

Help Wanted Online

A real-time measure of job postings

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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 50,000 Internet job boards, corporate boards and smaller job sites that serve niche markets and smaller geographic areas.

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Statewide Weekly HWOL New Job Ads

**Information on weekly new job ads by Employer, Industry,
and Occupation can be found at:**

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

This Information is updated every Tuesday.

Statewide Monthly Highlights

- **Total postings** in Connecticut was 69,388 in December 2024, down from a November 2024 posting count of 74,139.

-**Industry sectors** with the most job postings were **Health Care and Social Assistance** (14,958 postings), **Retail Trade** (7,272 postings), **Manufacturing** (5,189 postings), and **Professional, Scientific, & Technical Occupations** (4,612 postings).

-**Occupations** with the most postings were **Registered Nurses** (4,315 postings), **Retail Salespersons** (2,647 postings), **Home Health & Personal Care Aides** (1,776 postings), and **Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers** (1,402 postings).

Top Qualifications in Connecticut Job Ads

Qualification	Ads
Valid Driver's License	8,062
Registered Nurse (RN)	5,299
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Cert.	2,720
Basic Life Support (BLS) Cert.	2,365
First Aid Cert.	1,341
Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)	1,298
Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)	1,154
Nurse Practitioner (APRN-CNP)	860
Board Certified/Board Eligible	726
Master Of Business Administration (MBA)	705
Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS) Cert.	699
Advanced Practice Registered Nurse	660
Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)	566
Security Clearance	538
Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)	494
Commercial Driver's License (CDL)	480
Licensed Professional Counselor (LPC)	436
Basic Cardiac Life Support	413
Registered Pharmacist (RPh)	411
Licensed Marriage And Family Therapist (LMFT)	404
Certified Pharmacy Technician	400
Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) Cert.	353
Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)	352
American Red Cross (ARC) Cert.	340
ServSafe Cert.	315

Qualification	Ads
Certified Public Accountant	311
Project Management Professional Cert.	307
Teaching Certificate	292
CDL Class A License	272
Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Cert.	259
Physician Assistant - Certified (PA-C)	256
Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA)	256
Certified Patient Care Technician (CPCT)	256
Medical License	230
Licensed Master Social Worker	215
Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) License	214
Bachelor Of Science in Nursing (BSN)	212
Professional Engineer (PE) License	207
Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)	205
Certified Medical Assistant (CMA)	191
American Registry Of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) Certified	181
Certified Information Systems Security Professional	179
ANCC Certified	171
Neonatal Resuscitation Program Cert. (NRP)	162
Registered Behavior Technician (RBT)	147
Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN)	146
Secret Clearance	140
American Association Of Nurse Practitioners (AANP) Certified	139
Phlebotomy Cert.	137
CDL Class B License	136

Top Skills in Connecticut Job Ads

Job Ads by Skill Category Type - December 2024

Skill Categories	Ads	Specialized Skills	Ads	Software Skills	Ads
Communication	27,624	Nursing	5,615	Microsoft Excel	5,647
Customer Service	18,465	Merchandising	4,428	Microsoft Office	5,545
Management	16,740	Project Management	4,272	Microsoft Outlook	3,054
Sales	12,612	Marketing	4,193	Microsoft PowerPoint	2,930
Leadership	12,387	Auditing	3,847	Microsoft Word	1,879
Operations	11,909	Selling Techniques	3,038	SQL (Programming Language)	1,328
Detail Oriented	9,078	Workflow Management	2,808	Python (Programming Language)	1,136
Problem Solving	8,820	Finance	2,775	SAP Applications	915
Writing	7,599	Accounting	2,619	Salesforce	908
Interpersonal Communications	7,100	Housekeeping	2,378	Amazon Web Services	814
Planning	7,038	Inventory Management	2,321	Epic EMR	725
Organizational Skills	5,700	Continuous Improvement Process	2,270	Spreadsheets	685
Microsoft Excel	5,647	Medical Records	2,175	Microsoft Azure	664
Microsoft Office	5,545	Restaurant Operation	2,108	Dashboard	592
Lifting Ability	5,495	Billing	2,029	Application Programming Interface (API)	585
Coordinating	5,440	Data Analysis	2,026	Microsoft Access	523
English Language	5,097	Product Knowledge	2,006	Operating Systems	520
Computer Literacy	4,954	Effective Communication	1,998	Power BI	502
Scheduling	4,895	Customer Relationship Management	1,944	Tableau (Business Intelligence Software)	498
Multitasking	4,765	Process Improvement	1,904	Inventory Management System	489

