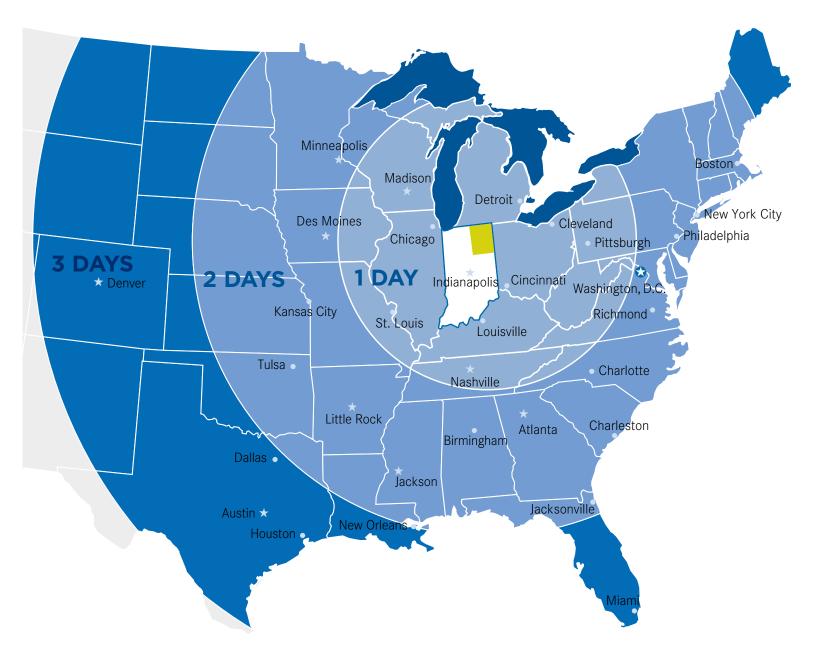
NORTHEAST INDIANA WAGE AND BENEFITS SURVEY FOUR COUNTY WEST REGION

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INTRODUCTION

his survey of human resource and payroll incorporates data from two primary sources. The Northeast Indiana Regional Partnership contributed wage data covering hundreds of job titles and employers in this 11-county region of northeastern Indiana.

Employers in the region responded to an online survey of benefits practices and policies covering topics including time off, health insurance coverage and a wide range of financial incentives.

The reports are organized into four categories specific to type of business:

• Goods producing and logistics;

• Professional, financial and information services;

•Construction; and

•Leisure, hospitality, retail and restaurants.

Wages are reported for the 25th and 75th percentiles as well as the median for each job title. This report also includes the number of people working in each position.

Benefit reports express typical as well as average practices since averages may be skewed by numbers that are significantly higher or lower than what is most common.

While the benefits sections accurately reflects data given by participants, they do not claim to be a statistically accurate study of all benefits practices in the 11 county region. It may be useful to also consider other state, national and industry sources. This report also includes workplace sections that assess employee skills and employer needs; the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and vaccine availability on employment; and staffing and salary outlooks for 2023 and 2024.

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EMPLOYER Classifications

This report is divided into these four industry classifications:

Goods Producing and Logistics: Includes manufacturing; transportation and warehousing; and wholesale trade.

Professional, Finance and Information Services: Includes finance and insurance; information; media; real estate development, sales rental and leasing; professional and business services; scientific and technical services; management, administration and support; waste management and remediation.

Construction: Includes construction utilities, logging, and mining.

Leisure, Hospitality, Retail, and Restaurants: Includes retail trade; arts, entertainment and recreation accommodation; and food services.

WAGES Section

Wages and employment data are provided by Lightcast, which uses a broad set of sources, including reports from the Bureau of Labor Statistics and its Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages. Industry data have various sources depending on the class of worker.

QCEW Employees: The Bureau of Labor Statistics' (BLS) Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) dataset is the most reliable source for job counts data in the United States. This quarterly near-census of workers is a byproduct of unemployment insurance reporting, which businesses are required to file monthly. QCEW covers 95% of the positions held by employees in the U.S.

See About the Wage Data on Page 137.

Number of Workers: The number of employees in a position within each included industry classification the region.

Wage Ranges: We report median wages rates as well as those at the 25th percentile and the 75th percentile. Wages are industry specific but not sorted by region.

BENEFITS Section

Benefits data were assembled from a voluntary online survey of employers in the region. Participants were asked to report their benefits packages for full-time workers. Benefits are reported for the four participant classifications described above.

BENEFITS Section Definitions

Average: This represents the average (statistical mean) benefit, practice or contribution among all companies or organizations reporting in each participant classification.

Typical: The most common (statistical mode) benefit, practice or contribution among all companies or organizations reporting in each participant classification.

WORKPLACE Section

Information in this section is from the same online survey that generated the Benefits reports. Participating employers were asked about salary, staffing, recruiting and incentives in the current economic and employment environment.

Missing Data

Information used in this survey is self-reported by the participating organizations and is only as accurate and complete as provided by them. Not all participants provided data for all sections so totals may be inconsistent across the survey.

The use of N/A in a report field indicates that a particular benefit isn't offered or that too few respondents supplied information. If data is missing from one section, similar information may be found in one of the other sections of the report.

Survey Preparation

The benefits survey is conducted online and the report prepared by Two Things LLC. For more information, contact twothingsllc@gmail.com.

Goods Producing and Logistics



NORTHEAST INDIANA 2023 FOUR COUNTY WEST REGION WAGES AND BENEFITS SURVEY



Goods Producing and Logistics

Includes manufacturing, transportation and warehousing and wholesale trade

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WAGES



Goods Producing and Logistics

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
MANAGEMENT OCCUPATIONS					
Chief Executives		0.1%	\$33.44	\$69.02	\$112.49
General and Operations Managers	533	1.8%	\$28.21	\$39.12	\$61.14
Marketing Managers		0.1%	\$36.32	\$46.78	\$73.00
Sales Managers	83	0.3%	\$36.59	\$47.28	\$68.51
Administrative Services Managers	24	0.1%	\$28.20	\$37.36	\$49.96
Facilities Managers	14	0.0%	\$28.60	\$36.30	\$47.08
Computer and Information Systems Managers		0.1%	\$38.55	\$50.68	\$64.69
Financial Managers	66	0.2%	\$30.58	\$46.40	\$62.87
Industrial Production Managers		1.0%	\$36.20	\$45.99	\$57.66
Purchasing Managers	25	0.1%	\$32.26	\$45.13	\$50.78
Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers		0.1%	\$35.02	\$45.86	\$57.62
Human Resources Managers	25	0.1%	\$37.19	\$47.59	\$58.81
Training and Development Managers	9	0.0%	\$39.13	\$44.50	\$58.20
Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	s 858	2.9%	\$7.54	\$15.40	\$29.06
Architectural and Engineering Managers	137	0.5%	\$47.79	\$61.35	\$78.98
Medical and Health Services Managers	5	0.0%	\$30.06	\$37.76	\$48.41
Natural Sciences Managers.	11	0.0%	\$23.38	\$30.06	\$47.87
Property, Real Estate, and					
Community Association Managers	4	0.0%	\$19.95	\$26.09	\$30.04
Managers, All Other.		0.3%	\$15.51	\$24.75	\$38.07

