

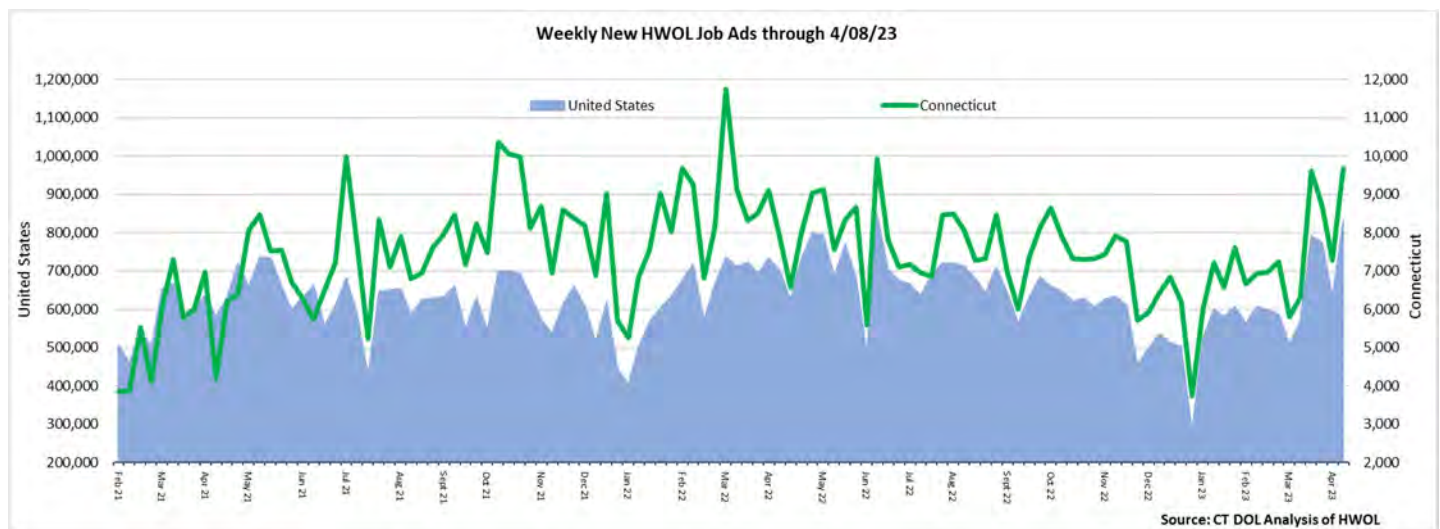


NEW WEEKLY JOB POSTINGS FROM HELP WANTED ONLINE

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Week Ending April 8th, 2023: Weekly New Ads Jump 33% From A Week Ago

WETHERSFIELD, April 14th, 2023 – During the week ending April 8th, 2023, there were 9,662 new postings, up 2,395 new ads or 33% over the week. This over-the-week jump positions the most recent week of total new ads as the second-highest level in over a year. The 12-month high of 9,921 weekly new ads occurred during the week ending June 11th, 2022. The five largest industry increases over the week were up between 140 and 572 new ads and grew between 24%-90%. The largest industry increase was Retail Trade, up 572 new ads or +90% over a week ago. The Home Depot was the largest Retail Trade employer increase, up 162 new ads over the week. Other employers with large increases include Yale-New Haven Healthcare (+211 new ads), UnitedHealth Group (+163 new ads), and Hartford Healthcare (+162 new ads). The pronounced increases over the past few weeks are shown in the graph below and occurred at both the statewide and U.S. levels. Systems issues have affected the quality of the data over the past few weeks.



Industries with the most new postings include Health Care & Social Assistance, Retail Trade, and Finance & Insurance.

Occupations with the most new postings include Registered Nurses, Retail Salespersons, and First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers.

Employers with the most new postings include Yale-New Haven Health System, Hartford Healthcare, and UnitedHealth Group.

The three industries with the most new job postings were:

- **Health Care & Social Assistance** (2,249 new postings, +24% over the week)
- **Retail Trade** (1,211 new postings, +90% over the week)
- **Finance & Insurance** (900 new postings, +73% over the week)

NAICS	Industry	Ads Week	1 week ago:	4 weeks	1 week change		4 week change	
		Ending: 4/8/23	4/1/23	ago: 3/11/23	%	#	%	#
0	Total	9,662	7,267	6,303	33%	2,395	53%	3,359
11	Agriculture	8	24	10	-67%	-16	-20%	-2
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	20	8	6	150%	12	233%	14
22	Utilities	86	61	60	41%	25	43%	26
23	Construction	116	106	61	9%	10	90%	55
31	Manufacturing	828	531	474	56%	297	75%	354
42	Wholesale Trade	142	84	39	69%	58	264%	103
44	Retail Trade	1,211	639	540	90%	572	124%	671
48	Transportation and Warehousing	206	198	143	4%	8	44%	63
51	Information	121	111	96	9%	10	26%	25
52	Finance and Insurance	900	521	463	73%	379	94%	437
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	118	90	104	31%	28	13%	14
54	Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services	368	377	315	-2%	-9	17%	53
55	Management	13	6	9	117%	7	44%	4
56	Administrative and Support	261	167	178	56%	94	47%	83
61	Educational Services	400	260	343	54%	140	17%	57
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,249	1,813	1,459	24%	436	54.1%	790
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	74	44	88	68%	30	-16%	-14
72	Accommodation and Food Services	609	649	363	-6%	-40	68%	246
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	212	176	133	20%	36	59%	79
92	Public Administration	165	154	115	7%	11	43%	50
99	Unspecified	1,555	1,248	1,304	25%	307	19%	251