Connecticut Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	69,388
Health Care and Social Assistance	14,958
Retail Trade	7,272
Manufacturing	5,189
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	4,612
Finance and Insurance	4,080
Educational Services	3,021
Accommodation and Food Services	2,926
Administrative and Support	2,162
Wholesale Trade	2,072
Transportation and Warehousing	1,591
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	1,591
Information	1,543
Construction	1,409
Public Administration	1,163
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	1,049
Utilities	502
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	448
Management	168
Agriculture	120
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	67
Unspecified	13,445

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Connecticut Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Hartford HealthCare	2,599	Domino's Pizza	203
Yale New Haven Health	920	Optum	201
Nuvance Health	909	Boehringer Ingelheim Int.	173
CVS Health	884	Stamford Health Ltd	172
Echn	553	Middlesex Health System	171
State Of Connecticut	494	Elara Caring	166
Travelers	413	Dattco	161
Yale University	403	Whole Foods	157
Walgreens Boots Alliance	368	Walmart	151
Cigna	358	Optum	203
Raytheon Technologies	337	TJX	197
Starbucks	304	Elevance Health	196
Trinity Health	302	Johnson & Johnson	193
UnitedHealth Group	298	Lowe's	189
Eversource Energy	283	Dunkin' Brands	176
Compass Group	274	General Dynamics	168
University of Connecticut	246	LHC Group	168
Benchmark Senior Living	226	National Health Care Associates	167
Accenture	225	Prime Therapeutics	155
Masonicare	223	Dattco	153
Apple	219	Wheeler Clinic	153
The Hartford	212	Middlesex Health System	141
Dunkin' Brands	210	CBRE	140
Advance Stores	207	Cardinal Health	137

Connecticut Occupations with the Most Job Ads

<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Registered Nurses	4,315	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	557
Retail Salespersons	2,647	Financial Managers	555
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	1,776	Security Guards	547
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	1,402	Waiters & Waitresses	546
Customer Service Representatives	1,154	Accountants & Auditors	499
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,111	Medical Secretaries & Admin. Assistants	472
General & Operations Managers	976	Marketing Managers	469
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Reps.	975	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	455
Medical & Health Services Managers	970	Cashiers	442
Software Developers	928	Management Analysts	434
Computer Occupations, All Other	917	Marriage & Family Therapists	415
Fast Food & Counter Workers	863	Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	407
Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	703	Project Management Specialists	403
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	682	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	399
Nurse Practitioners	679	Computer User Support Specialists	397
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	663	Industrial Engineers	388
Financial Managers	611	Merchandise Displayers & Window Trimmers	375
Nursing Assistants	606	Coaches & Scouts	363
Medical Assistants	606	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	362
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	606	Driver/Sales Workers	360
Sales Reps. of Services	588	Pharmacy Technicians	354
Food Service Managers	573	Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	354
Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	565	Middle School Teachers	349
Sales Managers	564	Production Workers, All Other	340
Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	557	Light Truck Drivers	334

