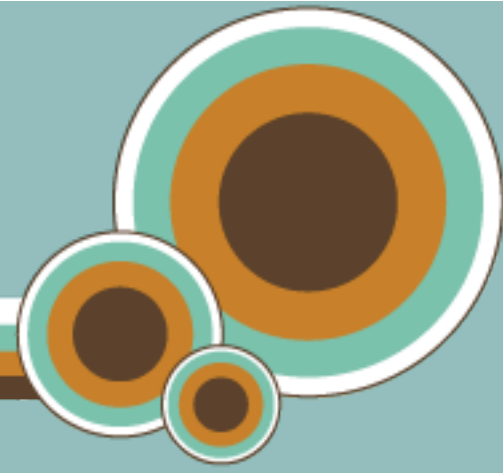
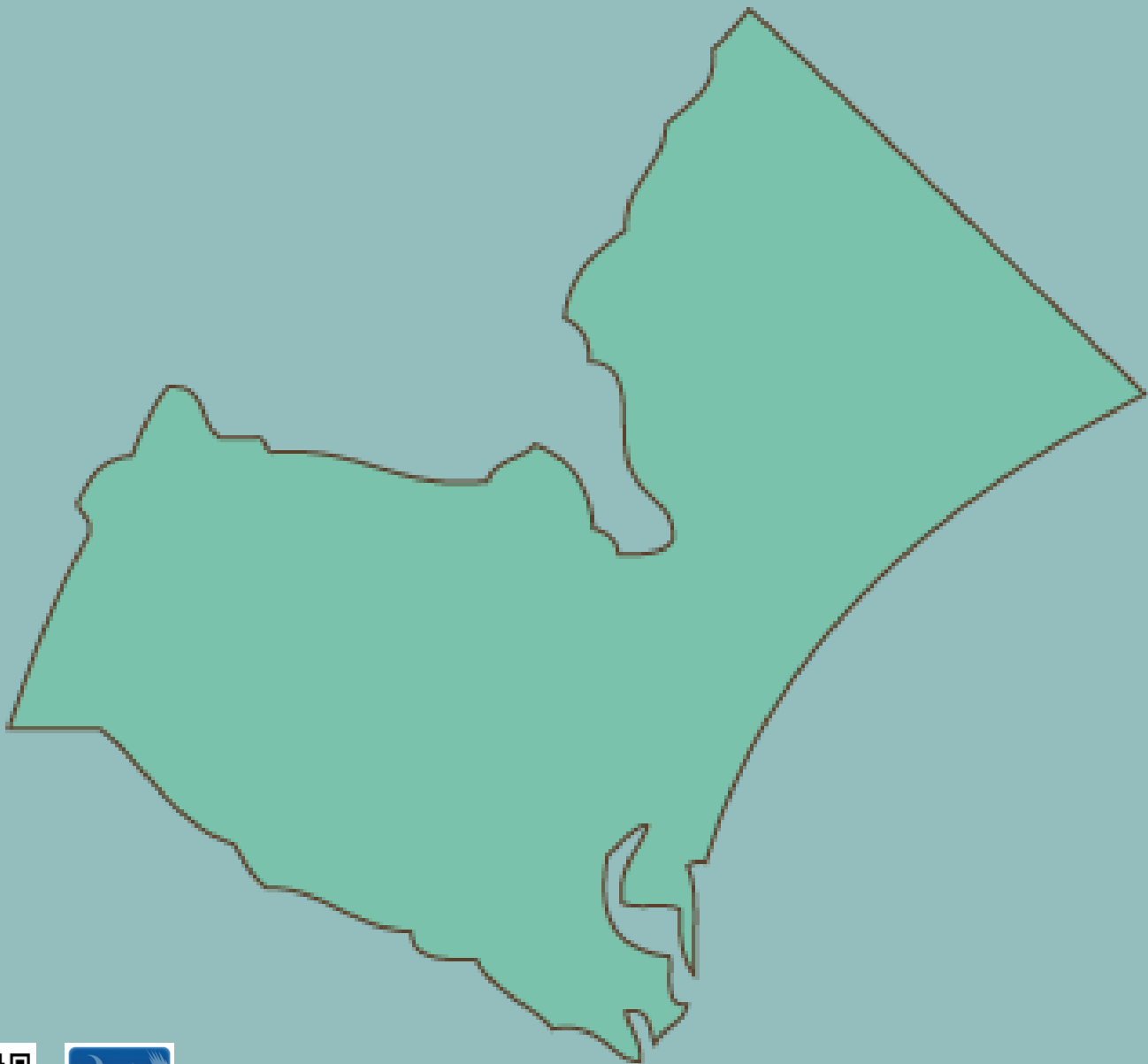


OCCUPATIONAL OUTLOOK FOR



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TOP 20 FASTEST-GROWING OCCUPATIONS

