

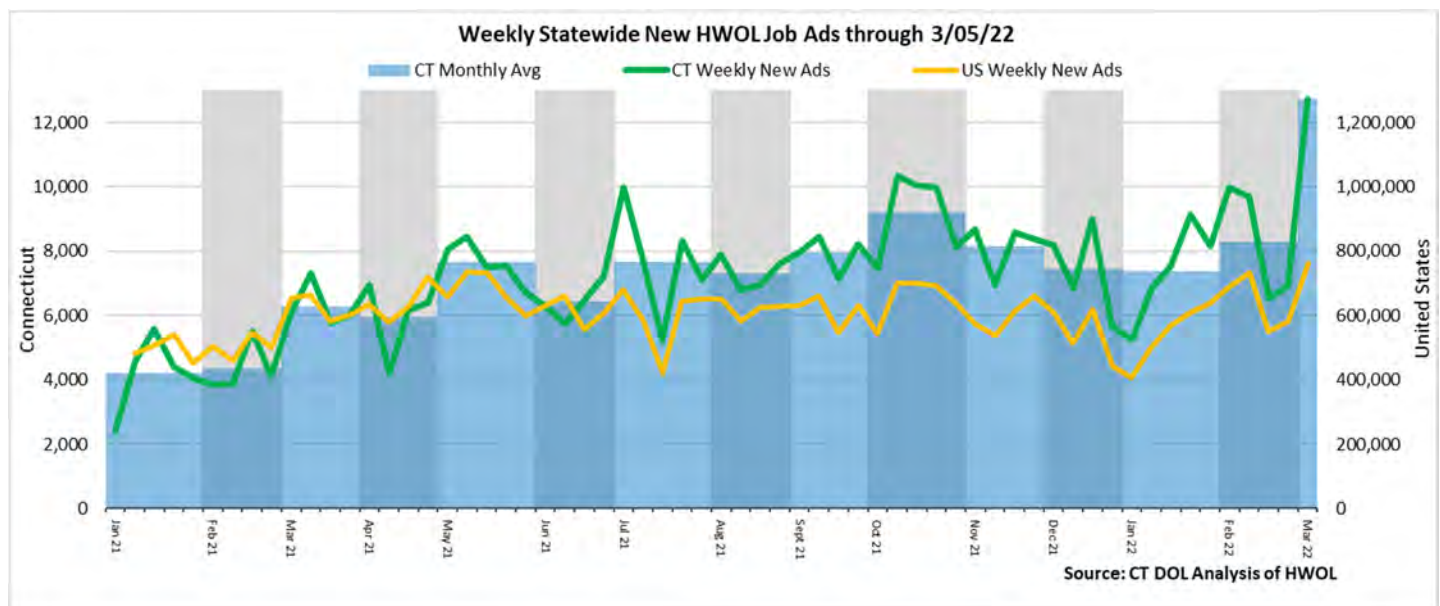


NEW WEEKLY JOB POSTINGS FROM HELP WANTED ONLINE

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Week Ending March 5th, 2022: Health Care Drives Total New Ads To Pandemic High

WETHERSFIELD, March 5th, 2022 – During the week ending March 5th, 2022, there were 12,709 new postings, up 5,787 new ads from the week ending February 26th. 47 percent of this increase occurred in Healthcare & Social Assistance (+2,742 new ads), with most of that increase occurring at Hartford Healthcare (+1,878 new ads). Occupations with the largest increases were Registered Nurses (1,767 new ads), Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (443 new ads), Driver/Sales Workers (361 new ads), and Retail Salespersons (317 new ads). This one-week blip is the fourth time during the last 12 months where total new ads approached or exceeded 10,000. In early July they reached 9,970 and fell to 5,220 by mid-month. In October they persisted near 10,000 for most of the month and in February new ads fell from similar levels to below 7,000 during the second half of the month. The overall gains in Connecticut, up 84% over the week far outpace the U.S. level increase of 31%.



Industries with the most new postings include Health Care & Social Assistance, Finance & Insurance, and Pro., Sci. & Tech. Services.

Occupations with the most new postings include Registered Nurses, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers, and Driver/Sales Workers.

Employers with the most new postings include Hartford Healthcare, Capital One, and Aya Healthcare.

The three industries with the most new job postings where:

- **Health Care & Social Assistance** (3,969 new postings, +223% over the week)
- **Finance & Insurance** (1,023 new postings, +45% over the week)
- **Professional, Scientific, & Technical Services** (630 new postings, +78% over the week)

NAICS	Industry	Ads Week	1 week	4 weeks	1 week change		4 week change	
		Ending: 3/5/22	ago: 2/26/22	ago: 2/5/22	%	#	%	#
0	Total	12,709	6,922	7,950	84%	5,787	59.9%	4,759
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	14	10	4	40%	4	250%	10
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	7	8	5	-13%	-1	40%	2
22	Utilities	173	31	49	458%	142	253%	124
23	Construction	130	106	93	23%	24	40%	37
31	Manufacturing	772	634	486	22%	138	59%	286
42	Wholesale Trade	105	39	38	169%	66	176%	67
44	Retail Trade	841	638	800	32%	203	5%	41
48	Transportation and Warehousing	251	266	227	-6%	-15	11%	24
51	Information	199	102	153	95%	97	30%	46
52	Finance and Insurance	1,023	705	719	45%	318	42%	304
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	183	103	103	78%	80	78%	80
54	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	630	353	344	78%	277	83%	286
55	Management	8	7	4	14%	1	100%	4
56	Administrative and Support	275	161	196	71%	114	40%	79
61	Educational Services	412	227	226	81%	185	82%	186
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	3,969	1,227	2,885	223%	2,742	38%	1,084
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	100	65	30	54%	35	233%	70
72	Accommodation and Food Services	626	541	298	16%	85	110%	328
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	155	229	74	-32%	-74	109%	81
92	Public Administration	144	91	57	58%	53	153%	87
99	Unspecified	2,692	1,379	1,159	95%	1,313	132%	1,533