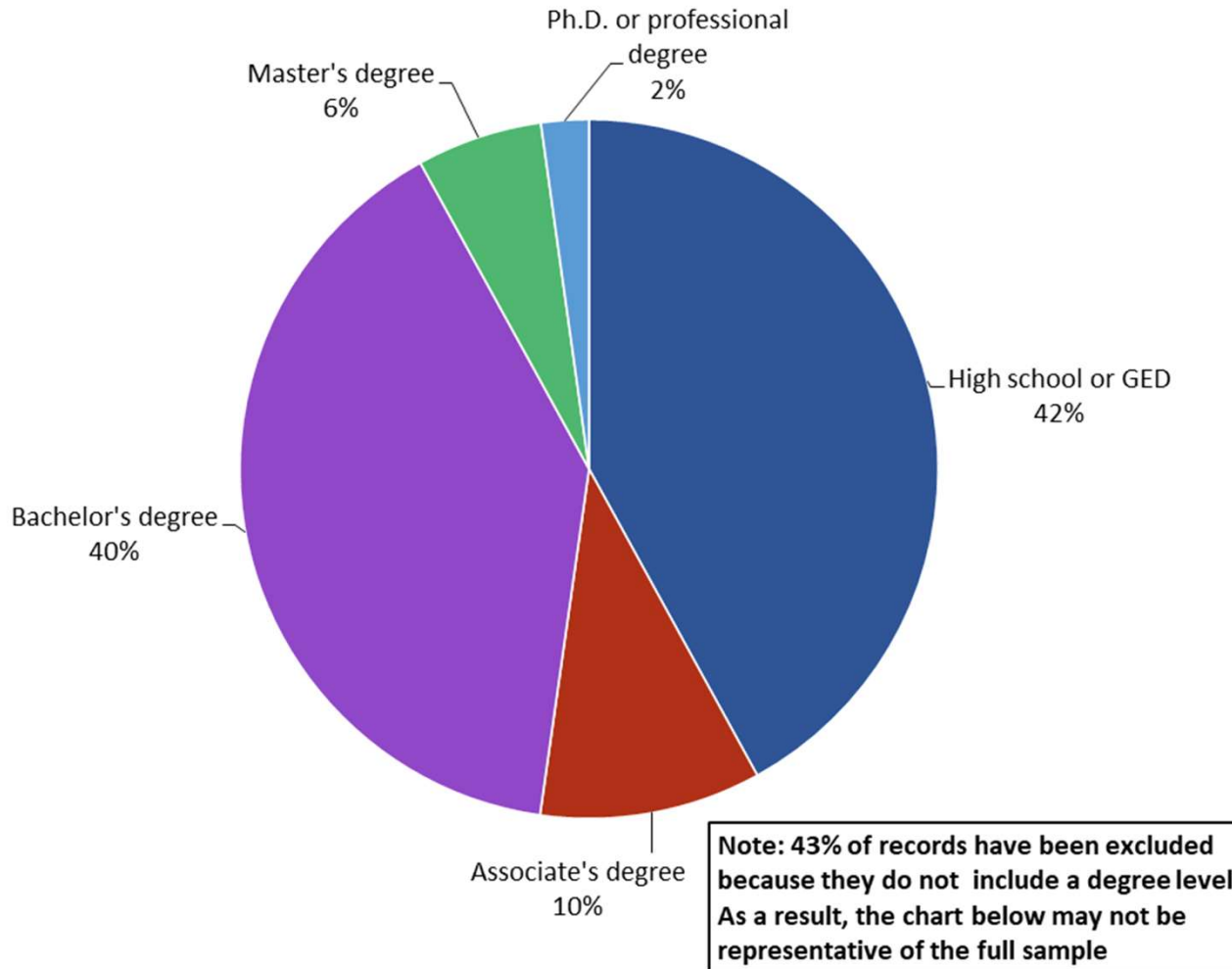
Top Occupations in Industries With The Most Ads

Top Three Occupations in Industries With The Most Ads - December 2024

All Industries - CT Statewide	69,388
Registered Nurses	4,315
Retail Salespersons	2,647
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	1,776
Health Care and Social Assistance	14,958
Registered Nurses	3,137
Home Health and Personal Care Aides	989
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	516
Retail Trade	7,272
Retail Salespersons	1,645
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	784
Pharmacy Technicians	348
Manufacturing	5,189
Production Workers	166
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Representatives	136
Industrial Engineers	127
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	4,612
Computer Occupations	263
Software Developers	235
Financial Managers	128

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Connecticut Job Ads by Educational Requirements



Workforce Area Data

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Workforce Area Highlights

Workforce Area	December 2024 Total Ads	Industry Sector With Most Ads	Ads	Occupation With Most Ads	Ads
Eastern	5,812	Health Care and Social Assistance	1,402	Registered Nurses	350
North Central	24,885	Health Care and Social Assistance	4,657	Registered Nurses	1,292
Northwest	9,400	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,778	Registered Nurses	721
South Central	11,965	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,960	Registered Nurses	941
Southwest	15,064	Health Care and Social Assistance	2,760	Registered Nurses	894