2012-2022 PROJECTIONS

- ▶ SIXTY PERCENT OF THE TOP 20 FASTEST-GROWING OCCUPATIONS WAGES EXCEED \$20.00 PER HOUR.
- ▶ THE MAJORITY (80 PERCENT) OF THE FASTEST-GROWING OCCUPATIONS REQUIRE SOME LEVEL OF EDUCATION OR TRAINING BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL



	Annual Percent Increase	Education* Code	Average Hourly Wage
Physician Assistants	4.28%	04	\$40.57
Home Health Aides	4.28%	07	\$9.22
Personal Care Aides	3.74%	07	\$8.95
Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	3.50%	02	\$12.92
Nurse Practitioners	3.47%	04	\$40.58
Physical Therapist Assistants	3.37%	02	\$24.75
Software Developers, Applications	3.35%	01	\$36.17
Brickmasons and Blockmasons	3.31%	03	\$16.42
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	3.29%	01	\$20.61
Interpreters and Translators	3.24%	01	\$17.37
Dental Hygienists	3.24%	02	\$25.34
Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	3.13%	01	\$21.24
Medical Assistants	3.08%	06	\$13.99
Physical Therapists	2.98%	08	\$39.18
Training and Development Managers	2.92%	01	\$37.56
Healthcare Social Workers	2.92%	04	\$22.64
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic	2.92%	03	\$10.66
Medical and Health Services Managers	2.83%	01	\$40.25
Cost Estimators	2.80%	01	\$25.87
Surgical Technologists	2.78%	06	\$17.31

TOP 20 OCCUPATIONS WITH THE GREATEST NUMBER OF JOB OPENINGS

2012-2022 PROJECTIONS

▶ THESE OCCUPATIONS ACCOUNT FOR OVER ONE-HALF (52.4 PERCENT) OF ALL AVAILABLE JOB OPENINGS.



	Annual Job Openings	Education * Code	Average Hourly Wage
Retail Salespersons	400	07	\$10.99
Cashiers	346	07	\$8.86
Waiters and Waitresses	334	07	\$9.16
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	196	07	\$8.46
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	180	07	\$8.88
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	145	07	\$10.24
Customer Service Representatives	129	03	\$11.84
Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop	111	07	\$8.97
Registered Nurses	105	02	\$29.31
Cooks, Restaurant	95	07	\$10.27
Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	91	03	\$10.27
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	91	03	\$18.75
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	85	07	\$10.68
Construction Laborers	80	07	\$14.30
Office Clerks, General	79	03	\$13.03
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	77	07	\$10.66
Bartenders	76	07	\$11.55
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	75	03	\$13.70
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	75	07	\$10.18
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	74	03	\$15.35

TOP OCCUPATIONS BY EDUCATION LEVEL

2012-2022 PROJECTIONS

► Occupations requiring more education and training typically compensate workers with higher wages.

Family and General Practitioners
Avg. Wage: \$105.79
Ann. Openings: 9
Ann. Growth: 1.88%

Pharmacists
Avg. Wage: \$55.55
Ann. Openings: 15
Ann. Growth: 1.42%

Internists, General
Avg. Wage: \$102.45
Ann. Openings: 4
Ann. Growth: 1.86%

FOUR-YEAR DEGREE OR HIGHER



Dentists, General
Avg. Wage: \$86.64
Ann. Openings: 7
Ann. Growth: 1.92%

Physicians and Surgeons, All Other
Avg. Wage: \$94.23
Ann. Openings: 6
Ann. Growth: 2.37%

Computer Network Support Specialists
Avg. Wage: \$30.2
Ann. Openings: 3
Ann. Growth: .68%

Registered Nurses
Avg. Wage: \$29.31
Ann. Openings: 105
Ann. Growth: 2.07%

Magnetic Resonance Imaging Technologists
Avg. Wage: \$25.22
Ann. Openings: 1
Ann. Growth: 2.5%

POSTSECONDARY OR ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE

* Education Level Codes:

- (01) - Bachelor's Degree
- (02) - Associate's Degree
- (03) - High School Diploma or Equivalent
- (04) - Master's Degree
- (05) - Some College, No Degree
- (06) - Postsecondary Non-Degree Award
- (07) - Less than High School
- (08) - Doctoral or Professional Degree

Dental Hygienists
Avg. Wage: \$25.34
Ann. Openings: 14
Ann. Growth: 3.24%

First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers
Avg. Wage: \$28.03
Ann. Openings: 8
Ann. Growth: .38%

Managers, All Other
Avg. Wage: \$41.39
Ann. Openings: 1
Ann. Growth: .31%

First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers
Avg. Wage: \$27.49
Ann. Openings: 5
Ann. Growth: .37%

Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers
Avg. Wage: \$38.51
Ann. Openings: 1
Ann. Growth: 1.03%

HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS



Business Operations Specialists, All Other
Avg. Wage: \$27.75
Ann. Openings: 1
Ann. Growth: .66%

Real Estate Brokers
Avg. Wage: \$36.04
Ann. Openings: 3
Ann. Growth: 1.11%