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OCCUPATIONS

Buyers and Purchasing Agents	168	0.6%	. \$22.04\$24.27\$31.86
Compliance Officers		0.1%	. \$22.57\$29.13\$37.08
Cost Estimators		0.2%	. \$21.43\$27.97\$35.56
Human Resources Specialists	118	0.4%	. \$18.72\$23.65\$30.42
Labor Relations Specialists	4	0.0%	. \$22.26\$28.26\$36.20
Logisticians		0.1%	. \$26.02\$31.74\$39.70
Project Management Specialists		0.2%	. \$24.14\$31.55\$44.87
Management Analysts	23	0.1%	. \$26.12\$34.46\$45.85
Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	4	0.0%	. \$13.80\$15.65\$23.32
Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists		0.0%	. \$21.96\$28.95\$38.86
Training and Development Specialists		0.1%	. \$19.67\$24.60\$34.94
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists		0.3%	. \$18.95\$23.69\$31.08
Business Operations Specialists, All Other		0.1%	. \$22.33\$29.22\$36.63
Accountants and Auditors	168	0.6%	. \$23.18\$29.93\$39.01
Financial and Investment Analysts	15	0.1%	. \$29.57\$38.20\$48.77

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Four County Region	Number	Percentage	25th Percentile		75th Percentile
	of Workers	of Workforce	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage
COMPUTER AND MATHEMATICAL O	CCUPATIO) N S			
Computer Systems Analysts		0.1%.	\$29.40	\$38.13	8 \$48.67
Computer Network Support Specialists	11	0.0% .	\$22.74	\$28.84	í \$37.72
Computer User Support Specialists	53	0.2% .	\$17.79	\$22.55	5 \$28.51
Computer Network Architects	8	0.0% .	\$30.04	\$38.38	8 \$48.39
Database Administrators	5	0.0% .	\$26.63	\$33.84	á \$44.07
Network and Computer Systems Administrators .		0.1% .	\$28.16	\$35.64	á \$46.54
Computer Programmers		0.0% .	\$26.67	\$36.03	8 \$46.92
Software Developers		0.3%.	\$31.78	\$40.54	í \$51.16
Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers .	13	0.0% .	\$28.96	\$36.75	5 \$46.38
Web Developers	5	0.0% .	\$18.43	\$23.89) \$32.80
Web and Digital Interface Designers	4	0.0% .	\$23.78	\$29.09	0 \$40.18
Computer Occupations, All Other	5	0.0% .	\$20.34	\$28.31	\$38.82
Operations Research Analysts	6	0.0% .	\$36.36	\$43.61	\$52.79
Data Scientists	3	0.0% .	\$22.79	\$27.68	3 \$37.16

ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING JOBS

Bioengineers and Biomedical Engineers	6	0.0%	\$27.20	\$33.16\$46.53
Chemical Engineers				
Computer Hardware Engineers	13	0.0%	\$37.03	\$49.25\$62.56
Electrical Engineers	75	0.3%	\$32.39	\$41.72\$52.34
Electronics Engineers, Except Computer		0.1%	\$37.00	\$41.48\$59.38
Health and Safety Engineers,				
Except Mining Safety Engineers and Inspectors	4	0.0%	\$33.55	\$38.38\$54.04
Industrial Engineers				
Marine Engineers and Naval Architects	3	0.0%	\$30.67	\$36.80\$42.60
Materials Engineers	18	0.1%	\$24.52	\$34.43\$46.43
Mechanical Engineers	177	0.6%	\$29.98	\$37.17\$45.91
Engineers, All Other	60	0.2%	\$28.82	\$37.98\$48.45
Architectural and Civil Drafters				
Mechanical Drafters				
Drafters, All Other	15	0.1%	\$18.13	\$23.41\$29.43
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists				
and Technicians	50	0.2%	\$22.80	\$26.85\$34.67
Electro-Mechanical and Mechatronics Technologists				
and Technicians	8	0.0%	\$22.66	\$26.08\$30.02
Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians	140	0.5%	\$22.64	\$24.25\$30.62
Mechanical Engineering Technologists and Technicians.	48	0.2%	\$22.40	\$25.75\$29.40
Calibration Technologists and Technicians	22	0.1%	\$22.43	\$28.97\$30.47
Engineering Technologists and Technicians,				
Except Drafters, All Other	19	0.1%	\$20.17	\$26.94\$37.76

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
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LIFE, PHYSICAL, AND SOCIAL SCIEN	CE OCCU	JPATIONS			
Food Scientists and Technologists	5	0.0%	\$21.28	\$26.93	\$37.35
Biochemists and Biophysicists	3	0.0%	\$33.61	\$40.93	\$49.01
Microbiologists	8	0.0%	\$24.14	\$26.66	\$32.89
Biological Scientists, All Other					
Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists					
Life Scientists, All Other	5	0.0%	\$25.85	\$31.72	\$45.93
Chemists	23	0.1%	\$29.25	\$35.87	\$46.04
Materials Scientists	3	0.0%	\$43.42	\$52.84	\$69.47
Physical Scientists, All Other	4	0.0%	\$26.63	\$35.38	\$45.56
Agricultural Technicians	12	0.0%	\$13.68	\$14.36	\$19.84
Food Science Technicians	5	0.0%	\$15.62	\$19.32	\$28.09
Chemical Technicians	36	0.1%	\$19.30	\$22.39	\$24.75
Life, Physical, and Social Science Technicians, All Oth	er 9	0.0%	\$24.53	\$30.78	\$36.57
Occupational Health and Safety Specialists		0.1%	\$22.51	\$29.46	\$38.80
Occupational Health and Safety Technicians	19	0.1%	\$23.09	\$28.54	\$37.80

LEGAL OCCUPATIONS

Lawyers	. 6	0.0%	\$29.88.	\$37.44	\$50.14
			· \$27.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· ψ)0.11

ARTS. DESIGN, ENTERTAINMENT, SPORTS, AND MEDIA OCCUPATIONS

Commercial and Industrial Designers	12	0.0%	. \$24.60\$31.11\$38.34
Graphic Designers	60	0.2%	. \$17.06\$19.33\$23.28
Interior Designers	4	0.0%	. \$20.65\$23.07\$25.34
Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers	13	0.0%	. \$14.56\$15.41\$19.66
Designers, All Other	5	0.0%	. \$18.94\$28.88\$33.57
Public Relations Specialists	6	0.0%	. \$18.12 \$23.13 \$29.63
Technical Writers	13	0.0%	. \$22.80\$31.28\$39.57

HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS AND TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS

Registered Nurses	3	0.0%	. \$26.56	. \$28.70	. \$34.59
Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians		0.0%	. \$15.20	. \$20.47	. \$27.33
Orthotists and Prosthetists	. 21	0.1%	. \$16.58	. \$23.97	. \$38.68