Source: CT DOL Research Office Analysis of HWOL Data Series

Eastern WDA Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	5,812
Health Care and Social Assistance	1,402
Retail Trade	662
Educational Services	452
Manufacturing	443
Administrative and Support	265
Accommodation and Food Services	248
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	232
Public Administration	192
Transportation and Warehousing	172
Finance and Insurance	143
Wholesale Trade	141
Other Services (except Public Admin.	104
Construction	100
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	53
Information	40
Utilities	36
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	33
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	21
Agriculture	8
Management	2
Unspecified	1,063

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Eastern Workforce Job Ads by Location

<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>	<u>Location (continued)</u>	<u>Postings</u>
Norwich, CT	843	Brooklyn, CT	69
Groton, CT	699	Thompson, CT	51
New London, CT	684	North Stonington, CT	49
Windham, CT	407	Pomfret, CT	41
Mansfield, CT	387	Woodstock, CT	40
Montville, CT	357	Ashford, CT	37
Waterford, CT	346	Columbia, CT	37
Putnam, CT	287	Eastford, CT	37
Killingly, CT	268	Lebanon, CT	33
Plainfield, CT	173	Sterling, CT	30
Colchester, CT	167	Bozrah, CT	29
Ledyard, CT	151	Canterbury, CT	24
East Lyme, CT	149	Hampton, CT	21
Stonington, CT	100	Preston, CT	18
Coventry, CT	94	Salem, CT	8
Old Lyme, CT	87	Chaplin, CT	6
Willington, CT	71	Scotland, CT	6
Brooklyn, CT	69	Voluntown, CT	6
Thompson, CT	51		

Eastern Workforce Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Hartford HealthCare	407	Staples	22
Mohegan Sun	142	Connecticut College	21
University of Connecticut	126	Lowe's	21
Yale New Haven Health	112	Walmart	21
Day Kimball Hospital	87	Dattco	20
General Dynamics	84	Mitchell College	19
Pfizer	79	Hhm Hotels	18
New London Public Schools	75	LHC Group	18
Lyft	55	UnitedHealth Group	18
CVS Health	47	AutoZone	17
Walgreens Boots Alliance	47	Eastern Connecticut State University	17
Echn	45	Abi Resources	16
Advance Stores	44	Optum	15
State Of Connecticut	41	Big Y Foods	14
Domino's Pizza	38	United States Navy	14
Amazon	36	CW Resource Services Corp.	13
Montville Public Schools	29	Community Health Resources	13
Morgan Truck Body	29	Frito Lay	13
Thames Valley Council For Comm. Action	28	Marriott International	13
Compass Group	26	ALDI	12
Groton	26	BJ's Wholesale Club	12
Windham Public Schools	26	Charter Oak Federal Credit Union	12
Amentum	25	Girl Scouts Of Connecticut	12

Eastern WDA Occupations with the Most Job Ads

<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Registered Nurses	350	Merchandise Displayers & Window Trimmers	46
Retail Salespersons	256	Financial Managers	45
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	225	Security Guards	45
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	157	Waiters & Waitresses	44
Nurse Practitioners	112	Accountants & Auditors	44
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	103	Medical Secretaries & Admin. Assistants	41
Fast Food & Counter Workers	92	Marketing Managers	39
Customer Service Representatives	82	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	39
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	74	Cashiers	38
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	68	Management Analysts	37
General & Operations Managers	66	Marriage & Family Therapists	37
Physical Therapists	66	Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	37
Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	64	Project Management Specialists	36
Janitors & Cleaners	63	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	36
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	62	Computer User Support Specialists	34
Medical & Health Services Managers	60	Industrial Engineers	34
Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	59	Merchandise Displayers & Window Trimmers	34
Pharmacy Technicians	58	Coaches & Scouts	33
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	57	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	33
Food Service Managers	51	Driver/Sales Workers	31
Sales Reps. of Services	50	Pharmacy Technicians	30
Community & Social Service Specialists, All Other	49	Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	28
Waiters & Waitresses	48	Middle School Teachers	28
Nursing Assistants	47	Production Workers, All Other	26
Substance Abuse & Mental Health Counselors	46	Light Truck Drivers	25