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

During the week ending April 8th, 2023, nineteen of twenty-one industries had over-the-week increases. More than half of the 2,395 new ad total increase occurred in one of three industries; Retail Trade (+572 new ads), Health Care & Social Assistance (+436 new ads), and Finance & Insurance (+379 new ads). These three industries represented a combined 58% of over-the-week change and 45% of new ads during the current week. The employers with the most ads within those three industries respectively were The Home Depot (154 new ads), Yale-New Haven Health System (361 new ads), and UnitedHealth Group (192 new ads). Total new ads are up 3,359 from four weeks ago. All but two industries had four-week increases. The three largest were Health Care & Social Assistance (+790 new ads), Retail Trade (+671), and Finance & Insurance (+437 new ads).

For more information on total job ads by industry for Connecticut and its labor market areas, see the monthly report available here: <https://www1.ctdol.state.ct.us/lmi/hwol.asp>

New Job Postings by Occupation

HWOL Statewide Weekly Occupational New Job Ads - Top 25 Occupations

Occupation	Ads Week Ending:	1 week ago:	4 weeks ago:	1 week change		4 week change	
	4/8/23	4/1/23	3/11/23	%	#	%	#
Registered Nurses	560	504	375	11%	56	49%	185
Retail Salespersons	352	243	220	45%	109	60%	132
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	279	146	148	91%	133	89%	131
Personal Service Managers, All Other; Entertainment	209	190	166	10%	19	26%	43
Customer Service Representatives	208	155	136	34%	53	53%	72
Fast Food and Counter Workers	179	124	89	44%	55	101%	90
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing,	169	173	148	-2%	-4	14%	21
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	167	114	113	46%	53	48%	54
Computer Occupations, All Other	157	151	122	4%	6	29%	35
Medical and Health Services Managers	148	99	95	49%	49	56%	53
Security Guards	145	48	36	202%	97	303%	109
Stockers and Order Fillers	143	51	63	180%	92	127%	80
Software Developers and Software Quality Assurance	136	88	109	55%	48	25%	27
Nurse Practitioners	135	62	47	118%	73	187%	88
Nursing Assistants	132	88	52	50%	44	154%	80
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	124	91	65	36%	33	91%	59
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	110	79	46	39%	31	139%	64
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	109	95	87	15%	14	25%	22
Sales Managers	101	55	49	84%	46	106%	52
General and Operations Managers	93	73	67	27%	20	39%	26
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	87	61	43	43%	26	102%	44
Cashiers	85	47	31	81%	38	174%	54
Food Service Managers	80	107	35	0%	-27	129%	45
Medical Dosimetrists, Medical Records Specialists	80	57	51	40%	23	57%	29
Waiters and Waitresses	77	85	53	-9%	-8	45%	24

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

The occupations with the most new postings were:

- Registered Nurses (560 new postings, +11% over the week)
- Retail Salespersons (352 new postings, +45% over the week)
- Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers (279 new postings, +91% over the week)

Employers with the Most New Job Postings

Employer	Ads Week Ending: 4/8/23	1 Week Ago: 4/1/23	4 Weeks Ago: 3/11/23	1 Week # Change	4 Week # Change
Yale-New Haven Health System	361	150	24	211	337
Hartford Healthcare	205	43	95	162	110
UnitedHealth Group	192	29	18	163	174
The Home Depot Incorporated	154	2	1	152	153
State of Connecticut	110	64	49	46	61
Cigna Corporation	93	73	70	20	23
Raytheon	85	50	13	35	72
Sterling National Bank	72	0	0	72	72
Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc	70	51	22	19	48
Securitas	65	8	6	57	59
Dunkin'	64	2	3	62	61
Lumen Technologies	59	90	20	-31	39
Keystone Human Services	55	7	0	48	55
Aveanna Healthcare	54	0	1	54	53
CVS Health	54	51	25	3	29
Watermark Retirement Communities	53	2	4	51	49
Masonicare Corporation	49	75	36	-26	13
Stop & Shop	49	1	1	48	48
Middlesex Health System Incorporated	49	8	20	41	29
Trinity Health	49	9	23	40	26
Gap Inc.	46	3	1	43	45
TJX Companies, Inc.	42	28	31	14	11
Yale University	42	35	25	7	17
Sysco Corporation	41	32	6	9	35
University of Connecticut	38	24	36	14	2

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Employers with the most new job postings during the week ending April 8th, were mostly within Health Care & Social Assistance, Retail Trade, and Finance & Insurance. Health Care & Social Assistance accounted for eight of the top 25 employers and seven were in Retail Trade. The 25 employers shown above combined account for 2,151 of total job ads or 22 percent of all new ads. The four employers with the most new ads during the week had between 152 and 211 more new ads than a week ago. Twenty-three of twenty-five employers had over-the-week increases, the two down over-the-week were Keystone Human Services (-31 new ads) and Masonicare Corp. (-26 new ads)

What is HWOL?

The **Conference Board Help Wanted Online**® Data Series (HWOL) measures the number of new, first-time Online job postings and jobs reposted from the previous month for over 16,000 Internet job boards, corporate boards, and smaller job sites that serve niche markets and smaller geographic areas. To view more HWOL data, go to:

<https://www1.ctdol.state.ct.us/lmi/hwol.asp>