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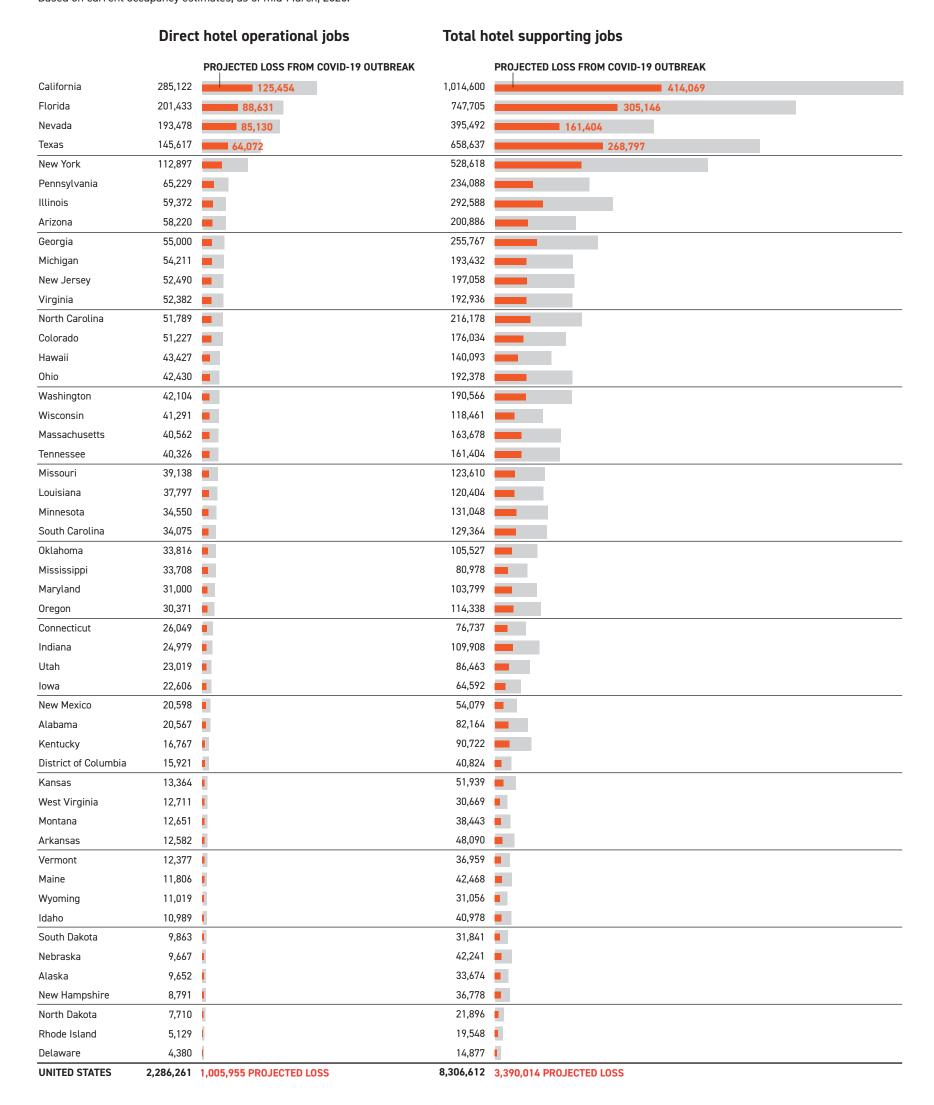
## Covid-19 impact on U.S. hotel industry employment

The American Hotel and Lodging Association reports that as of mid-March 2020, the hotel industry supported nearly 2.3 million jobs directly and over 8.3 million jobs total nationwide that included direct hotel operations, guest spending and indirect supply-chain employment.

The spread of the coronavirus has caused hotel occupancy rates to plummet and increased the potential for massive hotel-industry job loss in every state and the District of Columbia. According to research conducted by Oxford Economics, 44 percent of hotel employees in every state are projected to have lost or will lose their jobs in coming weeks.

## Hotel industry employment before Covid-19 and projected job loss as a result of the outbreak

Based on current occupancy estimates, as of mid-March, 2020.



Note: Figures represent proportionate impacts of U.S. hotel industry based on historical performance (each 10 percentage point decline in occupancy is shown as having the same successive impact for illustrative purposes). Economic impacts are based on Oxford Economics research for AHLA.