements (if any existed)

Key Dataset 2: Mask Mandates – Continued

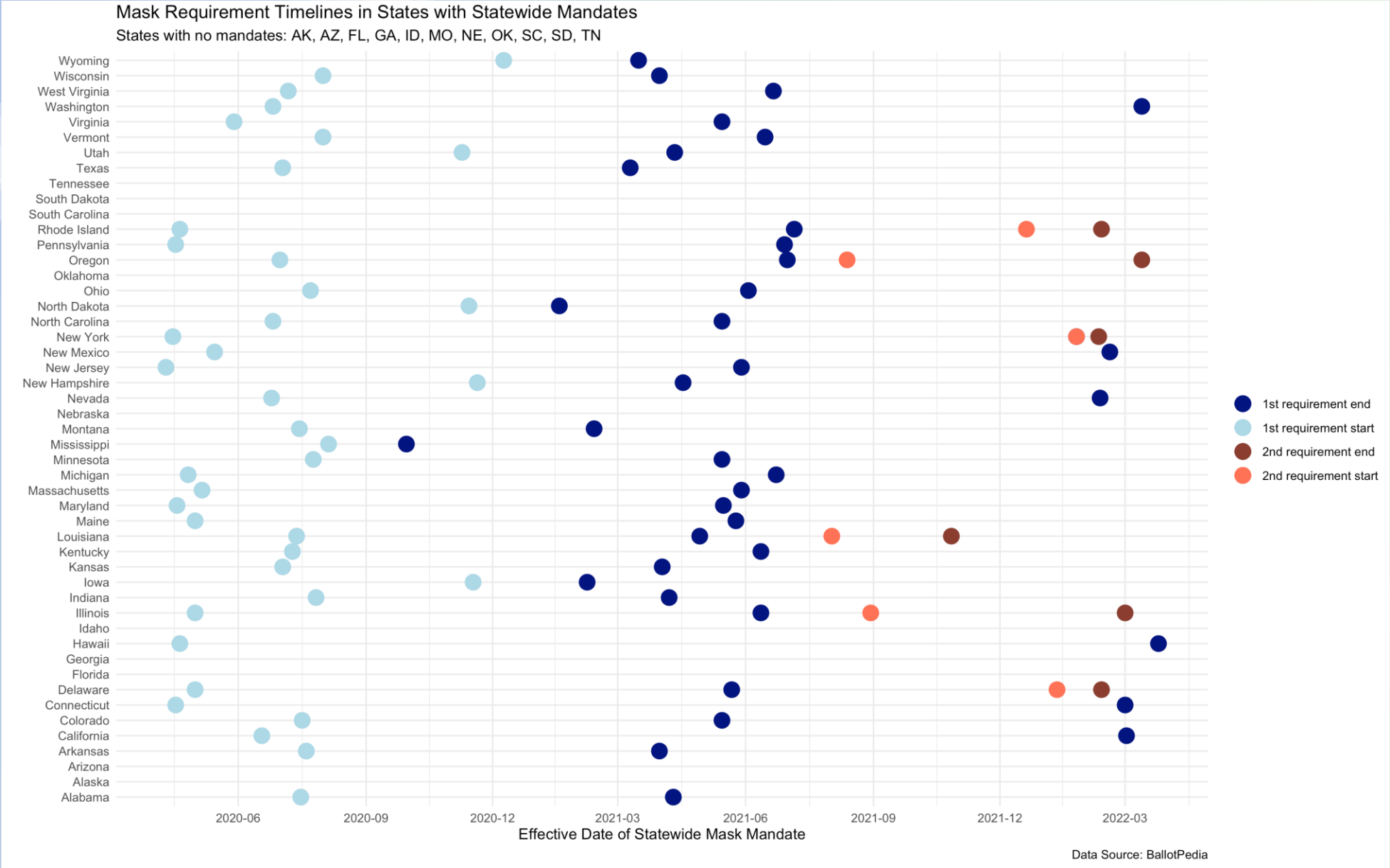
The relationship between the proportion of low-income jobs lost per state (by population) and length of mask mandates →

H₀: There is no correlation between the proportion of low-income jobs lost per state (by population) and length of mask mandates

H_a: There is a correlation between the proportion of low-income jobs lost per state (by population) and length of mask mandates

Results: With a p-value of 1.929×10^{-7} , we reject the null hypothesis and conclude that there is a positive, strong correlation between low-income jobs lost per state (by population) and length of mask mandates. Furthermore, the 95% confidence interval of (0.4665281, 0.7922343) does not include 0, which further supports the conclusion that there is a relationship between these variables.

