

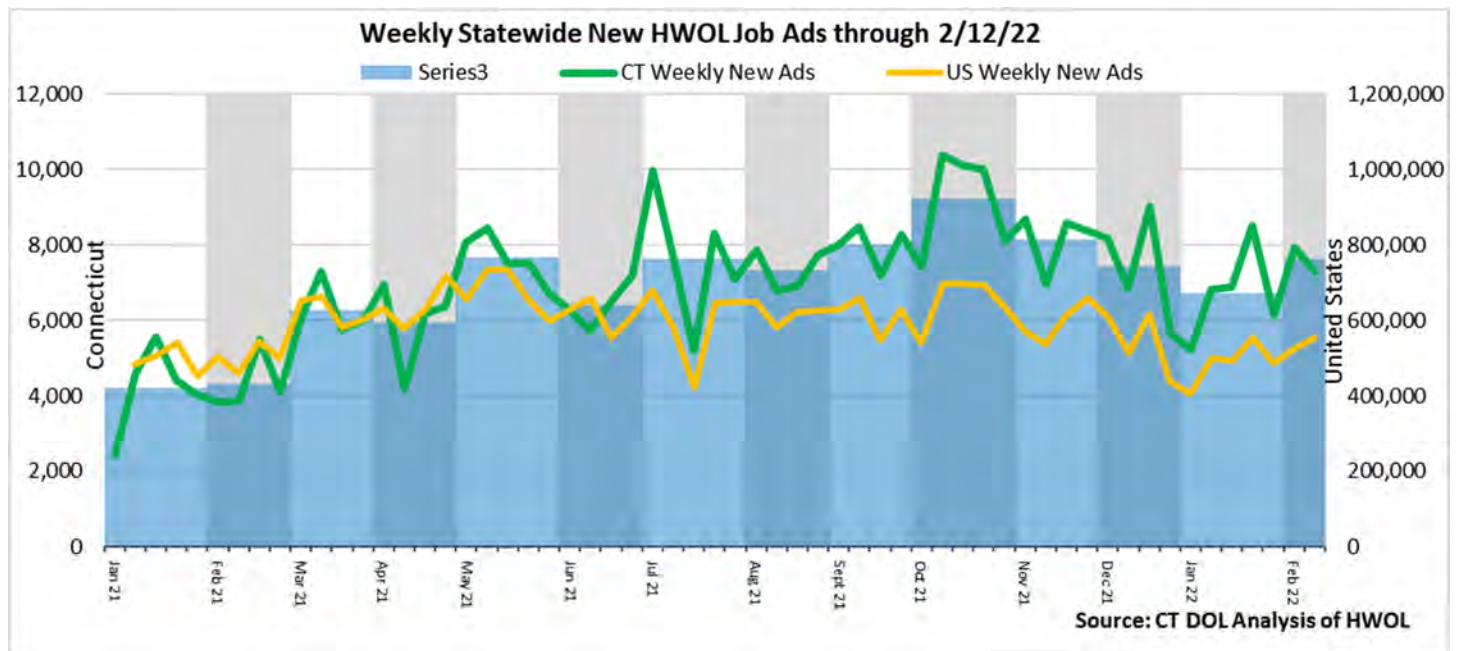


NEW WEEKLY JOB POSTINGS FROM HELP WANTED ONLINE

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Week Ending February 12th, 2022: Total New Ads Down Slightly Over The Week

WETHERSFIELD, February 18th, 2022 – During the week ending February 12th, 2022, there were 7,315 new postings, down -635 ads over the week. Despite this overall decline, a majority of industries added jobs over the week, the largest being Accommodation & Food Services (+168 new ads), Pro., Sci., & Tech. Services (+115 new ads), and Finance & Insurance (+115 new ads). These gains were tempered by a large -1,355 over the week decline in Health Care & Social Assistance, which resulted in the net decline across all industries. There is some indication that this Health Care drop may be overstated as the result of a job ad deduplication issue within the HWOL series and not due to a large real drop in postings. Employers with the largest new ad increase and decrease over the week include Boston Market (+89 new ads) and Hartford Healthcare (-507 new ads). The first two weeks of February have averaged higher than the monthly averages for the previous two months, which includes the December-January Omicron covid case wave. The previous two months had much larger new ad ranges, with week to week shifts as large as 3,300 new ads



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 Laborers & Material Movers.

Employers with the most new postings include Amazon, Hartford Healthcare, and Boston Market.

The three industries with the most new job postings where:

- **Health Care & Social Assistance** (1,530 new postings, -47% over the week)
- **Retail Trade** (826 new postings, +3% over the week)
- **Finance & Insurance** (771 new postings, +7% over the week)

NAICS	Industry	Ads Week Ending: 1/29/22	1 week ago: 1/22/22	4 weeks ago: 1/1/22	1 week change		4 week change	
					%	#	%	#
0	Total	7,315	7,950	6,727	-8%	-635	8.7%	588
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	4	4	4	0%	0	0%	0
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	12	5	6	140%	7	100%	6
22	Utilities	61	49	33	24%	12	85%	28
23	Construction	87	93	99	-6%	-6	-12%	-12
31	Manufacturing	536	486	738	10%	50	-27%	-202
42	Wholesale Trade	35	38	83	-8%	-3	-58%	-48
44	Retail Trade	826	800	1,036	3%	26	-20%	-210
48	Transportation and Warehousing	270	227	139	19%	43	94%	131
51	Information	96	153	143	-37%	-57	-33%	-47
52	Finance and Insurance	771	719	517	7%	52	49%	254
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	96	103	72	-7%	-7	33%	24
54	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	459	344	402	33%	115	14%	57
55	Management	4	4	4	0%	0	0%	0
56	Administrative and Support	173	196	165	-12%	-23	5%	8
61	Educational Services	243	226	176	8%	17	38%	67
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,530	2,885	1,315	-47%	-1,355	16%	215
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	43	30	36	43%	13	19%	7
72	Accommodation and Food Services	466	298	255	56%	168	83%	211
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	116	74	88	57%	42	32%	28
92	Public Administration	95	57	81	67%	38	17%	14
99	Unspecified	1,392	1,159	1,335	20%	233	4%	57