HEALTHCARE AND SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS

Medical Assistants	. 18	. 0.1%	. \$14.37	. \$17.08	. \$18.28
Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	4	. 0.0%	. \$10.77	. \$12.67	. \$13.62
Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	3	. 0.0%	. \$14.00	. \$17.78	. \$18.89

Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		ercentile v Wage
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16	0.1%	\$12.37	\$14.87\$	\$19.04
RELATED	OCCUPAT	I 0 N S		
	· · · · 0.0% · · · ·	· · · · \$9.37 · · · · · · · \$8.58 · · ·	\$11.12\$ \$9.49\$	\$13.68 \$13.26
AND MA	INTENANC	E OCCUPA	TIONS	
3		\$9.90	\$11.66\$	\$13.37
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	0.0% 0.0% 0.2% 0.2%	\$19.25 \$8.72 \$13.50 \$10.82 \$18.66 \$24.79	\$32.23\$ \$10.76\$ \$14.43\$ \$12.79\$ \$29.56\$ \$37.97\$	\$46.37 \$11.39 \$18.11 \$14.37 \$44.94 \$60.11 \$40.58
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Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percent Hourly Wage
OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUP	PORT OCC	UPATIONS			
First-Line Supervisors of Office					
and Administrative Support Workers	142	0.5%	\$18.67	\$24.02 .	\$30.32
Bill and Account Collectors	9	0.0%	\$14.06	\$16.66 .	\$18.43
Billing and Posting Clerks		0.2%	\$14.29	\$17.46.	\$21.12
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks		0.8%	\$14.67	\$18.02.	\$22.37
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks		0.1%	\$16.74	\$19.01 .	\$22.90
Procurement Clerks	4	0.0%	\$16.84	\$19.76.	\$22.03
Customer Service Representatives		1.0%	\$14.09	\$17.82.	\$22.22
File Clerks	9	0.0%	\$13.45	\$17.56.	\$21.02
Order Clerks		0.1%	\$13.55	\$14.36.	\$18.61
Human Resources Assistants, Except Payroll					
and Timekeeping		0.0%	\$16.13	\$18.71.	\$21.50
Receptionists and Information Clerks					
Reservation and Transportation Ticket Agents					,
nd Travel Clerks		0.0%		\$10.51	\$12.27
Information and Record Clerks, All Other					
Cargo and Freight Agents.					
Couriers and Messengers					
Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance					
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks					
Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks					
Weighers, Measurers, Checkers,	•••••		··· φ14.40		···· ψ21./)
and Samplers, Recordkeeping	16	0.1%	\$16.87	¢10 11	\$22.04
Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative					· · · · \$22.00
Assistants	12	0.004	¢10.00	¢77 42	¢ 2 0 0 -
Medical Secretaries and Administrative Assistants .					
	8	0.0%		\$10.43.	\$20.41
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants,	100	0 (0)	¢12 (1	#1 / 0 /	417 7
Except Legal, Medical, and Executive					
Data Entry Keyers		0.1%	\$13./5	\$14.93.	\$18.25
Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators,	2	0.001	410 5 (d s s s s	
Except Postal Service					
Office Clerks, General					
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Ot	her 4	0.0%	\$14.29	\$17.25.	\$22.5

FARMING, FISHING, AND FORESTRY OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Farming, Fishing,				
and Forestry Workers	40	0.1%	\$13.96	\$20.34\$27.32
Agricultural Inspectors		0.0%	\$18.01	\$21.90 \$26.98
Graders and Sorters, Agricultural Products	16	0.1%	\$12.53	\$13.87\$16.26
Agricultural Equipment Operators	73	0.2%	\$11.62	\$14.43 \$19.68
Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenh	ouse452	1.5%	\$10.10	\$12.60 \$16.92

Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		
Farmworkers, Farm, Ranch, and Aquacultural Anim	als 219	0.7%	\$8.54	\$12.55	\$17.10
Agricultural Workers, All Other		0.3%	\$9.79	\$13.70	\$18.02
Fallers	11	0.0%	\$18.70	\$23.57	\$26.99
Logging Equipment Operators		0.1%	\$8.35	\$14.08	\$22.47
Log Graders and Scalers	4	0.0%	\$15.18	\$19.04	\$22.48

CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades				
and Extraction Workers	26	0.1%	\$20.91	\$27.65\$35.54
Carpenters	74	0.2%	\$15.73	\$21.57 \$28.72
Tile and Stone Setters	4	0.0%	\$11.51	\$16.32 \$23.14
Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	6	0.0%	\$18.07	\$22.78\$27.50
Construction Laborers	28	0.1%	\$13.39	\$16.92 \$22.15
Operating Engineers and Other				
Construction Equipment Operators	40	0.1%	\$18.08	\$23.33\$31.07
Electricians				
Painters, Construction and Maintenance	8	0.0%	\$12.59	\$15.81 \$21.41
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters				
Sheet Metal Workers	25	0.1%	\$15.72	\$20.07\$30.02
Structural Iron and Steel Workers				
Rail-Track Laying and Maintenance Equipment Operato	rs 7	0.0%	\$22.76	\$29.16 \$36.19
Excavating and Loading Machine and Dragline Operator	s,			
Surface Mining	6	0.0%	\$15.95	\$19.22 \$22.78
Underground Mining Machine Operators, All Other	3	0.0%	\$37.81	\$42.18\$42.79
Rock Splitters, Quarry	3	0.0%	\$14.70	\$18.45 \$21.37

INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics,				
Installers, and Repairers	110	0.4%	\$22.99	\$29.52 \$37.43
Electrical and Electronics Installers and				
Repairers, Transportation Equipment	3	0.0%	\$32.94	\$36.16 \$38.35
Electrical and Electronics Repairers, Commercial				
and Industrial Equipment	25	0.1%	\$24.67	\$28.69 \$37.26
Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	5	0.0%	\$26.56	\$30.66 \$34.11
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	6	0.0%	\$13.83	\$16.57 \$22.34
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists.	78	0.3%	\$18.46	\$22.23 \$23.92
Farm Equipment Mechanics and Service Technicians	3	0.0%	\$18.71	\$22.30 \$25.07
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	17	0.1%	\$19.15	\$23.73 \$28.83
Rail Car Repairers	14	0.0%	\$21.86	\$28.78 \$38.66
Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians	3	0.0%	\$15.24	\$18.17 \$23.08
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration				
Mechanics and Installers	7	0.0%	\$16.69	\$21.74 \$27.96
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	294	1.0%	\$20.20	\$24.23 \$29.71

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Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
Maintenance Workers, Machinery		0.2%	\$14.39	\$18.83 .	\$24.19
Millwrights	23	0.1%	\$23.72	\$29.31 .	\$32.00
Medical Equipment Repairers	9	0.0%	\$16.96	\$23.06.	\$29.24
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	499	1.7%	\$17.19	\$22.22 .	\$27.86
Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine Servicers					
and Repairers	7	0.0%	\$16.45	\$17.37.	\$19.15
Signal and Track Switch Repairers	3	0.0%	\$30.13	\$30.44 .	\$37.14
HelpersInstallation, Maintenance, and Repair Work	ers 3	0.0%	\$11.06	\$13.55.	\$16.95
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All C	0ther11	0.0%	\$14.05	\$16.81 .	\$18.75

