

RSE Table 20

**Civilian full-time workers in hospitals: Relative standard errors
of mean hourly, weekly, and annual earnings by
work levels**

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	\$26.94	1.7%	\$1,054	1.9%	\$54,783	1.9%
Level 1	10.66	2.2	425	1.8	22,077	1.8
Level 2	13.49	2.5	539	2.6	28,025	2.6
Level 3	15.16	1.7	603	1.7	31,350	1.7
Level 4	16.88	1.8	647	2.9	33,625	2.9
Level 5	19.76	3.0	789	2.9	41,022	2.9
Level 6	22.51	4.6	876	4.9	45,570	4.9
Level 7	28.56	4.1	1,119	4.2	58,195	4.2
Level 8	34.16	2.4	1,304	1.7	67,804	1.7
Level 9	35.79	2.0	1,357	2.2	70,497	2.2
Level 10	37.41	5.8	1,496	5.8	77,804	5.8
Level 11	45.35	4.4	1,811	4.6	94,152	4.6
Not able to be leveled	30.48	15.2	1,206	15.3	62,720	15.3
Management occupations	42.23	12.5	1,676	12.5	87,155	12.5
Computer and mathematical science occupations	33.35	7.4	1,330	7.3	69,150	7.3
Computer systems analysts	38.73	6.8	1,541	7.3	80,107	7.3
Life, physical, and social science occupations	26.75	17.2	1,070	17.2	55,639	17.2
Community and social services occupations	24.70	5.0	971	6.0	50,385	6.0
Level 9	28.30	2.4	1,132	2.4	58,652	2.4
Social workers	28.20	5.6	1,128	5.6	58,409	5.6
Level 9	29.15	5.9	1,166	5.9	60,340	5.9
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	35.63	2.5	1,376	2.9	71,554	2.9
Level 4	17.41	2.3	655	3.4	34,036	3.4
Level 5	23.78	6.8	949	6.7	49,353	6.7
Level 6	23.54	7.1	902	7.1	46,917	7.1
Level 7	32.45	3.6	1,271	3.8	66,073	3.8
Level 8	37.03	2.5	1,395	2.0	72,562	2.0
Level 9	37.17	2.1	1,396	2.7	72,598	2.7
Level 10	35.53	12.7	1,421	12.7	73,900	12.7
Level 11	51.70	6.3	2,068	6.3	107,531	6.3
Not able to be leveled	38.45	11.3	1,506	11.3	78,294	11.3
Pharmacists	50.92	2.6	2,037	2.6	105,905	2.6
Physicians and surgeons	46.76	16.5	1,894	17.5	98,513	17.5
Not able to be leveled	46.67	19.0	1,867	19.0	97,078	19.0
Registered nurses	38.14	2.6	1,440	2.7	74,858	2.7
Level 7	32.82	4.0	1,270	4.6	66,053	4.6
Level 8	38.54	2.4	1,418	2.5	73,744	2.5

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Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations –Continued						
Registered nurses –Continued						
Level 9	\$36.92	2.1%	\$1,382	2.6%	\$71,867	2.6%
Not able to be leveled	36.07	9.9	1,359	11.0	70,658	11.0
Therapists	32.85	3.8	1,299	3.5	67,553	3.5
Physical therapists	34.21	4.2	1,369	4.2	71,163	4.2
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	22.06	12.3	843	12.7	43,840	12.7
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	19.49	10.5	737	7.6	38,312	7.6
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	21.05	9.2	838	9.3	43,563	9.3
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	24.76	2.3	990	2.3	51,502	2.3
Healthcare support occupations	16.10	1.5	619	2.0	32,197	2.0
Level 2	14.11	1.8	565	1.8	29,357	1.8
Level 3	15.91	1.9	633	1.8	32,895	1.8
Level 4	16.43	1.5	615	2.6	31,969	2.6
Not able to be leveled	16.32	2.0	647	2.7	33,625	2.7
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	15.87	1.5	611	2.4	31,773	2.4
Level 2	14.11	1.8	565	1.8	29,357	1.8
Level 3	15.59	1.6	619	1.8	32,187	1.8
Level 4	16.34	2.3	611	3.7	31,782	3.7
Not able to be leveled	16.52	3.9	653	5.0	33,957	5.0
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	16.14	1.8	619	3.1	32,198	3.1
Level 3	15.98	2.6	632	3.2	32,838	3.2
Level 4	16.28	2.4	607	3.9	31,587	3.9
Psychiatric aides	14.95	4.2	583	3.5	30,314	3.5
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	16.93	2.5	648	2.0	33,721	2.0
Level 4	16.66	2.4	624	3.7	32,429	3.7
Food preparation and serving related occupations	15.20	7.8	608	7.8	31,623	7.8
Level 4	17.82	1.8	713	1.8	37,074	1.8
Cooks	18.12	5.9	725	5.9	37,693	5.9
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	18.12	5.9	725	5.9	37,693	5.9
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	13.72	9.3	546	9.3	28,391	9.3
Level 2	12.45	4.5	496	4.7	25,812	4.7

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Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations –Continued						
Building cleaning workers	\$12.75	4.0%	\$507	4.1%	\$26,374	4.1%
Level 2	12.45	4.5	496	4.7	25,812	4.7
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	13.14	5.2	523	5.5	27,177	5.5
Level 2	12.15	4.1	483	4.5	25,133	4.5
Maids and housekeeping cleaners	12.23	6.4	487	6.6	25,312	6.6
Office and administrative support occupations						
Level 2	16.96	2.2	670	2.3	34,847	2.3
Level 3	13.52	2.1	541	2.1	28,120	2.1
Level 4	14.91	4.6	590	3.9	30,699	3.9
Level 5	16.91	2.9	655	3.9	34,085	3.9
Level 5	18.73	3.3	749	3.3	38,960	3.3
Not able to be leveled	16.49	17.2	656	17.4	34,127	17.4
Financial clerks	17.73	3.0	709	3.0	36,888	3.0
Level 4	17.34	6.2	694	6.2	36,073	6.2
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators	17.03	3.8	681	3.8	35,419	3.8
Level 4	17.31	6.6	692	6.6	35,998	6.6
Receptionists and information clerks	14.09	6.0	564	6.0	29,316	6.0
Secretaries and administrative assistants	18.34	1.7	722	1.7	37,567	1.7
Level 4	17.61	2.4	680	3.8	35,383	3.8
Not able to be leveled	17.92	11.4	706	11.9	36,709	11.9
Medical secretaries	17.47	2.0	684	1.9	35,588	1.9
Level 4	17.38	1.4	669	2.4	34,769	2.4

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.