

RSE Table 20

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work levels**

Occupation and work level <sup>1</sup>	Hourly earnings <sup>2</sup>		Weekly earnings <sup>4</sup>		Annual earnings <sup>5</sup>	
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<b>All workers</b> .....	\$25.47	1.5%	\$994	1.7%	\$51,695	1.7%
Level 1 .....	10.40	2.1	414	1.7	21,521	1.7
Level 2 .....	13.63	2.6	545	2.6	28,345	2.6
Level 3 .....	14.68	1.7	584	1.6	30,392	1.6
Level 4 .....	16.69	2.3	642	3.6	33,371	3.6
Level 5 .....	19.49	2.7	778	2.6	40,464	2.6
Level 6 .....	21.86	4.5	848	4.7	44,082	4.7
Level 7 .....	26.16	4.9	1,027	4.9	53,388	4.9
Level 8 .....	33.71	1.7	1,284	1.1	66,787	1.1
Level 9 .....	34.77	2.3	1,315	2.3	68,292	2.3
Level 10 .....	36.03	6.3	1,441	6.3	74,933	6.3
Level 11 .....	42.75	4.9	1,707	5.0	88,742	5.0
Not able to be leveled .....	28.05	18.6	1,098	19.2	57,094	19.2
<b>Management occupations</b> .....	39.48	11.4	1,568	11.4	81,511	11.4
Medical and health services managers .....	40.23	15.5	1,592	15.5	82,767	15.5
<b>Life, physical, and social science occupations</b> .....	26.21	20.7	1,049	20.7	54,526	20.7
<b>Community and social services occupations</b> .....	24.37	5.8	956	7.2	49,580	7.2
Level 9 .....	28.21	1.3	1,128	1.3	58,441	1.3
Social workers .....	28.01	6.4	1,120	6.4	57,997	6.4
Level 9 .....	29.54	5.0	1,182	5.0	61,113	5.0
<b>Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations</b> .....	33.83	1.9	1,298	2.5	67,483	2.5
Level 4 .....	17.72	4.0	665	6.5	34,573	6.5
Level 5 .....	25.06	2.8	999	2.8	51,945	2.8
Level 7 .....	30.72	4.6	1,202	4.9	62,530	4.9
Level 8 .....	36.40	2.9	1,369	2.7	71,211	2.7
Level 9 .....	35.93	2.6	1,341	3.1	69,751	3.1
Level 10 .....	32.91	15.5	1,316	15.5	68,451	15.5
Level 11 .....	49.31	5.6	1,972	5.6	102,558	5.6
Not able to be leveled .....	34.50	10.8	1,322	12.3	68,725	12.3
Pharmacists .....	48.21	2.8	1,928	2.8	100,279	2.8
Physicians and surgeons .....	37.83	13.8	1,523	14.2	79,205	14.2
Not able to be leveled .....	38.61	16.1	1,544	16.1	80,309	16.1
Registered nurses .....	36.62	2.0	1,370	2.1	71,245	2.1
Level 7 .....	31.59	4.5	1,222	5.3	63,546	5.3
Level 8 .....	37.60	2.9	1,385	3.1	72,036	3.1
Level 9 .....	35.59	2.7	1,323	3.0	68,814	3.0
Not able to be leveled .....	34.75	5.9	1,265	8.9	65,763	8.9
Therapists .....	30.18	5.8	1,205	5.8	62,679	5.8
Physical therapists .....	32.55	1.5	1,302	1.5	67,694	1.5

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<b>Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations –Continued</b>						
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians .....	\$22.10	13.1%	\$841	14.0%	\$43,716	14.0%
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians .....	19.36	12.2	725	9.1	37,716	9.1
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians .....	20.07	8.5	798	8.5	41,509	8.5
<b>Healthcare support occupations .....</b>	15.61	1.4	605	2.4	31,476	2.4
Level 2 .....	13.87	1.8	555	1.8	28,859	1.8
Level 3 .....	15.16	2.1	604	2.2	31,390	2.2
Level 4 .....	16.24	2.7	610	4.5	31,717	4.5
Not able to be leveled .....	15.63	2.2	623	2.2	32,398	2.2
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides .....	15.43	1.9	597	2.7	31,052	2.7
Level 2 .....	13.87	1.8	555	1.8	28,859	1.8
Level 3 .....	15.20	2.4	604	2.7	31,432	2.7
Level 4 .....	16.11	4.0	604	5.7	31,428	5.7
Not able to be leveled .....	15.89	4.0	632	4.3	32,877	4.3
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants ....	15.85	2.4	611	4.1	31,747	4.1
Level 3 .....	15.41	3.9	611	4.4	31,750	4.4
Level 4 .....	16.06	4.4	601	6.2	31,229	6.2
Psychiatric aides .....	14.41	5.8	564	4.3	29,332	4.3
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations .....	16.21	1.5	634	2.0	32,963	2.0
Level 4 .....	16.66	4.2	630	3.9	32,738	3.9
<b>Food preparation and serving related occupations .....</b>						
Level 4 .....	14.75	9.0	590	9.0	30,676	9.0
Level 4 .....	16.69	1.8	668	1.8	34,716	1.8
Cooks .....	17.23	6.1	689	6.1	35,846	6.1
Cooks, institution and cafeteria .....	17.23	6.1	689	6.1	35,846	6.1
<b>Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations .....</b>						
Level 2 .....	13.99	10.2	557	10.3	28,941	10.3
Level 2 .....	12.78	3.8	510	3.9	26,533	3.9
Building cleaning workers .....	12.93	3.5	514	3.7	26,731	3.7
Level 2 .....	12.78	3.8	510	3.9	26,533	3.9
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	13.29	4.8	529	5.1	27,498	5.1
Level 2 .....	12.60	3.2	502	3.6	26,105	3.6
Maids and housekeeping cleaners .....	12.46	7.3	495	7.7	25,733	7.7

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<b>Office and administrative support occupations</b> .....	\$16.28	3.1%	\$643	3.1%	\$33,452	3.1%
Level 2 .....	13.10	1.7	524	1.7	27,255	1.7
Level 3 .....	14.75	3.3	584	2.8	30,393	2.8
Level 4 .....	16.68	3.2	650	3.8	33,793	3.8
Level 5 .....	18.07	3.7	723	3.7	37,578	3.7
Not able to be leveled .....	15.06	18.8	593	18.1	30,832	18.1
Financial clerks .....	17.44	3.0	698	3.0	36,273	3.0
Level 4 .....	17.33	5.1	693	5.1	36,045	5.1
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators .....	16.68	3.7	667	3.7	34,701	3.7
Level 4 .....	16.88	6.0	675	6.0	35,114	6.0
Receptionists and information clerks .....	13.71	4.6	548	4.6	28,507	4.6
Secretaries and administrative assistants .....	17.41	3.6	685	3.4	35,597	3.4
Level 4 .....	16.98	.9	659	1.3	34,247	1.3
Not able to be leveled .....	17.61	10.6	660	11.9	34,325	11.9
Medical secretaries .....	16.96	2.1	662	2.2	34,422	2.2
Level 4 .....	16.98	.9	659	1.3	34,247	1.3

<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.