PRODUCTION OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Production					
and Operating Workers	. 1,052	3.5%	\$23.11	\$29.19 \$36.76	6
Coil Winders, Tapers, and Finishers	61	0.2%	\$17.32	\$18.70 \$22.80	6
Electrical, Electronic, and Electromechanical Assembler	Ϋ́S,				
Except Coil Winders, Tapers, and Finishers		1.2%	\$14.55	\$17.82 \$18.79	9
Engine and Other Machine Assemblers	45	0.2%	\$17.73	\$20.43 \$23.38	8
Structural Metal Fabricators and Fitters		0.2%	\$16.86	\$20.01 \$21.62	2
Fiberglass Laminators and Fabricators		0.2%	\$17.48	\$21.63 \$22.11	1
Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	. 3,158	10.6%	\$14.61	\$18.16 \$23.20	6
Bakers	6	0.0%	\$10.24	\$12.83 \$14.30	0
Butchers and Meat Cutters	9	0.0%	\$11.52	\$13.16 \$16.73	3
Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers		0.2%	\$13.06	\$15.86 \$16.00	0
Slaughterers and Meat Packers	20	0.1%	\$12.50	\$12.86 \$16.53	3
Food and Tobacco Roasting, Baking, and Drying					
Machine Operators and Tenders	7	0.0%	\$12.89	\$17.08 \$21.59	9
Food Batchmakers	119	0.4%	\$14.54	\$18.02 \$21.23	3
Food Cooking Machine Operators and Tenders	11	0.0%	\$12.06	\$13.70 \$17.63	3
Food Processing Workers, All Other	10	0.0%	\$13.23	\$16.52 \$17.44	4
Extruding and Drawing Machine Setters, Operators, an	d Tenders,				
Metal and Plastic	196	0.7%	\$18.01	\$21.32 \$24.00	0
Forging Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders,					
Metal and Plastic	16	0.1%	\$19.02	\$24.10 \$31.5	1
Rolling Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders,					
Metal and Plastic	150	0.5%	\$18.23	\$20.34\$27.08	8
Cutting, Punching, and Press Machine Setters, Operato	ors, and Ten	ders,			
Metal and Plastic	764	2.6%	\$16.64	\$18.62 \$21.69	9
Drilling and Boring Machine Tool Setters, Operators, a	nd Tenders,				
Metal and Plastic	15	0.1%	\$15.73	\$20.29 \$21.57	7
Grinding, Lapping, Polishing, and Buffing Machine To	ol Setters,				
Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	426	1.4%	\$14.57	\$17.97 \$21.70	6
Lathe and Turning Machine Tool Setters, Operators, an	d Tenders,				
Metal and Plastic.	129	0.4%	\$17.83	\$21.63 \$22.94	4

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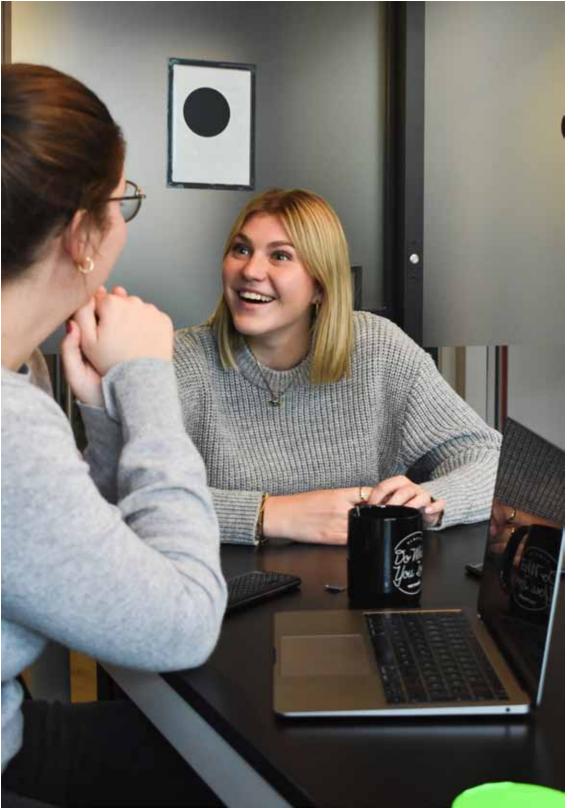
Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
Milling and Planing Machine Setters, Operators, and '	Tenders,				
Metal and Plastic.	41	0.1%	\$18.94	\$22.36	\$23.63
Machinists	1,264	4.2%	\$18.31	\$23.06	\$28.26
Metal-Refining Furnace Operators and Tenders	99	0.3%	\$18.57	\$21.35	\$26.29
Pourers and Casters, Metal	60	0.2%	\$15.98	\$19.51	\$24.34
Model Makers, Metal and Plastic	4	0.0%	\$20.87	\$26.90	\$36.72
Foundry Mold and Coremakers					
Molding, Coremaking, and Casting Machine Setters,	Operators, a	and			
Tenders, Metal and Plastic.		2.5%	\$16.69	\$18.49	\$23.10
Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tender			.	<i></i>	\$22.21
Metal and Plastic.					
Tool and Die Makers					
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers.		1.3%	\$17.03	\$18./1	\$22.20
Welding, Soldering, and Brazing Machine Setters,		0.40/			* • • • • •
Operators, and Tenders		0.1%	\$16.95	\$18.21	\$19.93
Heat Treating Equipment Setters, Operators, and Tend					
Metal and Plastic.	61	0.2%	\$14.29	\$18.72	\$22.19
Plating Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders,					
Metal and Plastic					
Tool Grinders, Filers, and Sharpeners					
Metal Workers and Plastic Workers, All Other					
Prepress Technicians and Workers	78	0.3%	\$10.80	\$11.84	\$17.08
Printing Press Operators	231	0.8%	\$13.77	\$17.01	\$21.61
Print Binding and Finishing Workers	121	0.4%	\$13.31	\$14.34	\$17.61
Sewing Machine Operators	259	0.9%	\$11.88	\$13.60	\$16.61
Shoe and Leather Workers and Repairers	6	0.0%	\$12.77	\$14.02	\$14.48
Sewers, Hand	10	0.0%	\$14.94	\$17.63	\$18.50
Textile Bleaching and Dyeing Machine Operators					
and Tenders	3	0.0%	\$12.27	\$12.95	\$15.87
Textile Cutting Machine Setters, Operators, and Tend	ers16	0.1%	\$12.91	\$16.18	\$16.67
Textile Knitting and Weaving Machine Setters, Opera	tors,				
and Tenders	7	0.0%	\$14.31	\$16.81	\$18.53
Extruding and Forming Machine Setters, Operators, a	nd Tenders,	,			
Synthetic and Glass Fibers			\$19.00	\$20.62	\$23.49
Fabric and Apparel Patternmakers					
Upholsterers					
Textile, Apparel, and Furnishings Workers, All Other					
Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters					
Furniture Finishers.					
Sawing Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Woo					
Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tendeds, Wo				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Except Sawing		0.4%	\$14.91	\$18.62	\$22.28

