

**Full-time Equivalent County Employees by Function  
Last Five Fiscal Years**

Function/Program	2005-06	2004-05	2003-04	2002-03	2001-02
General Government	1,384	1,342	1,335	1,317	1,303
Public Protection <sup>1</sup>	7,068	6,786	6,941	8,667	8,561
Public Ways and Facilities	598	544	532	500	481
Health and Sanitation	2,478	2,424	2,458	2,407	2,424
Public Assistance	4,029	3,787	3,728	3,946	3,909
Education	359	344	349	345	328
Recreation and Cultural Services	265	279	277	259	254
Airport	150	136	136	129	123
Waste Management	263	259	256	226	224
Orange County Children and Families Commission	15	12	12	10	7
<b>Total Full-time Equivalent Employees</b>	<b>16,609</b>	<b>15,913</b>	<b>16,024</b>	<b>17,806</b>	<b>17,614</b>

Notes: (1) In FY 2003-04, the State of California assumed control of Superior Court.  
(2) A full-time equivalent employee is calculated by dividing total labor hours by the total of hours in a fiscal year (2080).

Source: County Executive Office, County of Orange