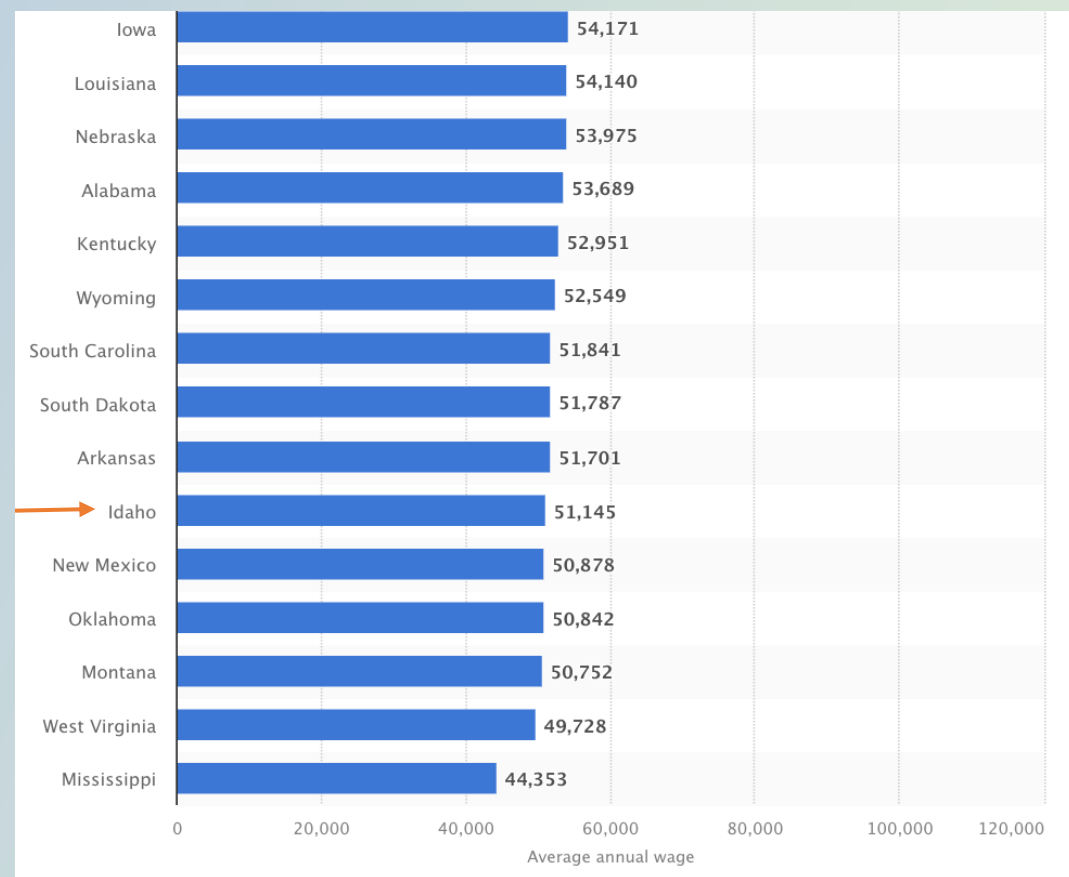
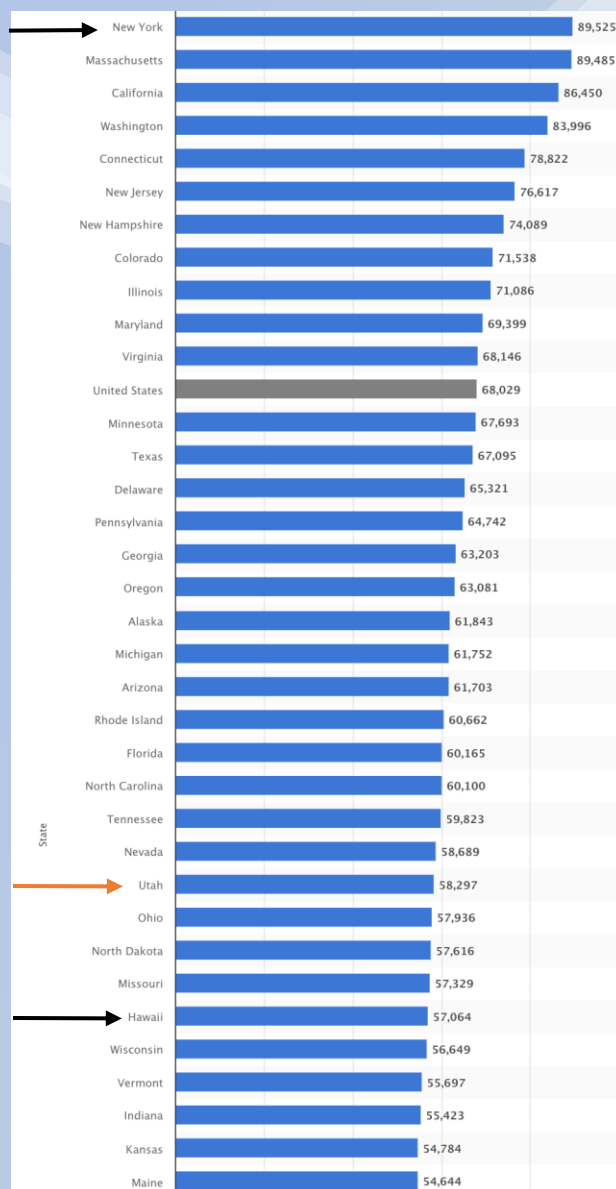
Key Dataset 2: Mask Mandates – Continued



Key Dataset 3: Average Salary per State (Key Variables)

- Source: <https://www.statista.com/statistics/243850/private-industry-wages-per-employee-in-the-us-by-state/>
- Variables:
 - State
 - Average Annual Wage

Key Dataset 3: Average Salary per State



Private industry mean wages per employee annually in the US in 2021, by state.

X-Axis: Average annual wage in U.S. dollars (\$)

Y-Axis: State + "United States" and "District of Columbia" are included

Next Steps

Things to look out in the future:

- Mathematical measure of covid response on a state level and the impact it had on the workforce in said state
 - Looking at other datasets mentioned
- Continue seeking explanations to relationships we find (start creating a wholistic picture for what we're seeing)

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