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
Woodworkers, All Other	19	0.1%	\$14.03	\$16.78	\$20.19
Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System C					
Chemical Plant and System Operators	-				
Petroleum Pump System Operators, Refinery Operator					
and Gaugers		0.0%	\$19.68	\$27.87	\$33.96
Plant and System Operators, All Other					
Chemical Equipment Operators and Tenders					
Separating, Filtering, Clarifying, Precipitating, and St		_		·	, -
Setters, Operators, and Tenders		0.2%	\$18.12	\$19.65	\$22.77
Crushing, Grinding, and Polishing Machine Setters,					
and Tenders	-	0.2%	\$14.50	\$18.48	\$22.59
Grinding and Polishing Workers, Hand					
Mixing and Blending Machine Setters, Operators,			,	,	,
and Tenders.	217	0.7%	\$14.61	\$18.11	\$22.13
Cutters and Trimmers, Hand					
Cutting and Slicing Machine Setters, Operators,					,
and Tenders	53	0.2%	\$14.69	\$18.62	\$22.36
Extruding, Forming, Pressing, and Compacting Macl					
Operators, and Tenders.		0.3%	\$14.48	\$18.59	\$23.28
Furnace, Kiln, Oven, Drier, and Kettle Operators					
and Tenders.		0.1%	\$15.58	\$20.53	\$22.15
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers.					
Dental Laboratory Technicians.					
Medical Appliance Technicians					
Ophthalmic Laboratory Technicians					
Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tender					
Painting, Coating, and Decorating Workers					
Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters,			,	,	
Operators, and Tenders	298	1.0%	\$14.47	\$17.84	\$22.29
Semiconductor Processing Technicians					
Photographic Process Workers and Processing Machi			,	,	
Operators		0.0%	\$15.11	\$17.80	\$19.66
Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Operators .					
Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Programmer					
Adhesive Bonding Machine Operators and Tenders.					
Cleaning, Washing, and Metal Pickling Equipment C					
and Tenders	-	0.1%	\$14.70	\$17.79	\$19.13
Cooling and Freezing Equipment Operators and Ten					
Etchers and Engravers					
Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Pla					
Paper Goods Machine Setters, Operators, and Tender					
Tire Builders					
HelpersProduction Workers.					
Production Workers, All Other					
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Tour County Acgron	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
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TRANSPORTATION AND MATERIAL	MOVING O	CCUPATIO) N S		
First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Materi	al Moving Wo	orkers,			
Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	125	0.4%	\$18.54	\$23.30	\$29.79
Driver/Sales Workers		0.1%	\$8.39	\$8.81	\$17.95
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	831	2.8%	\$18.15	\$22.83	\$27.44
Light Truck Drivers					
Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other					
Locomotive Engineers					
Railroad Brake, Signal, and Switch Operators					
and Locomotive Firers.	8	0.0%	\$38.99	\$39.18	\$39.28
Railroad Conductors and Yardmasters		0.1%	\$27.27	\$28.96	\$31.11
Sailors and Marine Oilers	3	0.0%	\$16.90	\$20.85	\$25.60
Captains, Mates, and Pilots of Water Vessels					
Motorboat Operators					
Passenger Attendants					
Conveyor Operators and Tenders					
Crane and Tower Operators					
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators					
Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment					
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, 1					
Machine Feeders and Offbearers					
Packers and Packagers, Hand					
Stockers and Order Fillers					
Tank Car, Truck, and Ship Loaders		0.0%	\$18.74	\$22.92	\$35.44





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PAID TIME OFF		

HOLIDAYS

Percentage of companies offering paid holidays	
Typical number of paid holidays offered annually	
Percentage of those companies offering these common holidays	
New Year's Eve	550% 550%
New Year's Day	
Martin Luther King Jr.	
Lincoln's Birthday	
President's Day	
Washington's Birthday	
Good Friday	
Memorial Day	
Independence Day	
Labor Day	
Columbus Day	
Election Day	
Floating Holiday	
Veterans' Day.	
Thanksgiving Day	
Day After Thanksgiving	
Christmas Eve	
Christmas Day	
Other	

COMBINED PAID TIME OFF

Percentage of companies that combine vacation, sick and personal days	2%
Average number of PTO days offered first year	.4
Typical number of PTO days offered first year	15
Average number of carryover days per year	18
How Paid Time Off is earned	
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	.1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days First Year First Year	ear
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	.1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	.1
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	.3
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	.5
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	.8
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	10
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered) 12	12
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered)15	15

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)		
VACATION		
Percentage of all companies that offer paid vacation	64%	64%
How soon after hire may employee take paid vacation?		
One to 30 days		
One to three months		29%
Three to six months		14%
Six months to one year		14%
After 1 year		7%
Number of days offered		
Average number of paid vacation days offered in first year:		6
Typical number of vacation days offered in first year:		5
How vacation time is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	1	0
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	First Year	First Year
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		1
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days		5
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days		5
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offer		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offere		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered) 20	

PERSONAL DAYS

Percentage of companies offering paid personal days Average number of personal days offered per year Typical number of personal days offered in first year:	
How soon after hire may employee take personal day?	
One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to one year	
After 1 year	

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

BEREAVEMENT LEAVE

Percentage of companies offering paid bereavement leave	90%	90%
Average number of bereavement days offered annually		3
Typical number of bereavement days offered annually		3

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	67%	
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to year		
After one year	0%	

COMPENSATION DURING JURY SERVICE

Percentage of companies that pay employees during jury service	. 73%	77%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages plus payment from court	. 31%	. 41%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages minus payment from court	. 69%	. 59%
Percentage where employee receives only payment from court	. 27%	. 23%

ILLNESS DAYS

Percentage of companies that offer paid illness days	5%	18%
Average number of paid illness days offered annually	4	5
Typical number of paid illness days offered per year		
Average maximum number of illness days that may be accumulated		
Typical number of paid illness days that may be accumulated	10	

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to one year	
After 1 year	

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Family Medical Leave	50% 50%	6
Average number of weeks paid		1
Typical number of weeks paid	0	0
Average number of weeks unpaid		5
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0	0

MATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Maternity Leave	67%	67%
Average number of weeks paid		
Typical number of weeks paid	0	0
Average number of weeks unpaid		
Typical number of weeks unpaid		0

PATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Paternity Leave		50%
Average number of weeks paid		
Typical number of weeks paid		
Average number of weeks unpaid	6	6
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0	0

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HEALTH RELATED BENEFITS

HEALTH INSURANCE OFFERED

Percentage of companies offering health insurance to employees		100%
Percentage of those offering health insurance to families and children	100%	100%
Percentage of companies reporting as self-insured	68%	
Percentage of companies reporting indemnity insurance	32%	
Percentage of companies that offer a single plan	36%	
Percentage of companies that offer multiple plans	64%	64%
Percentage of companies offering traditional plans	77%	77%
Percentage of companies offering high-deductible plans		77%
Percentage of companies considering dropping health plan in coming year	0%	

HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AND HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Percentage of companies offering only HSA or HRA plans.		14%
Percentage of companies offering optional HSA or HRA plan		
Percentage of companies with no HSA or HRA plan		
Average company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	\$991	\$991
For family plan		
Typical company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	\$500	\$500
For family plan		
Average annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense single	\$4,562	\$4,562
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
Typical annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense single	\$5,000	\$5,000
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
WELLNESS INCENTIVE		
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Percentage of companies that offer a wellness incentive	45%	
Average amount that may be earned	\$678	\$678
Typical amount that may be earned	\$500	\$500

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS	
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES	
Traditional Plans	
Percentage of self-insured companies offering traditional plans	
Percentage that offer family coverage 100%	
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	62%
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to year	
After one year	
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:	
Employee only coverage	\$1/18 16
Employee and spouse\$380.57	
Employee and child \$318.70	
Family	
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee	
Employee-only coverage \$583.16	\$580.64
Employee and spouse\$580.64	
Employee and child	
Family	
Deductibles	
Average annual deductible per person\$1,726.15	\$1 726 15
Typical annual deductible per person	
Average annual deductible per family. \$3,702.31	
Typical annual deductible per family	
Copays and Limits	
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	
Average copay for physician office visit\$28.85	\$28.85
Typical copay for physician office visit \$20.00	\$20.00
Average out of pocket limit	
Single coverage\$4,536.15	\$4,536.15
Family Coverage \$9,533.85	\$9,533.85
Typical out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	\$5,000.00
Family Coverage\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)			
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES			
High-Deductible Plan			
Percentage of self-insured companies offering high-deductible plans			
How soon after hire is employee eligible?			
One to 30 days			
One to three months			
Three to six months			
Six months to year			
After one year			
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:			
Employee only coverage \$101.74	\$103.82		
Employee and spouse\$315.08			
Employee and child	\$263.05		
Family	\$461.44		
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee			
Employee-only coverage	\$558.72		
Employee and spouse\$1,161.37	\$1,161.37		
Employee and child	\$1,040.06		
Family	\$1,611.60		
Deductibles			
Average annual deductible per person\$3,191.67	\$3,191.67		
Typical annual deductible per person			
Average annual deductible per family\$6,383.33			
Typical annual deductible per family			
Copays and Limits	900/		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance 80% Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance 80%			
Average copay for physician office visit. \$22.22			
Average copay for physician office visit \$22.22 Typical copay for physician office visit \$20.00			
Average out of pocket limit	φ20.00		
Single coverage\$3,891.67	\$3,891,67		
Single coverage \$3,891.07 Family Coverage \$7,750.00			
Typical out of pocket limit	····· ψ/ ,/ 90.00		
Single coverage			
Family Coverage			

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued) INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES **Traditional Plans** How soon after hire is employee eligible? Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage.......\$192.90\$192.90 Employee and child \$467.90 \$467.90 Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee Employee-only coverage.......\$424.87\$424.87 **Deductibles** Average annual deductible per person \$1,625.00 \$1,625.00 Typical annual deductible per person \$1,500.00 \$1,500.00 Average annual deductible per family...... \$3,500.00 \$3,500.00 Typical annual deductible per family \$3,000.00 \$3,000.00 **Copays and Limits** Average out of pocket limit Single coverage\$6,450.00 \$6,450.00 Typical out of pocket limit Single coverage\$5,000.00\$5,000.00

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INDEMNITY INSURED COMPANIES

High-Deductible Plan

Percentage of indemnity-insured companies offering high-deductible plans
Percentage that offer family coverage
One to 30 days
One to three months
Three to six months
Six months to year
After one year
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:
Employee only coverage\$107.14\$107.14
Employee and spouse\$342.75
Employee and child \$268.33 \$267.77
Family
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee
Employee-only coverage
Employee and spouse\$1,288.79 \$1,051.72
Employee and child
Family
Deductibles
Average annual deductible per person\$4,000.00\$4,000.00
Typical annual deductible per person \$1,500.00 \$1,500.00 \$1,500.00
Average annual deductible per family.\$6,000.00\$6,000.00
Typical annual deductible per family \$3,000.00
Copays and Limits
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance
Average copay for physician office visit.\$21.00\$21.00\$21.00
Typical copay for physician office visit \$20.00
Average out of pocket limit
Single coverage
Family Coverage \$- \$- \$-
Typical out of pocket limit
Single coverage
Family Coverage \$10,000.00 \$1

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Mail order copay when paying dollars

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What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	\$21.96	\$21.96
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	\$25.00	\$25.00
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?	\$71.00	\$71.00
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	\$120.00	\$120.00
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	\$115.46	\$195.89
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	\$150.00	\$150.00

What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?......\$56.67\$56.67

Retail copay when paying a percentage

What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	20%	20%
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	20%	20%
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	60%	60%

Mail order copay when paying a percentage

What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	20%	20%
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	20%	20%
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	55%	55%
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	30%	30%

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
DENTAL INSURANCE		
Percentage of all companies that offer a dental plan Percentage of those plans that cover orthodontia		
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days after hire:	44%	
One to three months after hire	56%	
Three to six months after hire:	0%	0%
Six months to one year after hire:		
After first year:	0%	
Deductibles and Limits		
Average annual deductible	\$43.75	\$43.75
Typical annual deductible	\$50.00	\$50.00
Average annual limit single coverage:	\$1,422	\$1,422
Typical annual limit single coverage	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average annual limit family coverage:	\$1,734	\$1,734
Typical annual limit family coverage	\$1,000	\$1,000
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for		
Employee only coverage	\$16.19	\$16.19
Employee and spouse.		
Employee and child(ren)		
Family		
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	\$50.32	\$50.62
Employee and spouse		
Employee and child(ren)		
Family	\$177.46	\$177.46
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	\$0.00	\$0.00
Employee and spouse.		
Employee and child(ren)	\$0.00	\$0.00
Family		
Percentage of Costs Covered		
Average of preventive costs covered	94%	
Typical percentage of preventive costs covered	100%	
Average of basic costs covered		
Typical percentage of basic costs covered	80%	
Average of major costs covered		
Typical percentage of major costs covered Survey of Wages & Benefits for Northeast Indiana Fou		

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
VISION INSURANCE		
Percentage of all companies offering a separate vision plan		82%
Percentage of those plans that cover glasses/contacts	100%	
Percentage of those plans that cover LASIK or similar procedures	22%	
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days		
One to three months	61%	61%
Three to six months		
Six months to one year		
After first year		
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage	\$4.48	\$4.55
Employee and spouse	\$8.40	\$8.50
Employee and child(ren)	\$8.64	\$8.83
Family	\$12.21	\$152.83
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	\$10.73	\$10.73
Employee and spouse	\$18.54	\$18.54
Employee and child(ren)	\$18.75	\$18.75
Family	\$28.01	\$28.01
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	\$0.00	\$0.00
Employee and spouse.		
Employee and child(ren)		
Family	\$0.00	\$0.00

