

Estimated number of people eligible for enrollment in the Registry

More than 400,000 people were directly exposed to the WTC disaster: ¹	
>91,000 rescue/recovery workers and volunteers	
>57,000 residents south of Canal Street	
>15,000 children and staff in schools (pre K-12) south of Canal Street	>360,000 building
	occupants, passers-by and people in transit
9/11-related exposures and experiences among the 71,437 people enrolled in the WTC Health Registry ²	
70% of all enrollees reported witnessing traumatizing events*	
51% of all enrollees reported being caught in the dust cloud on 9/11	
13% of all enrollees reported an injury	
61% of adult residents evacuated their homes**	
83% of building occupants evacuated their workplaces	
*Seeing people running away from the dust cloud (53%) or collapsing buildings (47%), seeing people in killed (33%) or falling or jumping from the towers (29%) or seeing an airplane hit the towers (29%) ** 9% returned as early as 2 days later	jured or

Note: About 26% of enrollees fell into more than one eligibility group. The greatest overlap was among building occupants, passers-by and people in transit who were also either rescue/recovery workers or residents or both.

Sources:

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