North Central WDA Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	24,885
Health Care and Social Assistance	4,657
Retail Trade	2,356
Finance and Insurance	2,275
Manufacturing	2,136
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	2,045
Accommodation and Food Services	928
Information	802
Educational Services	762
Administrative and Support	749
Wholesale Trade	717
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	583
Transportation and Warehousing	537
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	511
Construction	469
Public Administration	407
Utilities	243
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	135
Agriculture	36
Management	33
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	19
Unspecified	4,485

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

North Central WDA Job Ads by Location

<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>	<u>Location (continued)</u>	<u>Postings</u>
Hartford, CT	9,043	Simsbury, CT	369
West Hartford, CT	1,186	Plainville, CT	357
Farmington, CT	1,182	Wethersfield, CT	327
New Britain, CT	1,119	Stafford, CT	193
Manchester, CT	1,105	East Windsor, CT	187
East Hartford, CT	997	Canton, CT	177
Bloomfield, CT	988	East Granby, CT	152
Bristol, CT	831	Granby, CT	127
Rocky Hill, CT	749	Suffield, CT	116
Windsor, CT	744	Ellington, CT	107
Southington, CT	663	Tolland, CT	106
Enfield, CT	630	Hebron, CT	81
Newington, CT	624	Marlborough, CT	66
Glastonbury, CT	615	Plymouth, CT	62
South Windsor, CT	542	Somers, CT	53
Windsor Locks, CT	468	Burlington, CT	33
Berlin, CT	437	Bolton, CT	24
Avon, CT	409	Andover, CT	16
Simsbury, CT	369		

North Central WDA Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Hartford HealthCare	936	Hartford Public Schools	75
CVS Health	506	Starbucks	74
Travelers	413	Webster Bank	64
Echn	371	Walgreens Boots Alliance	63
Cigna	356	PricewaterhouseCoopers	62
Raytheon Technologies	285	Ford	60
State Of Connecticut	244	Hospital For Special Care	59
Accenture	228	Baskin Robbins	58
Trinity Health	218	Wheeler Clinic	58
The Hartford	209	CBRE	56
Eversource Energy	198	Domino's Pizza	56
UnitedHealth Group	182	Capitol Region Education Council	55
Connecticut Children's Medical Cente	122	Penske Automotive Group	51
Lumen Technologies	120	Ryder	50
Dunkin' Brands	118	New Britain General Hospital	49
Cardinal Health	113	Disney	48
Prime Therapeutics	109	National Health Care Associates	48
Arinc International	104	Advance Stores	47
Optum	98	Anytime Fitness	47
YMCA	96	Confluent	47
University of Connecticut	94	Elara Caring	47
GovCIO	87	BJ's Wholesale Club	46
Dattco	79	Element2 Group	45
Humana	79	Infosys	44

North Central WDA Occupations with the Most Job Ads

Occupation	Ads	Occupation	Ads
Registered Nurses	1,292	Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	189
Retail Salespersons	766	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	189
Software Developers	686	Technical & Scientific Products Sales Reps.	184
Computer Occupations, All Other	524	Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	182
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	471	Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	178
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	414	Medical Assistants	173
Customer Service Representatives	404	Marketing Managers	161
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Reps.	390	Janitors & Cleaners	159
Medical & Health Services Managers	360	Child, Family, & School Social Workers	145
General & Operations Managers	359	Production Workers, All Other	144
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	351	Market Research Analysts & Marketing Specialists	143
Fast Food & Counter Workers	296	Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	143
Project Management Specialists	279	Medical Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	143
Data Scientists	265	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	139
Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	251	Physical Therapists	138
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	235	Human Resources Specialists	134
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	235	Transportation, Storage, & Distribution Managers	133
Management Analysts	234	Driver/Sales Workers	133
Sales Reps. of Services	227	Computer User Support Specialists	132
Sales Managers	225	Civil Engineers	131
Financial Managers	225	Security Guards	130
Nurse Practitioners	218	Managers, All Other	129
Food Service Managers	217	Supervisors of Production & Operating Workers	128
Nursing Assistants	193	Pharmacy Technicians	124
Accountants & Auditors	190	Database Architects	123

