

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	\$27.38	16.8%	\$1,075	17.4%	\$55,888	17.4%
Level 2	11.30	3.2	450	3.1	23,424	3.1
Level 3	12.55	1.4	483	1.5	25,137	1.5
Level 4	14.22	3.4	561	3.2	29,185	3.2
Level 5	17.97	2.0	709	1.6	36,861	1.6
Level 6	19.42	4.9	765	4.9	39,799	4.9
Level 7	25.69	3.9	975	3.8	50,725	3.8
Level 8	30.70	2.4	1,187	2.6	61,714	2.6
Level 9	31.35	4.5	1,211	4.6	62,965	4.6
Level 11	44.59	7.2	1,760	7.0	91,503	7.0
Management occupations	60.97	11.4	2,439	11.4	126,823	11.4
Medical and health services managers	60.97	11.4	2,439	11.4	126,823	11.4
Business and financial operations occupations	24.76	10.9	991	10.9	51,508	10.9
Community and social services occupations	25.40	10.7	1,036	11.0	53,876	11.0
Healthcare practitioner and technical occupations	34.13	17.2	1,334	18.3	69,342	18.3
Level 5	19.27	3.4	750	2.1	38,978	2.1
Level 6	19.37	5.4	763	5.3	39,662	5.3
Level 7	26.96	3.8	1,007	4.4	52,376	4.4
Level 8	31.51	2.0	1,209	2.6	62,851	2.6
Level 9	31.71	4.5	1,216	5.0	63,245	5.0
Level 11	47.92	6.9	1,880	7.4	97,736	7.4
Not able to be leveled	27.22	11.5	1,074	10.9	55,850	10.9
Registered nurses	31.67	2.5	1,199	2.2	62,371	2.2
Level 8	30.93	2.9	1,176	2.8	61,168	2.8
Level 9	29.89	2.1	1,131	3.4	58,832	3.4
Level 11	42.98	3.2	1,674	4.7	87,070	4.7
Therapists	26.36	4.3	1,004	4.8	52,211	4.8
Respiratory therapists	24.89	4.1	940	4.1	48,872	4.1
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	18.76	10.5	726	9.1	37,743	9.1
Diagnostic related technologists and technicians	34.01	11.1	1,361	11.1	70,748	11.1
Radiologic technologists and technicians ..	37.77	10.0	1,511	10.0	78,553	10.0
Health diagnosing and treating practitioner support technicians	17.96	6.9	701	6.5	36,471	6.5
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	18.92	.8	750	1.2	39,006	1.2

See footnotes at end of table.

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Healthcare support occupations	\$13.05	2.4%	\$510	2.6%	\$26,516	2.6%
Level 3	12.47	2.5	481	1.8	25,020	1.8
Level 4	13.23	5.6	522	5.3	27,138	5.3
Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides	12.50	1.7	486	1.6	25,273	1.6
Level 3	12.40	2.7	477	2.1	24,806	2.1
Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	12.47	1.9	487	1.8	25,308	1.8
Level 3	12.32	3.1	476	2.6	24,770	2.6
Miscellaneous healthcare support occupations	15.14	5.9	600	6.0	31,219	6.0
Food preparation and serving related occupations	12.19	4.1	483	3.9	25,131	3.9
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance occupations	10.88	3.3	431	3.2	22,416	3.2
Level 2	10.27	2.1	411	2.1	21,353	2.1
Building cleaning workers	10.88	3.3	431	3.2	22,416	3.2
Level 2	10.27	2.1	411	2.1	21,353	2.1
Janitors and cleaners, except maids and housekeeping cleaners	10.88	3.8	435	3.8	22,611	3.8
Maids and housekeeping cleaners	10.87	6.3	428	6.5	22,247	6.5
Office and administrative support occupations	15.31	2.6	604	2.7	31,386	2.7
Level 3	13.62	1.7	531	2.1	27,594	2.1
Level 4	14.33	4.9	564	5.1	29,336	5.1
Financial clerks	16.12	1.9	645	1.9	33,520	1.9
Interviewers, except eligibility and loan	13.89	2.9	532	3.6	27,688	3.6
Secretaries and administrative assistants	17.63	6.6	691	7.0	35,915	7.0
Level 4	15.06	8.4	576	9.0	29,937	9.0
Medical secretaries	14.88	4.9	568	5.9	29,542	5.9
Level 4	14.68	7.4	536	8.3	27,893	8.3

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.