

RSE Table 20

**Civilian full-time workers in hospitals: Relative standard errors
of mean hourly, weekly, and annual earnings by
work levels¹**

Occupation and work level ²	Hourly earnings ³		Weekly earnings ⁵		Annual earnings ⁶	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴	Mean	Relative error ⁴	Mean	Relative error ⁴
All workers	\$22.26	1.6%	\$873	1.6%	\$45,408	1.6%
Level 1	9.78	3.4	390	3.2	20,269	3.2
Level 2	10.92	1.6	432	1.6	22,444	1.6
Level 3	12.66	1.9	500	2.1	25,988	2.1
Level 4	14.68	1.4	580	1.5	30,159	1.5
Level 5	17.32	3.5	689	3.5	35,804	3.5
Level 6	21.03	4.0	823	3.7	42,803	3.7
Level 7	24.93	2.7	974	2.6	50,617	2.6
Level 8	27.35	2.2	1,063	2.4	55,257	2.4
Level 9	28.93	1.5	1,117	1.7	58,103	1.7
Level 10	40.20	4.9	1,572	4.5	81,754	4.5
Level 11	41.24	2.9	1,634	3.2	84,983	3.2
Level 12	54.06	9.1	2,216	9.2	115,249	9.2
Level 13	57.80	17.5	2,312	17.5	120,216	17.5
Not able to be leveled	25.71	8.7	1,013	8.9	52,698	8.9
Management occupations	44.26	4.8	1,784	4.8	92,768	4.8
Level 9	31.60	5.2	1,264	5.2	65,737	5.2
Level 11	44.17	3.3	1,830	4.3	95,141	4.3
Level 12	50.81	4.5	2,075	6.0	107,887	6.0
Level 13	57.80	17.5	2,312	17.5	120,216	17.5
Not able to be leveled	48.30	7.2	1,907	7.3	99,162	7.3
Financial managers	41.59	11.4	1,664	11.4	86,512	11.4
Medical and health services managers	45.59	5.5	1,843	5.5	95,819	5.5
Level 11	44.87	3.0	1,866	4.3	97,013	4.3
Not able to be leveled	48.04	8.6	1,892	8.8	98,408	8.8
Business and financial operations occupations	27.26	6.0	1,084	6.0	56,383	6.0
Level 7	21.46	14.9	858	14.9	44,634	14.9
Human resources, training, and labor relations specialists	31.21	8.4	1,214	7.1	63,153	7.1
Computer and mathematical science occupations	29.62	5.2	1,180	5.2	61,362	5.2
Life, physical, and social science occupations	28.61	7.2	1,145	7.2	59,518	7.2
Community and social services occupations	20.37	3.9	790	4.6	41,106	4.6
Level 8	20.59	2.6	768	5.0	39,952	5.0
Level 9	22.74	3.1	909	3.1	47,290	3.1
Counselors	19.28	5.1	702	7.1	36,495	7.1
Social workers	21.12	4.1	835	4.2	43,415	4.2
Level 9	22.25	2.9	890	2.9	46,282	2.9

