

RSE Table 20

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Occupation and work level ¹	Hourly earnings ²		Weekly earnings ⁴		Annual earnings ⁵	
	Mean	Relative error ³	Mean	Relative error ³	Mean	Relative error ³
All workers	\$20.57	2.5%	\$815	2.5%	\$42,365	2.5%
Level 1	8.95	3.7	358	3.7	18,620	3.7
Level 2	10.07	4.0	399	3.9	20,763	3.9
Level 3	11.00	5.3	438	5.3	22,799	5.3
Level 4	13.66	4.0	544	3.9	28,266	3.9
Level 5	16.60	4.8	663	4.8	34,479	4.8
Level 6	20.66	4.0	818	4.4	42,523	4.4
Level 7	24.87	2.5	984	2.7	51,157	2.7
Level 8	25.30	5.4	1,004	4.9	52,216	4.9
Level 9	26.84	2.9	1,035	3.9	53,830	3.9
Level 11	49.06	5.5	1,954	5.6	101,627	5.6
Not able to be leveled	29.54	12.5	1,181	13.5	61,389	13.5
Management occupations	38.78	17.6	1,565	18.3	81,395	18.3
Not able to be leveled	44.32	6.7	1,817	7.9	94,481	7.9
Medical and health services managers	36.49	20.2	1,460	20.2	75,902	20.2
Computer and mathematical science occupations	24.69	9.4	989	9.4	51,403	9.4
Community and social services occupations	22.46	3.8	887	3.9	46,135	3.9
Social workers	22.67	3.7	888	4.4	46,153	4.4
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	25.14	4.4	986	4.7	51,292	4.7
Level 4	14.10	3.5	558	3.5	29,030	3.5
Level 5	17.45	3.4	696	3.4	36,196	3.4
Level 6	20.20	5.2	797	5.6	41,458	5.6
Level 7	25.09	2.5	993	2.8	51,612	2.8
Level 8	26.61	3.7	1,039	3.8	54,036	3.8
Level 9	26.05	2.0	999	3.0	51,957	3.0
Level 11	51.74	3.9	2,059	3.9	107,056	3.9
Not able to be leveled	26.59	3.9	1,036	3.8	53,879	3.8
Pharmacists	52.47	1.4	2,090	1.5	108,682	1.5
Level 11	52.89	1.5	2,104	1.7	109,388	1.7
Physicians and surgeons	112.13	6.4	4,480	6.4	232,938	6.4
Registered nurses	26.34	3.4	1,020	3.7	53,033	3.7
Level 7	26.70	7.3	1,049	8.0	54,539	8.0
Level 8	26.75	3.3	1,037	3.5	53,923	3.5
Level 9	25.52	1.9	975	3.0	50,722	3.0
Therapists	23.63	11.0	941	10.9	48,928	10.9
Level 7	22.19	9.8	885	9.7	46,034	9.7
Respiratory therapists	23.44	5.5	935	5.5	48,627	5.5
Level 7	24.57	5.7	979	5.8	50,896	5.8

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Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations –Continued						
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	\$21.44	6.4%	\$840	6.3%	\$43,690	6.3%
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists	23.09	2.7	924	2.7	48,033	2.7
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	19.70	11.2	756	10.6	39,329	10.6
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians	21.71	4.8	867	4.8	45,077	4.8
Level 6	22.62	4.7	905	4.7	47,050	4.7
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	22.53	2.6	900	2.6	46,774	2.6
Level 6	22.62	4.7	905	4.7	47,050	4.7
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	14.26	5.7	563	5.5	29,263	5.5
Level 4	13.78	2.9	543	3.6	28,245	3.6
Surgical technologists	15.65	5.4	624	4.9	32,457	4.9
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	16.25	6.0	646	6.2	33,584	6.2
Level 4	15.94	5.5	627	5.5	32,607	5.5
Level 5	16.62	7.8	662	7.9	34,422	7.9
Medical records and health information technicians	14.77	12.0	591	12.0	30,730	12.0
Healthcare support occupations	10.85	2.2	432	2.2	22,452	2.2
Level 2	9.93	2.4	393	2.5	20,449	2.5
Level 3	9.88	4.1	394	4.3	20,509	4.3
Level 4	12.48	1.9	497	2.1	25,870	2.1
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	10.22	1.6	407	1.7	21,167	1.7
Level 2	9.94	2.5	394	2.7	20,506	2.7
Level 3	9.65	3.0	385	3.2	20,032	3.2
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	10.16	1.8	405	1.9	21,045	1.9
Level 2	9.76	2.9	387	3.1	20,146	3.1
Level 3	9.65	3.0	385	3.2	20,032	3.2
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	11.62	4.6	461	4.6	23,985	4.6
Level 4	12.15	6.2	482	6.0	25,076	6.0
Protective service occupations	13.37	4.4	530	4.9	27,550	4.9
Food preparation and serving related occupations	11.53	12.1	461	12.1	23,983	12.1
Cooks	10.63	12.3	425	12.3	22,112	12.3

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Food preparation and serving related occupations –Continued						
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	\$10.63	12.3%	\$425	12.3%	\$22,112	12.3%
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	9.12	4.5	363	4.6	18,878	4.6
Level 1	8.68	5.2	347	5.2	18,046	5.2
Level 2	9.20	5.0	363	5.1	18,855	5.1
Building cleaning workers	9.12	4.5	363	4.6	18,878	4.6
Level 1	8.68	5.2	347	5.2	18,046	5.2
Level 2	9.20	5.0	363	5.1	18,855	5.1
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	9.30	4.4	369	4.5	19,196	4.5
Office and administrative support occupations	13.48	3.9	542	4.1	28,165	4.1
Level 2	10.96	6.9	433	6.3	22,528	6.3
Level 3	11.63	3.9	465	3.9	24,167	3.9
Level 4	13.72	6.8	547	6.8	28,462	6.8
Level 5	15.20	25.7	608	25.7	31,616	25.7
Financial clerks	12.06	4.9	483	4.9	25,093	4.9
Level 4	11.89	5.6	475	5.6	24,726	5.6
Bill and account collectors	12.48	2.4	499	2.4	25,951	2.4
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	14.86	10.1	588	10.4	30,596	10.4
Level 3	10.75	6.6	430	6.6	22,352	6.6
Secretaries and administrative assistants	15.22	7.9	607	8.0	31,567	8.0
Level 3	12.19	1.3	488	1.3	25,358	1.3
Level 4	14.21	6.8	564	6.8	29,351	6.8
Medical secretaries	12.72	3.9	507	3.9	26,356	3.9
Level 4	13.73	6.8	545	6.9	28,320	6.9
Office clerks, general	10.86	7.7	435	7.7	22,597	7.7
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	16.56	10.9	662	10.9	34,447	10.9

¹ The NCS uses the 2000 Standard Occupational Classification coding structure, which defines more than 800 unique occupations, to match jobs sampled by the survey. Military occupations are excluded from the survey.

² 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.

³ 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 chapter 8 of the BLS Handbook of

Methods, at http://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/homch8_a.htm.

⁴ Mean weekly earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees, exclusive of overtime.

⁵ Mean annual earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees, exclusive of overtime.

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

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Compensation Survey.