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

18 sectors had job posting increases over the week and 3 had decreases. The 18 increasing sectors all saw double-digit percent increases, ranging from +14% in Management to +458% in Utilities. The 84% total increase was heavily influenced by Health Care & Social Assistance, which comprised about 47% of that increase (2,742 out of 5,787 new ads). There is some possibility that this Health Care & Social Assistance level is overstated, but beyond that sector, the 20 others grew by over 3,000 from a week ago. Over four weeks, every sector had new ad increases, ranging from a high of +1,084 in Health Care & Social Assistance, to single digit changes in Management and Mining/Extraction.

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	
	3/5/22	2/26/22	2/5/22	%	#	%	#
Registered Nurses	1,767	321	1,359	450%	1,446	30%	408
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	433	140	185	209%	293	134%	248
Driver/Sales Workers	361	33	100	994%	328	261%	261
Retail Salespersons	317	197	241	61%	120	32%	76
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	259	38	81	582%	221	220%	178
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manuf.	224	133	131	68%	91	71%	93
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	180	154	144	17%	26	25%	36
Physical Therapists	177	15	20	1,080%	162	785%	157
Customer Service Representatives	171	133	90	29%	38	90%	81
Surgical Technologists	148	7	15	2,014%	141	887%	133
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	147	48	61	206%	99	141%	86
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists	139	4	21	3,375%	135	562%	118
Marriage and Family Therapists	138	14	31	886%	124	345%	107
Medical and Health Services Managers	135	95	143	42%	40	-6%	-8
Food Service Managers	119	43	33	177%	76	261%	86
General and Operations Managers	116	96	69	21%	20	68%	47
Sales Managers	116	56	55	107%	60	111%	61
Marketing Managers	113	77	65	47%	36	74%	48
Respiratory Therapists	106	3	16	3,433%	103	563%	90
Healthcare Social Workers	93	27	34	244%	66	174%	59
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	84	68	58	24%	16	45%	26
Security Guards	81	84	56	-4%	-3	45%	25
Nurse Practitioners	70	27	73	159%	43	-4%	-3
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	69	81	71	-15%	-12	-3%	-2
Waiters and Waitresses	68	70	27	-3%	-2	152%	41

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

The occupations with the most new postings were:

- Registered Nurses (1,767 new postings, +450% over the week)
- Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers (433 new postings, +209% over the week)
- Driver/Sales Workers (361 new postings, +994% over the week)

Employers with the Most New Job Postings

Employer	Ads Week Ending: 3/5/22	1 Week Ago: 2/26/22	4 Weeks Ago: 2/5/22	1 Week # Change	4 Week # Change
Hartford Healthcare	1,996	118	536	1,878	1,460
Capital One	192	87	1	105	191
Aya Healthcare	156	6	250	150	-94
Raytheon	133	55	24	78	109
Asml Holding N V	106	0	0	106	106
EverSource	91	6	21	85	70
Yale-New Haven Health System	90	113	101	-23	-11
Array	70	16	0	54	70
PricewaterhouseCoopers	68	0	18	68	50
UnitedHealth Group	65	73	102	-8	-37
Lowe's Companies, Inc	64	18	7	46	57
Travelers	61	38	9	23	52
Yale University	59	56	23	3	36
Avangrid	56	18	6	38	50
Medtronic	55	3	7	52	48
Gaines Express Inc	54	0	0	54	54
State of Connecticut	52	46	42	6	10
CVS Health	52	48	36	4	16
Humana	50	36	226	14	-176
Transforce	50	0	0	50	50
Anthem Blue Cross	49	27	43	22	6
Allied Universal	45	45	27	0	18
KPMG	44	31	21	13	23
Totalmed Incorporated	43	16	96	27	-53
Cigna Corporation	40	23	19	17	21

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Employers with the most new job postings during the week were mostly in Finance & Insurance, Health Care & Social Assistance, and Business Services. The 25 employers shown above account for 29 percent of all new ads. Among the top 25 employers, 22 had over the week ad increases, one was unchanged, and 2 had decreases. Two-thirds of the top 25 increase occurred at Hartford Healthcare, which increased by almost 1,900 new ads over the week. Some of this increase may be overstated, but the large count of Hartford Healthcare job ads was also found during a review of non-HWOL data sources. More than half of the top 25 employers grew by more than double prior week levels. The two decreasing employers fell by less than 25 new ads over the week. Over four weeks, 20 employers in the current top 25 had increases and five decreased, the largest of each being Hartford Healthcare (+1,460 new ads) and Humana (-176 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>