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Community and social services occupations –Continued						
Medical and public health social workers	\$24.92	3.2%	\$997	3.2%	\$51,835	3.2%
Mental health and substance abuse social workers	19.81	4.5	779	4.5	40,512	4.5
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	26.90	1.5	1,044	1.7	54,290	1.7
Level 3	11.36	3.4	409	7.6	21,253	7.6
Level 4	15.58	2.2	612	2.6	31,820	2.6
Level 5	19.50	4.4	772	4.4	40,132	4.4
Level 6	22.54	4.5	874	4.1	45,446	4.1
Level 7	25.75	3.0	1,001	2.9	52,057	2.9
Level 8	27.88	2.4	1,084	2.5	56,391	2.5
Level 9	29.13	1.8	1,119	2.0	58,183	2.0
Level 10	42.23	5.4	1,650	4.6	85,799	4.6
Level 11	43.51	3.9	1,705	4.3	88,675	4.3
Not able to be leveled	24.77	3.8	975	4.0	50,701	4.0
Pharmacists	51.07	.9	2,022	1.3	105,142	1.3
Level 10	50.82	1.3	1,985	2.2	103,195	2.2
Level 11	51.08	1.4	2,043	1.4	106,247	1.4
Registered nurses	29.19	1.7	1,116	1.9	58,031	1.9
Level 7	26.14	2.6	1,000	2.4	51,971	2.4
Level 8	28.56	2.0	1,095	2.3	56,963	2.3
Level 9	28.32	1.8	1,077	2.1	56,025	2.1
Level 10	36.20	7.3	1,434	7.4	74,579	7.4
Level 11	41.12	5.3	1,594	5.6	82,894	5.6
Not able to be leveled	27.75	3.0	1,050	4.2	54,625	4.2
Therapists	27.82	3.7	1,101	3.8	57,247	3.8
Level 7	23.14	6.7	884	6.8	45,989	6.8
Level 8	26.97	6.8	1,075	6.8	55,913	6.8
Level 9	31.40	1.8	1,246	2.0	64,786	2.0
Occupational therapists	33.59	3.2	1,321	3.0	68,693	3.0
Physical therapists	29.03	12.4	1,161	12.4	60,376	12.4
Respiratory therapists	25.95	4.7	1,020	4.8	53,016	4.8
Level 7	24.27	6.0	918	6.6	47,748	6.6
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	22.03	2.7	876	2.7	45,538	2.7
Level 4	15.87	4.9	629	4.9	32,684	4.9
Level 6	26.42	3.1	1,057	3.1	54,960	3.1
Level 7	25.07	1.6	994	2.3	51,682	2.3
Level 8	25.50	3.0	1,013	3.1	52,681	3.1
Not able to be leveled	21.68	8.5	867	8.5	45,093	8.5

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Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations –Continued						
Medical and clinical laboratory technologists	\$24.27	2.2%	\$966	2.3%	\$50,254	2.3%
Level 7	25.07	1.6	994	2.3	51,682	2.3
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	17.73	6.9	702	6.9	36,505	6.9
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians	26.69	2.6	1,044	2.6	54,301	2.6
Level 5	24.14	9.6	960	9.7	49,926	9.7
Level 6	25.18	2.0	961	2.3	49,985	2.3
Level 7	26.58	6.8	1,061	6.8	55,149	6.8
Level 8	28.95	2.3	1,146	2.8	59,587	2.8
Cardiovascular technologists and technicians	23.49	11.8	898	15.5	46,720	15.5
Nuclear medicine technologists	34.13	4.4	1,365	4.4	70,984	4.4
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	25.53	3.9	1,002	3.9	52,087	3.9
Level 5	21.84	4.9	867	4.8	45,072	4.8
Level 6	25.10	2.2	954	2.6	49,614	2.6
Level 7	25.58	8.1	1,020	8.1	53,042	8.1
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	17.52	7.0	688	6.1	35,795	6.1
Level 4	14.45	4.9	574	4.7	29,825	4.7
Level 5	17.37	3.3	694	3.3	36,093	3.3
Level 7	27.52	14.1	1,056	11.3	54,894	11.3
Pharmacy technicians	15.00	3.5	597	3.5	31,058	3.5
Level 4	15.09	3.7	601	3.8	31,234	3.8
Psychiatric technicians	12.48	6.9	499	6.9	25,951	6.9
Surgical technologists	19.88	6.1	790	6.1	41,096	6.1
Level 5	18.29	3.7	731	3.6	38,001	3.6
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	18.17	3.6	702	4.4	36,527	4.4
Level 4	16.59	3.6	648	5.0	33,705	5.0
Level 5	18.35	2.4	703	3.4	36,578	3.4
Level 6	19.67	8.2	759	9.5	39,466	9.5
Medical records and health information technicians	18.73	4.8	738	5.2	38,360	5.2
Level 4	15.52	3.9	598	6.4	31,084	6.4
Miscellaneous health technologists and technicians	18.96	6.6	758	6.6	39,434	6.6
Healthcare support occupations	12.78	1.6	503	1.6	26,161	1.6
Level 2	11.09	2.5	431	2.6	22,424	2.6

