

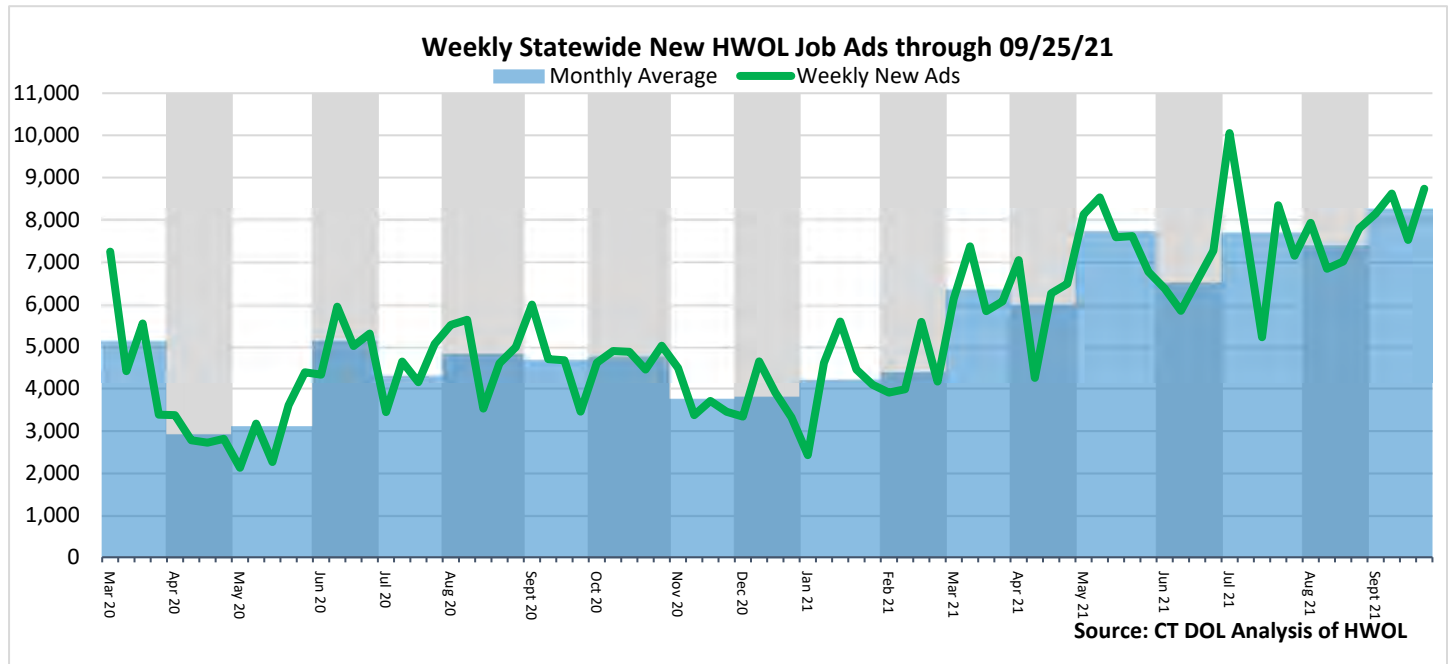


# NEW WEEKLY JOB POSTINGS FROM HELP WANTED ONLINE

Office of Research

## Week Ending September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021 – Weekly New Ads in September Among Highest on Record

WETHERSFIELD, October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 – During the week ending September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021, there were 8,734 new postings, up 1,213 new ads or +16% from a week ago. The new ad increase over the week was driven by Retail Trade (+768 new ads) and Health Care & Social Assistance (+631 new ads) and tempered by declines in 10 sectors including Educational Services (-116 new ads) and Accommodation & Food Services (-82 new ads). Employers with the largest increases were Amazon (+417 new ads) and Hartford Healthcare (+381 new ads). Employers with the largest over the week declines include Yale University (-43 new ads) and Deloitte (-42 new ads). Weekly new ads ending in September are on track to be the highest monthly average on record.



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

**Occupations** with the most new postings include Registered Nurses, Laborers & Freight & Material Movers, and Retail Salespersons.

**Employers** with the most new postings include Amazon, Hartford Healthcare, and Petco.

## The three industries with the most new job postings where

- **Retail Trade** (1,841 new postings, +72% over the week)
- **Health Care & Social Assistance** (1,827 new postings, +53% over the week)
- **Finance & Insurance** (618 new postings, +4% over the week)

NAICS	Industry	Ads Week Ending: 9/25/21	1 week ago: 9/18/21	4 weeks ago: 8/28/21	1 week change		4 week change	
					%	#	%	#
<b>0</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>8,734</b>	<b>7,521</b>	<b>7,763</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>1,213</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>971</b>
11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	19	13	5	46%	6	280%	14
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction	14	10	8	40%	4	75%	6
22	Utilities	44	43	40	2%	1	10%	4
23	Construction	82	69	65	19%	13	26%	17
31	Manufacturing	524	540	617	-3%	-16	-15%	-93
42	Wholesale Trade	75	50	57	50%	25	32%	18
44	Retail Trade	1,841	1,073	994	72%	768	85%	847
48	Transportation and Warehousing	236	163	313	45%	73	-25%	-77
51	Information	234	211	167	11%	23	40%	67
52	Finance and Insurance	618	594	634	4%	24	-3%	-16
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	121	139	118	-13%	-18	3%	3
54	Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	532	573	584	-7%	-41	-9%	-52
55	Management	9	13	3	-31%	-4	200%	6
56	Administrative and Support	222	202	215	10%	20	3%	7
61	Educational Services	213	329	412	-35%	-116	-48%	-199
62	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,827	1,196	1,462	53%	631	25%	365
71	Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	50	57	51	-12%	-7	-2%	-1
72	Accommodation and Food Services	380	462	484	-18%	-82	-21%	-104
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)	85	117	111	-27%	-32	-23%	-26
92	Public Administration	122	124	72	-2%	-2	69%	50
99	Unspecified	1,486	1,543	1,351	-4%	-57	10%	135

