

HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY BRIEF



Dec. 2024

Grand and San Juan Counties

Health Care and Social Assistance Employment and Wages

Industry Name (code)	2023 Employment	2023 Average Monthly Wage	2022-2023 % Change in Employment
Healthcare and Social Assistance (62)	1,596	\$5,132	4.2%
Ambulatory Health Care Services (621)	820	\$5,114	4.9%
Offices of Physicians (6211)	68	\$4,964	21.4%
Offices of Dentists (6212)	35	\$4,850	0.0%
Offices of Other Health Practitioners (6213)	56	\$3,478	3.7%
Home Health Care Services (6216)	105	\$2,540	-6.3%
Hospitals (622)	490	\$6,360	0.4%
Social Assistance (624)	174	\$2,904	17.6%
Individual and Family Services (6241)	99	\$3,210	23.8%
Total Area Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	11,510	\$3,803	2.2%
Health Care and Social Assistance (62) as a Percent of Total	13.9%	134.9%	

Source: Department of Workforce Services

Health Care and Social Assistance History

Year	Employment	Avg. Monthly Wage	% of Utah Avg. Monthly Wage	Number of Establishments	Payrolls (Millions)	% of Total Area Jobs	% of Total Area Payroll
2014	1,164	\$3,171	90.2%	84	\$44.3	12.7%	15.5%
2015	1,191	\$3,293	90.8%	79	\$47.1	12.7%	15.3%
2016	1,238	\$3,367	90.9%	76	\$48.6	12.6%	15.5%
2017	1,245	\$3,489	90.9%	76	\$52.1	12.7%	15.8%
2018	1,302	\$3,607	90.9%	75	\$56.4	12.7%	16.0%
2019	1,348	\$3,821	92.4%	79	\$61.8	12.8%	16.6%
2020	1,379	\$4,268	95.0%	80	\$70.6	14.3%	19.2%
2021	1,412	\$4,603	97.2%	82	\$78.0	13.2%	18.3%
2022	1,531	\$4,764	94.8%	86	\$87.5	13.6%	18.0%
2023	1,596	\$5,132	98.1%	91	\$98.3	13.9%	18.7%



Largest Employers

- Utah Navajo Health System
- Moab Valley Healthcare
- Blue Mountain Hospital
- San Juan Healthcare Services
- Four Corners Regional Care Center
- Canyonlands Healthcare
- Homewatch Caregivers of Utah
- Guardian Flight
- San Juan County Health and Social Services
- San Juan Counseling
- Grand County Emergency Medical Services
- Ray A. Andrew, MD
- Precision Rehabilitation
- Act for Health

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Health Care and Social Assistance Jobs in Demand Southeast Area

Occupation Code	Occupation Title	Inexperienced Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	\$34.97	\$42.95
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	\$21.99	\$30.77
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	\$14.53	\$16.95
29-1123	Physical Therapists	\$30.72	\$41.17
29-1141	Registered Nurses	\$31.23	\$36.85
29-1292	Dental Hygienists	\$36.92	\$37.67
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$19.71	\$25.05
31-1120	Home Health and Personal Care Aides	\$13.82	\$15.28
31-1131	Nursing Assistants	\$14.78	\$16.02
31-9091	Dental Assistants	\$17.07	\$17.57
31-9092	Medical Assistants	\$16.93	\$18.39
35-2012	Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	\$14.38	\$17.06
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$13.99	\$17.35
39-9011	Childcare Workers	\$12.56	\$14.56
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$20.80	\$25.10
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	\$17.80	\$21.15
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$14.30	\$16.94
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	\$14.88	\$17.46
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$16.76	\$20.34
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	\$14.69	\$18.54

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Eastern Utah Balance of State

Total Payroll Jobs

December 2023

Statewide	1,756,580
Southeast	10,555
% of Statewide	0.6%

Healthcare and Social Services Payroll Jobs

December 2023

Statewide	207,420
Southeast	1,572
% of Statewide	0.8%

Health Care and Social Assistance Employment Southeast