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Healthcare support occupations –Continued						
Level 3	\$13.09	2.7%	\$518	2.6%	\$26,959	2.6%
Level 4	13.60	2.2	538	2.2	27,979	2.2
Level 5	13.74	11.5	544	10.9	28,282	10.9
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	12.11	1.4	473	1.5	24,616	1.5
Level 2	11.12	1.9	429	2.2	22,327	2.2
Level 3	12.96	2.4	512	2.3	26,609	2.3
Level 4	12.82	2.2	502	1.7	26,102	1.7
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	12.17	1.7	474	1.8	24,634	1.8
Level 2	11.12	1.9	429	2.2	22,327	2.2
Level 3	12.99	2.5	513	2.3	26,656	2.3
Level 4	13.08	1.6	507	1.3	26,355	1.3
Psychiatric aides	11.78	3.8	471	3.8	24,508	3.8
Physical therapist assistants and aides	13.03	1.3	521	1.3	27,101	1.3
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	14.03	2.8	560	2.7	29,121	2.7
Level 2	10.98	8.8	439	8.8	22,843	8.8
Level 3	13.51	4.4	540	4.4	28,102	4.4
Level 4	14.44	2.6	578	2.6	30,042	2.6
Medical assistants	14.74	2.7	588	2.7	30,579	2.7
Level 4	14.05	1.0	562	1.0	29,221	1.0
Medical equipment preparers	15.44	10.6	617	10.6	32,108	10.6
Medical transcriptionists	14.92	3.6	592	2.9	30,794	2.9
Protective service occupations	13.41	1.8	536	1.8	27,891	1.8
Security guards and gaming surveillance officers	13.35	1.6	534	1.6	27,764	1.6
Security guards	13.35	1.6	534	1.6	27,764	1.6
Food preparation and serving related occupations	11.59	3.1	463	3.1	24,062	3.1
Level 2	10.40	2.4	414	2.4	21,554	2.4
Level 3	11.28	5.4	451	5.4	23,463	5.4
Cooks	12.28	4.8	491	4.8	25,543	4.8
Level 3	11.50	5.8	460	5.8	23,911	5.8
Cooks, institution and cafeteria	12.28	4.8	491	4.8	25,543	4.8
Level 3	11.50	5.8	460	5.8	23,911	5.8
Food preparation workers	10.38	2.4	415	2.4	21,600	2.4
Food servers, nonrestaurant	12.65	11.1	501	11.4	26,038	11.4
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	10.59	2.3	423	2.2	21,994	2.2
Level 1	10.00	3.8	397	3.6	20,655	3.6