Northwest WDA Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	9,400
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,778
Retail Trade	1,121
Manufacturing	590
Wholesale Trade	456
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	397
Educational Services	397
Accommodation and Food Services	393
Finance and Insurance	252
Public Administration	226
Administrative and Support	210
Transportation and Warehousing	198
Construction	181
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	150
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	131
Information	91
Utilities	59
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	37
Agriculture	24
Management	16
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	1
Unspecified	1,692

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Northwest WDA Job Ads by Location

<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>
Danbury, CT	2,326	New Fairfield, CT	74
Waterbury, CT	1,530	Wolcott, CT	72
Torrington, CT	826	Kent, CT	67
Ridgefield, CT	600	New Hartford, CT	64
Cheshire, CT	512	Prospect, CT	63
New Milford, CT	403	Salisbury, CT	62
Southbury, CT	382	Woodbury, CT	52
Newtown, CT	339	Bethlehem, CT	39
Brookfield, CT	308	Barkhamsted, CT	20
Naugatuck, CT	252	Cornwall, CT	20
Watertown, CT	250	Harwinton, CT	18
Bethel, CT	244	Morris, CT	18
Middlebury, CT	136	Norfolk, CT	10
Sharon, CT	133	Bridgewater, CT	8
Canaan, CT	130	Sherman, CT	8
Washington, CT	128	Colebrook, CT	7
Litchfield, CT	123	Goshen, CT	5
Thomaston, CT	88	Roxbury, CT	5
Redding, CT	77	Winchester Center, CT	1

Northwest WDA Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Nuvance Health	646	Target	32
Hartford HealthCare	397	Advance Stores	31
Boehringer Ingelheim International	172	Eversource Energy	31
Waterbury Hospital	116	BD	30
CVS Health	100	LHC Group	26
Trinity Health	76	RBC Bearings Incorporated	25
National Health Care Associates	72	Belimo Americas (canada)	24
Walgreens Boots Alliance	64	Bozzuto's	24
Waterbury Public Schools	60	CT Institute For Communities, Inc. (Cifc)	24
Compass Group	58	UnitedHealth Group	24
State Of Connecticut	57	Ability & Beyond	23
Starbucks	54	All-Star Transportation	23
H&R Block	53	Sutton Dental Group	23
Benchmark Senior Living	51	Watermark Retirement Communities	23
Baskin Robbins	42	Walmart	22
Leonardo DRS	40	Bartlett	21
Dunkin' Brands	39	Big Y Foods	21
AutoZone	38	Schaeffler Gruppe	21
Domino's Pizza	37	Arka Group	20
City Of Waterbury	36	Cadence Education	20
Devereux	35	TJX	20
Apple	34	New Milford School District	19
BJ's Wholesale Club	32	O&G Industries	19
Macy's	32	Optum	19

Northwest WDA Occupations with the Most Job Ads

<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Registered Nurses	721	Production Workers, All Other	70
Retail Salespersons	429	Secondary School Teachers	69
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	340	Waiters & Waitresses	66
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	212	Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	65
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	159	Food Service Managers	62
Customer Service Representatives	152	Stockers & Order Fillers	61
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	150	Technical & Scientific Products Sales Reps.	60
General & Operations Managers	139	Counselors, All Other	59
Nursing Assistants	139	Cooks, Restaurant	57
Medical Assistants	138	Cashiers	57
Fast Food & Counter Workers	134	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	57
Medical & Health Services Managers	129	Child, Family, & School Social Workers	54
Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	110	Physicians, All Other	54
Nurse Practitioners	106	Community & Social Service Specialists, All Other	53
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Reps.	99	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	53
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	99	Merchandise Displayers & Window Trimmers	52
Janitors & Cleaners	98	Sales Managers	51
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	98	Financial Managers	51
Physical Therapists	95	Receptionists & Information Clerks	51
Substance Abuse & Mental Health Counselors	86	Managers, All Other	49
Pharmacy Technicians	84	Sales Reps. of Services	49
Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	82	Medical Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	49
Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	80	Transportation, Storage, & Distribution Managers	46
Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	73	Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	45
Security Guards	70	Tax Preparers	44

