

RSE Table 20

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Occupation and work level <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>	Mean	Relative error <sup>3</sup>
<b>All workers</b> .....	\$20.39	2.2%	\$806	2.2%	\$41,894	2.2%
Level 1 .....	9.06	2.3	361	2.2	18,796	2.2
Level 2 .....	9.88	2.8	388	2.8	20,175	2.8
Level 3 .....	10.87	2.5	433	2.5	22,500	2.5
Level 4 .....	13.48	2.2	535	2.1	27,827	2.1
Level 5 .....	15.41	2.8	608	2.5	31,609	2.5
Level 6 .....	18.89	4.1	749	4.3	38,944	4.3
Level 7 .....	24.27	3.0	963	2.7	50,054	2.7
Level 8 .....	27.76	2.3	1,095	2.3	56,917	2.3
Level 9 .....	28.87	3.0	1,107	3.9	57,545	3.9
Level 10 .....	35.16	7.5	1,387	7.7	72,144	7.7
Level 11 .....	41.06	6.0	1,688	6.7	87,797	6.7
Not able to be leveled .....	18.78	8.7	750	8.7	39,008	8.7
<b>Management occupations</b> .....	33.49	10.2	1,394	12.2	72,472	12.2
Level 11 .....	43.50	5.9	1,941	8.7	100,937	8.7
Medical and health services managers .....	33.32	12.1	1,402	14.9	72,894	14.9
<b>Business and financial operations occupations</b> .....	22.75	9.5	906	9.5	47,093	9.5
<b>Community and social services occupations</b> .....	19.70	6.8	788	6.8	40,980	6.8
Level 8 .....	19.17	10.2	767	10.2	39,873	10.2
Social workers .....	21.07	9.9	843	9.9	43,833	9.9
<b>Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations</b> .....	25.82	2.5	1,009	2.6	52,491	2.6
Level 4 .....	15.69	3.6	614	3.9	31,927	3.9
Level 5 .....	16.27	2.6	635	2.4	33,044	2.4
Level 6 .....	19.23	4.8	758	5.4	39,395	5.4
Level 7 .....	24.48	3.8	968	3.5	50,329	3.5
Level 8 .....	28.59	1.3	1,125	1.3	58,515	1.3
Level 9 .....	29.55	3.5	1,126	4.5	58,554	4.5
Level 10 .....	35.89	7.4	1,414	7.7	73,537	7.7
Level 11 .....	41.03	10.3	1,635	10.3	85,005	10.3
Not able to be leveled .....	24.41	8.3	977	8.3	50,781	8.3
Pharmacists .....	50.87	3.4	2,022	3.6	105,121	3.6
Registered nurses .....	29.67	2.7	1,153	2.8	59,937	2.8
Level 7 .....	27.09	4.3	1,066	4.0	55,456	4.0
Level 8 .....	28.85	1.6	1,134	1.1	58,952	1.1
Level 9 .....	27.89	1.2	1,053	1.6	54,731	1.6
Level 10 .....	34.84	6.1	1,376	6.4	71,564	6.4
Level 11 .....	41.23	11.6	1,646	11.7	85,612	11.7
Therapists .....	28.67	5.2	1,127	5.1	58,621	5.1

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<b>Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations</b> –Continued						
Therapists –Continued						
Level 9 .....	\$32.82	3.3%	\$1,297	3.0%	\$67,452	3.0%
Occupational therapists .....	33.30	2.4	1,288	1.6	66,960	1.6
Respiratory therapists .....	24.10	2.2	950	3.4	49,385	3.4
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	19.00	9.3	750	9.2	39,008	9.2
Level 4 .....	13.28	2.9	518	3.8	26,939	3.8
Level 7 .....	21.73	6.5	863	6.4	44,889	6.4
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists .....	22.77	8.0	903	8.0	46,978	8.0
Level 7 .....	22.59	9.4	895	9.3	46,532	9.3
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians .....	15.82	13.0	622	12.8	32,326	12.8
Level 4 .....	13.28	2.9	518	3.8	26,939	3.8
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians .....	22.76	4.5	907	4.5	47,189	4.5
Level 6 .....	23.24	6.1	930	6.1	48,346	6.1
Level 7 .....	22.87	7.0	906	7.1	47,125	7.1
Cardiovascular technologists and technicians .....	19.88	14.2	795	14.2	41,357	14.2
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	23.49	4.4	936	4.4	48,674	4.4
Level 7 .....	22.87	7.0	906	7.1	47,125	7.1
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians .....	16.58	3.3	652	3.6	33,887	3.6
Level 4 .....	16.56	6.8	643	7.8	33,443	7.8
Level 5 .....	14.92	6.3	585	5.8	30,432	5.8
Level 6 .....	17.43	6.3	697	6.3	36,258	6.3
Pharmacy technicians .....	13.51	4.6	529	4.7	27,482	4.7
Surgical technologists .....	18.13	4.0	712	4.6	37,002	4.6
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses .....	16.81	2.3	654	2.7	33,994	2.7
Level 4 .....	16.44	3.9	647	4.2	33,652	4.2
Level 5 .....	16.63	2.4	646	2.3	33,571	2.3
Level 6 .....	18.25	6.3	698	9.8	36,318	9.8
Medical records and health information technicians .....	19.76	33.1	767	34.2	39,904	34.2
Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians .....	16.05	16.1	642	16.1	33,388	16.1
<b>Healthcare support occupations</b> .....	10.79	1.9	428	2.0	22,276	2.0
Level 2 .....	9.78	5.2	385	4.9	20,013	4.9