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Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations —Continued						
Level 2	\$10.67	2.4%	\$427	2.4%	\$22,187	2.4%
Level 3	10.89	6.5	436	6.5	22,647	6.5
Building cleaning workers	10.59	2.3	423	2.2	21,992	2.2
Level 1	10.00	3.8	397	3.6	20,655	3.6
Level 2	10.67	2.4	427	2.4	22,187	2.4
Level 3	10.89	6.5	436	6.5	22,647	6.5
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	10.44	3.2	418	3.2	21,721	3.2
Level 1	9.53	2.9	381	2.9	19,831	2.9
Level 2	10.77	3.2	431	3.2	22,403	3.2
Level 3	10.59	8.1	424	8.1	22,027	8.1
Maids and housekeeping cleaners	10.83	2.7	432	2.8	22,441	2.8
Level 2	10.50	3.7	420	3.7	21,850	3.7
Office and administrative support occupations						
.....	14.67	1.4	583	1.4	30,341	1.4
Level 2	11.46	4.4	458	4.4	23,830	4.4
Level 3	13.07	2.8	518	2.9	26,939	2.9
Level 4	14.98	1.4	594	1.5	30,869	1.5
Level 5	16.36	3.5	654	3.5	34,023	3.5
Level 6	19.30	3.2	767	3.4	39,889	3.4
Not able to be leveled	16.12	7.0	643	7.0	33,453	7.0
First-line supervisors/managers of office and administrative support workers	21.49	8.5	860	8.5	44,698	8.5
Switchboard operators, including answering service	10.29	5.9	412	5.9	21,399	5.9
Level 2	11.38	3.9	455	3.9	23,673	3.9
Financial clerks	15.72	2.4	628	2.4	32,662	2.4
Level 3	15.12	13.5	605	13.5	31,442	13.5
Level 4	15.87	2.1	635	2.1	32,997	2.1
Level 5	15.48	2.4	619	2.4	32,190	2.4
Bill and account collectors	15.45	3.9	618	3.9	32,136	3.9
Billing and posting clerks and machine operators	15.26	2.6	610	2.6	31,730	2.6
Level 4	15.69	3.1	628	3.1	32,634	3.1
File clerks	10.87	4.8	431	4.4	22,415	4.4
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	15.05	1.8	593	2.1	30,829	2.1
Level 4	15.06	2.3	602	2.3	31,328	2.3
Human resources assistants, except payroll and timekeeping	16.85	7.4	669	7.7	34,779	7.7
Receptionists and information clerks	12.22	5.0	488	5.0	25,351	5.0

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Office and administrative support occupations –Continued						
Receptionists and information clerks –Continued						
Level 2	\$11.58	10.3%	\$463	10.3%	\$24,082	10.3%
Level 3	11.68	6.2	467	6.2	24,304	6.2
Stock clerks and order fillers	12.22	2.9	489	2.9	25,408	2.9
Level 3	12.56	3.0	503	3.0	26,134	3.0
Secretaries and administrative assistants	15.65	2.1	620	2.3	32,246	2.3
Level 3	13.14	2.7	515	3.4	26,801	3.4
Level 4	14.71	2.2	579	2.7	30,116	2.7
Level 5	16.71	5.3	668	5.3	34,762	5.3
Executive secretaries and administrative assistants	19.36	5.2	774	5.2	40,273	5.2
Medical secretaries	14.64	3.6	576	4.1	29,955	4.1
Level 3	12.59	3.4	488	4.6	25,393	4.6
Level 4	14.43	1.6	564	2.3	29,351	2.3
Secretaries, except legal, medical, and executive	15.07	3.7	603	3.7	31,339	3.7
Level 4	15.58	6.6	623	6.6	32,408	6.6
Office clerks, general	13.90	4.3	548	4.1	28,492	4.1
Level 3	13.69	7.1	545	7.1	28,363	7.1
Level 4	13.86	6.6	528	7.4	27,466	7.4
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations						
Level 6	17.72	2.4	706	2.6	36,702	2.6
Level 6	18.03	4.1	721	4.1	37,507	4.1
Industrial machinery installation, repair, and maintenance workers	17.65	2.4	706	2.4	36,713	2.4
Level 6	18.03	4.1	721	4.1	37,507	4.1
Maintenance and repair workers, general ..	17.64	2.4	706	2.4	36,687	2.4
Level 6	18.03	4.1	721	4.1	37,507	4.1

¹ Each occupation for which data are collected in an establishment is evaluated based on four factors, including knowledge, job controls and complexity, contacts, and physical environment. For more information, see chapter 8 of the BLS Handbook of Methods, at http://www.bls.gov/opub/hom/homch8_a.htm.

² 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.

³ 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, weighted by hours.

⁴ 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.

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

⁶ Mean annual earnings are based on 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.