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FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES

LIFE INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering life insurance.	. 75%	90%
Percentage of those plans that pay a set dollar amount	. 67%	. 72%
Percentage of those plans that pay a percentage of salary	. 40%	. 39%

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	27%	33%
One to three months	53%	44%
Three to six months	13%	11%
Six months to one year		6%
After 1 year		

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a short-term disability benefit	. 77%	82%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	57%	. 62%
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	60%	. 60%
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	19	19
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment	26	26

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days		
One to three months	53%	50%
Three to six months		0%
Six months to one year		0%
After first year		17%

LONG TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a Long-Term Disability benefit	73%	82%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	58%	
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	60%	60%
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	66	68
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment	26	

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days		
One to three months		
Three to six months	0%	
Six months to one year	0%	
After first year	13%	

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	Hourly	Salary
FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES (continued)		
COMMISSIONS AND INCENTIVES		
Percentage of employers that pay commission on sales, contracts or transact Average percentage of compensation that comes from commission		27%
PROFIT SHARING AND BONUSES		
Percentage of companies that offer profit-sharing or performance incentives	50%	55%
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	18%	17%
One to three months	27%	
Three to six months		
Six months to one year		
After 1 year	36%	
Percentage where incentives are team based		25%
Percentage where incentives are individually based	45%	75%
BONUS POOL		
Percentage of employers who have a bonus pool		

REFERRAL BONUS

RETENTION BONUS

Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus	
When is employee eligible?	. After six monthsAfter one year
	$100\% \ldots \ldots 0\%$

SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL

Percentage of companies with more than one shift	Į.
Percentage that pay a shift differential	
Average hourly differential for second shift	
Average hourly differential for third shift\$1.21	

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Salary

Hourly

RETIREMENT

COMPANY FUNDED PENSION

Percentage of companies that offer traditional pension plan	 9%
Percentage of companies where the employee also contributes	 67%
Average age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	 63
Typical age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	 65

401(K) AND SIMILAR PLANS

Percentage of companies that offer a 401(k)/403(b) plan	97%	100%
Average percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	63%	61%
Typical percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	100%	100%
Percentage of companies where the employer contributes	94%	
Average percentage of contribution the employer matches	11%	
Typical percentage of contribution the employer matches	5%	
Average percentage of contribution the company matches 71% of the first 9%	71%	
Percentage of companies where the match is guaranteed	81%	
Percentage of companies where the match is intended	39%	

How soon after hire is employee eligible to participate?

One to 30 days	21%	26%
One to three months	30%	18%
Three to six months	18%	
Six months to a year	18%	15%
After one year	12%	12%

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Hourly Salary

OTHER INCENTIVES

WORKPLACE

Percentage of companies that offer these workplace benefits		
Casual dress day (one per week)	. 9%	23%
Casual dress (every day)	59%6	54%
Child day care services	. 5%	0%
Child care subsidy	. 5%	5%
Compressed work week	18%	5%
Discounted product purchases	32%	27%
Employee assistance programs	73%	37%
Emergency/sick child care	. 0%	0%
English as second language assistance	14%	9%
Fitness center membership subsidy	32%	32%
Fitness center on site	14%	4%
Flex time	23%	32%
Flexible spending account	41%3	32%
Job sharing	. 5%	5%
Informal recognition program	32%	32%
Open communication policy	59%5	59%
Scholarships-employees/spouses/children	14%	14%
Smoking cessation programs	14%	14%
Smoke-free work environment	32%	32%
Telecommuting	. 0%	9%
Transit subsidy	. 0%	0%
Tutoring-employees/spouses/children	. 0%	0%
Wellness program, resources and information	41%4	<i>¥</i> 1%
Other	. 0%	0%

COST OF BENEFITS

WORKPLACE



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HIRING AND LAYOFFS

CHANGES IN STAFFING PRECEDING YEAR

Hiring
Percentage of companies that added workers in preceding six months
Total number of employees added in preceding six months
Average number of employees added in preceding six months
Layoffs
Percentage of companies that laid off employees in preceding six months
Total number of employees laid off in preceding six months
Average number of employees laid off in preceding six months

EXPECTED CHANGESN IN STAFFING IN 2023

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers later in 2023
Total anticipated increase later 2023
Average anticipated increase later in 2023
Layoffs
Percentage of companies expecting layoffs later in 20230%
Total anticipated layoffs later in 20230
Average anticipated layoffs later in 20230
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating neither hiring nor layoffs in 2023
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2023

EXPECTED CHANGES IN STAFFING IN 2024

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers in 2024 41%
Total anticipated increase in 2024
Average anticipated increase in 2024
Layoffs
Percentage of companies anticipating layoffs in 20240%
Total anticipated layoffs in 20240
Average anticipated layoff in20240
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating no change in 2024 59%
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2024 0%

ANNUAL TURNOVER

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STAFFING

INCENTIVES

Percentage of those companies offering these staffing incentives	
Relax drug screening requirements 5%	
Hire persons with disabilities	
Hire persons with felony records	
Expand internships	
Hire persons without high school or GED diploma 41%	
Increase starting pay	
Pay hiring bonus	
Pay referral bonus	
Pay retention bonus	
Offer housing assistance	
Offer child care assistance	
None or none of above	

RECRUITING

Where employers recruit new workers

Employment agencies	41%
Indiana Career Connect	18%
Job fairs	64%
Newspapers	45%
Online	86%
Referrals	77%

PANDEMIC

Impact of the pandemic on employment environment

No impact	32%
Layuoffs	0%
Furloughs	5%
Delay filling openings 4	41%
More flexible work from home policies	
Employment has grown	14%

COVID-19 Vaccine policies

Employees are required to be vaccinated	. 9%
Financial incentives offered to encourage vaccination	27%

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

MOST NEEDED SKILLS

Employers who say these abilities are most needed in workforce
Good work ethic
Welding
Communication
Attention to qulity/detail
Read and write English
CNC machinist
Customer service
People skills
Teamwork
Math
Accounting
Leadership/Project management

NEEDED TECHNICAL SKILLS

Employers who say these tech skills are most needed in workforce

Office
Outlook
Excel
AutoCAD
SAP
CAM
Computer/Internet
Machinist
Welding
Specialized to position

MINIMUM EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Percentage of companies citing these minimum education requirements

No degree required
High school or GED diploma 55%
Some college
Associates degree
Bachelors degree
Graduate degree
Professional degree
Professional license
Professional certification

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

EMPLOYERS FIND THESE POSITIONS MOST DIFFICULT TO FILL

Off-shift openings
Programmers
Engineers
Machinists
Maintenance
Skilled labor
Unskilled labor
Management
Other
Mechanical
Skilled trades

SALARY OUTLOOK

PAY INCREASES

In 2022/2023

Percentage of companies giving pay raises in preceding 12 months	6
Average raise given in preceding 12 months	ó
Typical raise given in preceding 12 months	ó