South Central WDA Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	11,965
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,960
Retail Trade	1,230
Educational Services	740
Manufacturing	693
Accommodation and Food Services	551
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	515
Finance and Insurance	493
Administrative and Support	357
Wholesale Trade	333
Transportation and Warehousing	310
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	294
Construction	250
Public Administration	196
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	173
Information	170
Utilities	89
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	87
Management	23
Agriculture	21
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	7
Unspecified	2,473

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

South Central WDA Job Ads by Location

<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>
New Haven, CT	3,346	Madison, CT	161
Middletown, CT	1,178	Woodbridge, CT	86
Milford, CT	1,023	Portland, CT	83
Wallingford, CT	931	Westbrook, CT	76
Meriden, CT	765	Essex, CT	74
Hamden, CT	626	Durham, CT	63
North Haven, CT	624	East Hampton, CT	62
Orange, CT	490	Chester, CT	60
West Haven, CT	479	Haddam, CT	53
Branford, CT	388	East Haddam, CT	51
Cromwell, CT	304	North Branford, CT	48
Guilford, CT	272	Deep River, CT	39
Old Saybrook, CT	223	Middlefield, CT	39
Clinton, CT	193	Bethany, CT	36
East Haven, CT	164	Killingworth, CT	28

South Central WDA Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Yale New Haven Health	514	Optum	27
Yale University	383	University of New Haven	27
Hartford HealthCare	203	Pieper Veterinary Hospital	26
Middlesex Health System	177	Ulta Beauty	26
Elevance Health	126	Big Y Foods	25
Masonicare	115	Midstate Medical Center	25
CVS Health	84	Domino's Pizza	24
Walgreens Boots Alliance	84	Sodexo	24
State Of Connecticut	83	Assa Abloy	23
Marrakech	82	Avangrid	23
Benchmark Senior Living	56	TJX	23
Quinnipiac University	56	American Cruise Lines	22
Dattco	43	Abercrombie & Fitch	21
Compass Group	37	Advance Stores	21
Starbucks	36	Verizon Communications	21
Elara Caring	34	Ametek	20
Wells Fargo	34	Apple	20
UnitedHealth Group	32	Liberty Bank	20
Adelbrook	31	Medtronic	20
U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs	31	Albertus Magnus College	19
Hobby Lobby Stores	30	Chipotle	19
Restaurant Depot	28	Columbus House	19
Wesleyan University	28	Advanced Behavioral Health	18
Fair Haven Community Health Care	27	Bowlero Corporation	18

South Central WDA Occupations with the Most Job Ads

<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Registered Nurses	941	Substance Abuse & Mental Health Counselors	86
Retail Salespersons	484	Waiters & Waitresses	86
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	397	Computer Occupations, All Other	83
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	267	Nursing Assistants	79
Customer Service Representatives	183	Receptionists & Information Clerks	78
Medical & Health Services Managers	180	Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	77
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	173	Sales Reps. of Services	75
General & Operations Managers	161	Financial Managers	74
Fast Food & Counter Workers	161	Sales Managers	72
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Reps.	159	Managers, All Other	72
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	134	Cashiers	72
Pharmacy Technicians	119	Accountants & Auditors	70
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	119	Nurse Practitioners	68
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	119	Physical Therapists	66
Laborers & Freight, Stock, & Material Movers	119	Driver/Sales Workers	65
Project Management Specialists	108	Security Guards	63
Technical & Scientific Products Sales Reps.	107	Bookkeeping, Accounting, & Auditing Clerks	62
Automotive Service Technicians & Mechanics	103	Shipping, Receiving, & Inventory Clerks	61
Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	102	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	58
Medical Assistants	101	Production Workers, All Other	57
Child, Family, & School Social Workers	99	Human Resources Specialists	56
Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	98	Pharmacists	56
Food Service Managers	93	Medical Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	55
Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	93	Community & Social Service Specialists, All Other	53
Janitors & Cleaners	91	Civil Engineers	52