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Eleven sectors had job posting increases over the week and ten had decreases. The increasing industries grew by a combined 1,588 new ads while the ten decreasing industries accounted for a combined 375 job ad decrease. Among increasing industries, 1,399 of the combined gains occurred in Retail Trade (+768 new ads) and Health Care & Social Assistance (+631 new ads). The largest decline over the week occurred in Educational Services, down 116 new ads. Over four weeks, total new ads were up 971 new ads or +13%. The largest industry increases over four weeks include Retail Trade (+847 new ads or +85%) and Health Care & Social Assistance (+365 new ads +25%). The largest four week decline occurred in Educational Services (-199 new ads or -48%) and Accommodation & Food Services (-104 new ads or -21%).

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: 9/25/21	1 week ago: 9/18/21	4 weeks ago: 8/28/21	1 week change		4 week change	
				%	#	%	#
Registered Nurses	648	311	360	108%	337	80%	288
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	379	178	166	113%	201	128%	213
Retail Salespersons	294	212	239	39%	82	23%	55
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	190	160	148	19%	30	28%	42
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	185	143	237	29%	42	-22%	-52
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing	168	146	148	15%	22	14%	20
Customer Service Representatives	165	119	128	39%	46	29%	37
Medical and Health Services Managers	119	108	89	10%	11	34%	30
Marketing Managers	118	56	68	111%	62	74%	50
Janitors and Cleaners	103	69	65	49%	34	58%	38
General and Operations Managers	93	84	85	11%	9	9%	8
Interpreters and Translators	90	7	5	1186%	83	1,700%	85
Human Resources Specialists	79	92	69	-14%	-13	14%	10
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	76	83	102	-8%	-7	-25%	-26
Cashiers	75	139	57	-46%	-64	32%	18
Physical Therapists	69	13	16	431%	56	331%	53
Security Guards	64	85	62	-25%	-21	3%	2
Management Analysts	63	68	61	-7%	-5	3%	2
Sales Managers	61	55	53	11%	6	15%	8
Medical Assistants	60	61	60	-2%	-1	0%	0
Operations Research Analysts	60	25	36	140%	35	67%	24
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	56	47	52	19%	9	8%	4
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	51	63	63	-19%	-12	-19%	-12
Driver/Sales Workers	49	139	107	-65%	-90	-54%	-58
Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	49	42	40	17%	7	23%	9

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

### The occupations with the most new postings were:

- Registered Nurses (648 new postings, +108% over the week)
- Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers (379 new postings, +113% over the week)
- Retail Salespersons (294 new postings, +39% over the week)

## Employers with the Most New Job Postings

Employer	Ads Week Ending: 9/25/21	1 Week Ago: 9/18/21	4 Weeks Ago: 8/28/21	1 Week # Change	4 Week # Change
Amazon	780	363	259	417	521
Hartford Healthcare	430	49	62	381	368
Petco	99	29	21	70	78
Target	91	5	4	86	87
Yale-New Haven Health System	82	89	65	-7	17
UnitedHealth Group	82	70	62	12	20
Walmart / Sam's	79	13	14	66	65
Raytheon	73	100	162	-27	-89
Advantage Sales & Marketing	73	50	111	23	-38
Connecticut Children's Medical Center	65	19	30	46	35
Anthem Blue Cross	64	58	81	6	-17
Whole Foods Market, Inc.	59	20	79	39	-20
Compass Group North America	49	10	13	39	36
Cigna Corporation	49	59	55	-10	-6
Deloitte	46	88	107	-42	-61
CVS Health	45	49	14	-4	31
Humana	43	24	26	19	17
Burlington	37	5	3	32	34
ECHN	33	40	52	-7	-19
Gap Inc.	29	11	2	18	27
Advance Auto Parts Incorporated	28	11	16	17	12
Actalent	25	19	6	6	19
Lumen	25	4	8	21	17
The Hartford Financial Group	24	18	24	6	0
Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc	24	41	35	-17	-11

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Employers with the most new job postings during the week were mostly in Retail Trade, Health Care, and Finance & Insurance. The 25 employers shown above account for 28 percent of all new ads. Retail Trade accounted for 10 employers and about half the job ads in the top 25. Of the top 25 employers, 18 had over the week increases and 7 had decreases. The largest employer increases over the week occurred at Amazon (+417 new ads) and Hartford Healthcare (+381 new ads). The 7 employers with over the week declines fell by 42 new ads or less, the largest being Deloitte.

### 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/pubs/HWOL2020.pdf>