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<b>Healthcare support occupations –Continued</b>						
Level 3 .....	\$10.79	3.6%	\$429	3.5%	\$22,283	3.5%
Level 4 .....	12.19	5.8	486	5.8	25,253	5.8
Not able to be leveled .....	11.25	5.4	450	5.4	23,409	5.4
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	10.43	2.1	414	2.3	21,506	2.3
Level 2 .....	9.78	5.2	385	4.9	20,013	4.9
Level 3 .....	10.80	4.1	430	4.3	22,356	4.3
Level 4 .....	11.47	7.8	456	7.6	23,734	7.6
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants ....	10.45	2.0	413	2.2	21,492	2.2
Level 2 .....	9.74	6.9	382	6.4	19,841	6.4
Level 3 .....	10.80	4.5	429	4.8	22,321	4.8
Level 4 .....	12.82	5.6	507	5.7	26,359	5.7
Psychiatric aides .....	10.44	4.5	418	4.5	21,724	4.5
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations .....	12.33	4.4	491	4.4	25,523	4.4
Level 4 .....	13.13	5.7	525	5.7	27,276	5.7
Medical assistants .....	12.14	6.8	480	7.1	24,984	7.1
<b>Food preparation and serving related occupations .....</b>						
Level 2 .....	10.64	4.5	423	4.5	21,970	4.5
Level 3 .....	10.47	9.9	411	10.3	21,358	10.3
Level 4 .....	9.79	4.0	392	4.0	20,362	4.0
Level 4 .....	10.63	8.7	425	8.7	22,110	8.7
Cooks .....	10.35	6.7	414	6.7	21,533	6.7
Level 3 .....	9.90	4.8	396	4.8	20,584	4.8
Cooks, institution and cafeteria .....	10.36	7.0	414	7.0	21,539	7.0
Level 3 .....	9.90	4.8	396	4.8	20,584	4.8
Food servers, nonrestaurant .....	10.39	8.6	412	8.9	21,427	8.9
<b>Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations .....</b>						
Level 1 .....	9.51	3.1	378	3.0	19,660	3.0
Level 1 .....	8.63	3.9	345	3.9	17,949	3.9
Level 2 .....	9.59	3.5	378	3.1	19,645	3.1
Level 3 .....	10.11	2.8	404	2.8	21,030	2.8
Building cleaning workers .....	9.35	2.8	372	2.5	19,321	2.5
Level 1 .....	8.63	3.9	345	3.9	17,949	3.9
Level 2 .....	9.59	3.5	378	3.1	19,645	3.1
Level 3 .....	10.11	2.8	404	2.8	21,030	2.8
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	9.48	4.0	375	3.6	19,491	3.6
Level 2 .....	9.69	4.3	379	3.7	19,709	3.7
Maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	9.20	3.6	368	3.6	19,115	3.6

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<b>Office and administrative support occupations</b> .....	\$13.09	2.5%	\$522	2.5%	\$27,128	2.5%
Level 2 .....	10.02	2.5	395	3.3	20,532	3.3
Level 3 .....	11.04	4.5	439	4.4	22,814	4.4
Level 4 .....	13.00	2.0	520	2.0	27,039	2.0
Level 5 .....	14.61	4.8	584	4.8	30,383	4.8
Level 6 .....	17.98	8.1	719	8.1	37,396	8.1
Financial clerks .....	12.01	6.2	481	6.2	24,991	6.2
Level 4 .....	13.32	8.0	533	8.0	27,713	8.0
Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks .....	13.68	6.2	547	6.2	28,449	6.2
Level 4 .....	14.52	3.8	581	3.8	30,200	3.8
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan .....	11.65	3.7	466	3.7	24,231	3.7
Secretaries and administrative assistants .....	13.53	4.0	541	4.0	28,141	4.0
Level 3 .....	10.89	4.0	435	4.0	22,643	4.0
Level 4 .....	13.55	1.6	542	1.6	28,186	1.6
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants .....	18.46	8.9	738	8.9	38,390	8.9
Medical secretaries .....	12.56	4.9	503	4.9	26,135	4.9
Level 3 .....	10.89	4.0	435	4.0	22,643	4.0
Level 4 .....	13.55	1.6	542	1.6	28,186	1.6
Office clerks, general .....	12.66	4.4	504	4.4	26,204	4.4

<sup>1</sup> A classification system including about 800 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

<sup>2</sup> Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighed by hours.

<sup>3</sup> The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

<sup>4</sup> Mean weekly earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees.

<sup>5</sup> Mean annual earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that data did not meet publication criteria. Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.