Southwest WDA Job Ads by Industry December 2024

Industry	Job Ads
Total	15,064
Health Care and Social Assistance	2,760
Retail Trade	1,611
Pro., Sci., and Tech. Services	1,303
Manufacturing	1,047
Finance and Insurance	823
Accommodation and Food Services	671
Educational Services	602
Administrative and Support	499
Other Services (except Public Admin.)	410
Information	371
Construction	366
Wholesale Trade	344
Transportation and Warehousing	301
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	156
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	148
Public Administration	118
Management	89
Utilities	60
Agriculture	31
Mining, Quarrying, and Extraction	5
Unspecified	3,349

Source: CT DOL Analysis of HWOL

Southwest WDA Job Ads by Location

<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Postings</u>
Stamford, CT	3,628	Derby, CT	347
Bridgeport, CT	2,081	Darien, CT	276
Norwalk, CT	2,036	New Canaan, CT	223
Greenwich, CT	1,325	Monroe, CT	202
Fairfield, CT	1,194	Seymour, CT	186
Shelton, CT	770	Oxford, CT	130
Stratford, CT	723	Ansonia, CT	105
Trumbull, CT	689	Weston, CT	33
Westport, CT	603	Beacon Falls, CT	30
Wilton, CT	467	Easton, CT	16

Southwest WDA Employers with the Most Job Ads

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Ads</u>	<u>Employer (continued)</u>	<u>Ads</u>
Hartford HealthCare	608	Elara Caring	53
Yale New Haven Health	284	Hobby Lobby Stores	53
Nuvance Health	263	Abercrombie & Fitch	50
Stamford Health Ltd	176	Griffin Hospital	48
Ernst & Young	139	H&R Block	47
Lockheed Martin	138	NBC	46
CVS Health	129	Bank of America	44
Apple	127	State Of Connecticut	44
ASML	120	Webster Bank	44
Sacred Heart University	90	Coopersurgical	43
Starbucks	90	The Home Depot	43
Compass Group	87	Deloitte	41
Griffin Health	85	National Health Care Associates	39
PricewaterhouseCoopers	84	Arrow Search Partners	37
Whole Foods	84	Penske Automotive Group	35
Spectrum	82	Sutton Dental Group	35
Planetree	81	Ulta Beauty	34
M&T Bank	74	AutoZone	33
Fairfield University	73	Gartner	33
Norwalk Public Schools	72	Michaels	33
Qreer B.v.	72	Philips	33
Benchmark Senior Living	65	Albertsons	30
Synchrony	64	Hubbell	30
Stratford Public Schools	55	Stamford Public Schools	30
Walgreens Boots Alliance	54	Advance Stores	29

Southwest WDA Occupations with the Most Job Ads

Occupation	Ads	Occupation	Ads
Registered Nurses	894	Receptionists & Information Clerks	120
Retail Salespersons	593	Coaches & Scouts	118
Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	344	Nursing Assistants	117
Customer Service Representatives	291	Secondary School Teachers	116
Home Health & Personal Care Aides	273	Security Guards	114
Wholesale & Manuf. Sales Reps.	237	Janitors & Cleaners	113
General & Operations Managers	222	Project Management Specialists	112
Heavy & Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	222	Marketing Managers	111
Financial Managers	220	Data Scientists	111
Medical & Health Services Managers	218	Financial & Investment Analysts	105
Computer Occupations, All Other	201	Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	103
Supervisors of Office & Admin. Support Workers	177	Market Research Analysts & Marketing Specialists	98
Fast Food & Counter Workers	158	Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	96
Accountants & Auditors	151	Pharmacy Technicians	95
Nurse Practitioners	148	Waiters & Waitresses	95
Medical Assistants	141	Dining Room & Cafeteria Attendants	93
Sales Reps. of Services	141	Tax Preparers	85
Software Developers	140	Cashiers	80
Technical & Scientific Products Sales Reps.	138	Substance Abuse & Mental Health Counselors	79
Food Service Managers	136	Physical Therapists	79
Sales Managers	131	Human Resources Specialists	77
Secretaries & Administrative Assistants	131	Counselors, All Other	76
Supervisors of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	128	Industrial Engineers	75
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	123	Childcare Workers	75
Health Technologists & Technicians, All Other	120	Bookkeeping, Accounting, & Auditing Clerks	74

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