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

13 sectors had job posting increases over the week, two were unchanged, and 6 had decreases. The 13 increasing sectors grew by a combined 816 new ads and the 6 decreasing sectors fell by a combined 1,451 new ads. Most of that combined 6 sector decline occurred in Health Care & Social Assistance, which was down 1,355 new ads. The comparatively high Healthcare & Social Assistance levels during the week ending February 5th likely stem from a single employer deduplication issue within the HWOL database and not market shifts. Among increasing industries, the largest over the week gains occurred within Accommodation & Food Services (+168 new ads), Pro. Sci. & Tech. Services (+115 new ads), and Finance & Insurance (+52 new ads). Over Four weeks, the largest industry increase occurred within Finance & Insurance (+588 new ads) and the largest decrease occurred in Retail Trade (-210 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	1 week	4 weeks	1 week change		4 week change	
	2/12/22	2/5/22	1/15/22	%	#	%	#
Registered Nurses	478	1,359	437	-65%	-881	9%	41
Retail Salespersons	200	241	148	-17%	-41	35%	52
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	162	58	436	179%	104	-63%	-274
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	160	131	162	22%	29	-1%	-2
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	151	185	74	-18%	-34	104%	77
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	144	144	128	0%	0	13%	16
Medical and Health Services Managers	116	143	88	-19%	-27	32%	28
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	97	33	24	194%	64	304%	73
Customer Service Representatives	91	90	114	1%	1	-20%	-23
General and Operations Managers	82	69	74	19%	13	11%	8
Human Resources Specialists	72	39	57	85%	33	26%	15
Marketing Managers	67	65	79	3%	2	-15%	-12
Janitors and Cleaners	65	31	42	110%	34	55%	23
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	59	71	42	-17%	-12	40%	17
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	59	81	45	-27%	-22	31%	14
Food Service Managers	59	33	18	79%	26	228%	41
Light Truck Drivers	58	155	22	-63%	-97	164%	36
Management Analysts	53	47	65	13%	6	-18%	-12
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	52	61	64	-15%	-9	-19%	-12
Sales Managers	48	55	81	-13%	-7	-41%	-33
Driver/Sales Workers	47	100	32	-53%	-53	47%	15
Financial and Investment Analysts	42	28	27	50%	14	56%	15
Medical Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	41	46	34	-11%	-5	21%	7
Security Guards	39	56	50	-30%	-17	-22%	-11
Packers and Packagers, Hand	38	5	55	660%	33	-31%	-17

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

The occupations with the most new postings were:

- Registered Nurses (478 new postings, -65% over the week)
- Retail Salespersons (200 new postings, -17% over the week)
- Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers (162 new postings, +179% over the week)

Employers with the Most New Job Postings

Employer	Ads Week Ending: 2/12/22	1 Week Ago: 2/5/22	4 Weeks Ago: 1/15/22	1 Week # Change	4 Week # Change
Amazon	239	173	537	66	-298
Hartford Healthcare	198	536	178	-338	20
Boston Market	97	8	1	89	96
Yale-New Haven Health System	95	101	136	-6	-41
UnitedHealth Group	94	102	32	-8	62
Cigna Corporation	47	19	42	28	5
Genesis Healthcare Corporation	45	16	20	29	25
Raytheon	38	24	195	14	-157
Trinity Health	37	46	32	-9	5
Compass Group North America	37	13	15	24	22
Travelers	35	9	89	26	-54
The Home Depot Incorporated	34	24	5	10	29
Carvana Llc	34	67	8	-33	26
State of Connecticut	33	42	13	-9	20
Dollar Tree	33	9	8	24	25
Clean Harbors	32	43	8	-11	24
Accenture	31	11	29	20	2
Aya Healthcare	29	250	19	-221	10
General Dynamics	28	24	8	4	20
Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc	28	51	44	-23	-16
Pfizer	27	15	6	12	21
Connecticut Children's Medical Center	26	20	27	6	-1
Wheeler Clinic	26	21	18	5	8
Pep Boys	24	7	4	17	20
Yale University	23	23	9	0	14

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Employers with the most new job postings during the week were mostly in Health Care & Social Assistance, Retail Trade, and Finance & Insurance. The 25 employers shown above account for 18 percent of all new ads. Among the top 25 employers, 15 had over the week ad increases, one was unchanged, and 9 had decreases. The 15 increasing employers had a combined 374 new ads, and the 9 decreasing employers in the top 25 had a combined 658 new ads. The largest increasing employers over the week was Boston Market (+89 new ads), and the largest decreasing employer was Hartford Healthcare (-338 new ads). Over four weeks, 19 employers in the most recent top 25 had increases and 6 employers decreased, the largest increase occurred at Boston Market (+96 new ads) and the largest four-week decrease occurred at Amazon (-298 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/HWOL2021.pdf>