

HEALTH CARE INDUSTRY BRIEF



Dec. 2024

Beaver, Garfield, Iron, Kane and Washington Counties

Health Care and Social Assistance Employment and Wages

Industry Name (code)	2023 Employment	2023 Avg. Monthly Wage	2022-2023 % Change in Employment
Healthcare and Social Assistance (62)	16,554	\$4,422	5.9%
Ambulatory Health Care Services (621)	6,638	\$4,369	7.5%
Offices of Physicians (6211)	2,301	\$5,818	6.9%
Offices of Dentists (6212)	1,260	\$3,207	1.9%
Other Health Practitioners (6213)	1,214	\$2,979	15.0%
Outpatient Care Centers (6214)	668	\$4,830	7.1%
Home Health Care Services (6216)	838	\$3,636	8.4%
Other Ambulatory Health Care Services (6219)	321	\$4,319	11.1%
Hospitals (622)	4,187	\$6,756	5.4%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities (623)	3,044	\$3,100	0.3%
Social Assistance (624)	2,684	\$2,414	9.4%
Individual and Family Services (6241)	1,795	\$2,591	7.7%
Child Day Care Services (6244)	404	\$1,862	16.8%
Total Area Nonfarm Payroll Jobs	110,011	\$3,809	4.5%
Healthcare and Social Assistance (62) as a Percent of Total	15.0%	116.1%	

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	11,393	\$3,175	90.3%	796	\$434.0	14.6%	18.0%
2015	12,154	\$3,216	88.8%	818	\$469.1	14.9%	18.1%
2016	12,970	\$3,419	92.3%	843	\$532.2	15.0%	18.7%
2017	13,449	\$3,438	90.2%	866	\$554.8	15.0%	18.1%
2018	14,111	\$3,548	89.4%	947	\$600.7	14.7%	17.7%
2019	14,931	\$3,623	87.6%	1,006	\$649.6	15.0%	17.9%
2020	15,387	\$3,760	83.7%	1,054	\$694.0	15.2%	17.4%
2021	15,791	\$3,920	82.7%	1,122	\$742.7	14.5%	16.5%
2022	15,634	\$4,266	84.9%	1,151	\$800.3	14.8%	17.4%
2023	16,554	\$4,422	84.5%	1,144	\$878.5	15.0%	17.5%



Largest Employers

1. Intermountain Healthcare
2. Revere Health
3. Avalon Care Center
4. Deseret Industries
5. Red Rock Healthcare
6. Southwest Center
7. Crimson Counseling
8. St. George Rehabilitation
9. Southwest Spine and Pain
10. Southwest Utah Community Health Center
11. Cedar City Healthcare
12. RMI Resource Management
13. Beaver Valley Hospital
14. Havenwood Academy
15. Desert Pain Specialist
16. Kane County Hospital
17. DMBC
18. Coral Desert Rehabilitation
19. Liahona Academy for Youth
20. Utah Behavior Services

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Health Care and Social Assistance Jobs in Demand Southwest Area

Occupation Code	Occupation Title	Inexperienced Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
11-9111	Medical and Health Services Managers	\$36.13	\$44.55
21-1021	Child, Family, and School Social Workers	\$18.04	\$21.24
21-1093	Social and Human Service Assistants	\$15.29	\$16.29
29-1123	Physical Therapists	\$38.87	\$48.39
29-1141	Registered Nurses	\$33.07	\$38.58
29-1292	Dental Hygienists	\$36.47	\$37.00
29-2061	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$26.14	\$29.92
31-1120	Home Health and Personal Care Aides	\$14.45	\$15.21
31-1131	Nursing Assistants	\$16.50	\$17.67
31-9091	Dental Assistants	\$16.69	\$17.20
31-9092	Medical Assistants	\$17.10	\$18.07
37-2012	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$13.97	\$15.00
39-9011	Childcare Workers	\$12.32	\$14.29
39-9041	Residential Advisors	\$15.97	\$16.68
43-1011	First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$20.89	\$25.84
43-3021	Billing and Posting Clerks	\$16.86	\$18.99
43-4171	Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$13.94	\$15.81
43-6013	Medical Secretaries	\$16.90	\$18.34
43-6014	Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$15.00	\$17.62
43-9061	Office Clerks, General	\$14.06	\$17.57

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics; St. George MSA

Total Payroll Jobs	
December 2023	
Statewide	1,756,580
Southwest	113,034
% of Statewide	6.4%

Healthcare and Social Assistance Payroll Jobs	
December 2023	
Statewide	207,420
Southwest	17,039
% of Statewide	8.2%

Health Care and Social Assistance Employment Southwest