In 2023/2024

Percentage of companies planning pay raises in next 12 months	. 95%
Average raise planned in next 12 months	4.19%
Typical increase planned in next 12 months	3%

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION

TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Percentage of companies with training, career development and education benefits 68%	73%
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to one year	
After 1 year	
TUITION ASSISTANCE	
Percentage of companies offering tuition assistance	73%
Percentage that require classes be job related to receive tuition assistance	
Average percent of tuition reimbursement	
Job Skills and Career Development	
Percentage of companies that offer in-house skills and career development programs 64%	
Percentage of companies that offer off-site skills and career development programs 59%	
MENTORING	
Percentage of companies with formal mentoring programs	41%
IN-HOUSE TRAINING	
Percentage of companies where training is done in-house	68%
OFF-SITE TRAINING	
Percentage of companies where training is done off-site	68%
ORIENTATION	
Percentage of companies that offer orientation for new employees	64%
INTERNSHIPS	

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SUBSTANCE SCREENING

DRUG TESTING

Percentage of companies that conduct drug screening	86%
Which screening protocol is used?	
Five panel	53%
Seven panel	5%
DOT	11%
Other	58%
Percentage of those companies that require new applicants to pass	95% 89%
Current employees are screened	
Randomly	
After incident/injury	86%
For cause	86%
Employees who fail are	
Dismissed	95%
Referred to an EAP or counseling program	53%

MARIJUANA TESTING

Percentage of companies that test for marijuana use	33%
Percentage of companies that make allowance for prescription	50%

When are tests done?

As part of hiring process.	0%
For cause or after incident	. 100%

Professional, Financial and Information Services



NORTHEAST INDIANA

2023 FOUR COUNTY WEST REGION

WAGES AND BENEFITS SURVEY



Professional, Financial and Information Services

Includes finance and insurance; information; media; real estate development, sales rental and leasing; professional and business services; scientific and technical services; management, administration and support; and waste management and remediation

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Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
MANAGEMENT OCCUPATIONS					
Chief Executives		0.2% .	\$33.44	\$69.02	2 \$112.49
General and Operations Managers		3.7% .	\$28.21	\$39.12	2 \$61.14
Advertising and Promotions Managers		0.0% .	\$26.48	\$41.65	5 \$52.60
Marketing Managers		0.3% .	\$36.32	\$46.78	3 \$73.00
Sales Managers		0.3% .	\$36.59	\$47.28	3 \$68.51
Public Relations Managers	5.	0.1% .	\$33.60	\$43.20	5 \$55.30
Fundraising Managers	6.	0.1% .	\$32.78	\$44.20	5 \$65.08
Administrative Services Managers					
Facilities Managers	4.	0.1% .	\$28.60	\$36.30	0 \$47.08
Computer and Information Systems Managers		0.3% .	\$38.55	\$50.68	3 \$64.69
Financial Managers	70.	1.2% .	\$30.58	\$46.40	0 \$62.87
Human Resources Managers	7.	0.1% .	\$37.19	\$47.59	9 \$58.81
Training and Development Managers		0.0% .	\$39.13	\$44.50) \$58.20
Education and Childcare Administrators,					
Preschool and Daycare	8.	0.1% .	\$17.12	\$20.21	1 \$26.17
Education Administrators, Kindergarten					
through Secondary		0.1% .	\$33.50	\$37.85	5 \$43.90
Education Administrators, All Other		0.0% .	\$21.52	\$28.39	9 \$35.98
Architectural and Engineering Managers		0.1% .	\$47.79	\$61.35	5 \$78.98
Property, Real Estate, and Community					
Association Managers	4.	0.1% .	\$19.95	\$26.09	9 \$30.04
Social and Community Service Managers	8.	0.1% .	\$18.99	\$24.38	3 \$31.15
Managers, All Other.		0.4% .	\$15.51	\$24.75	5 \$38.07
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BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OCCUPATIONS

Buyers and Purchasing Agents	7	0.1%	\$22.04	\$24.27 \$31.86
Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators	20	0.3%	\$25.52	\$32.72 \$36.82
Compliance Officers	9	0.1%	\$22.57	\$29.13 \$37.08
Human Resources Specialists	43	0.7%	\$18.72	\$23.65 \$30.42
Labor Relations Specialists	162	2.7%	\$22.26	\$28.26 \$36.20
Project Management Specialists	25	0.4%	\$24.14	\$31.55 \$44.87
Management Analysts	50	0.8%	\$26.12	\$34.46 \$45.85
Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	14	0.2%	\$13.80	\$15.65 \$23.32
Fundraisers		0.4%	\$17.60	\$22.67 \$34.89
Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists	20	0.3%	\$21.96	\$28.95 \$38.86
Training and Development Specialists	15	0.2%	\$19.67	\$24.60 \$34.94
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	74	1.2%	\$18.95	\$23.69 \$31.08
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	30	0.5%	\$22.33	\$29.22 \$36.63
Accountants and Auditors	162	2.7%	\$23.18	\$29.93 \$39.01

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage 25th Percentile Median 75th Percentile of Workforce Hourly Wage Hourly Wage Hourly Wage
Property Appraisers and Assessors	5.	
Credit Analysts	16.	$\dots 0.3\% \dots \$22.06 \dots \$25.29 \dots \$29.04$
Financial and Investment Analysts		
Personal Financial Advisors		1.6% \$20.27 \$30.30 \$50.47
Insurance Underwriters	10.	$\dots 0.2\% \dots \$26.53 \dots \$32.78 \dots \$42.63$
Financial Risk Specialists	9.	
Loan Officers	113.	1.9% \$17.87 \$28.56 \$39.48
Tax Preparers		
Financial Specialists, All Other	4.	

COMPUTER AND MATHEMATICAL OCCUPATIONS

Computer Systems Analysts		0.5%	. \$29.40	. \$38.13 \$48.67
Information Security Analysts		0.1%	. \$38.88	. \$53.48 \$62.80
Computer Network Support Specialists	14	0.2%	. \$22.74	. \$28.84 \$37.72
Computer User Support Specialists	64	1.1%	. \$17.79	. \$22.55 \$28.51
Computer Network Architects	11	0.2%	. \$30.04	. \$38.38 \$48.39
Database Administrators	5	0.1%	. \$26.63	. \$33.84 \$44.07
Database Architects		0.1%	. \$22.26	. \$23.56 \$24.95
Network and Computer Systems Administrators		0.5%	. \$28.16	. \$35.64 \$46.54
Computer Programmers.	16	0.3%	. \$26.67	. \$36.03 \$46.92
Software Developers	69	1.1%	. \$31.78	. \$40.54 \$51.16
Software Quality Assurance Analysts and Testers	12	0.2%	. \$28.96	. \$36.75 \$46.38
Web Developers	9	0.2%	. \$18.43	. \$23.89 \$32.80
Web and Digital Interface Designers	8	0.1%	. \$23.78	. \$29.09 \$40.18
Computer Occupations, All Other	10	0.2%	. \$20.34	. \$28.31 \$38.82
Operations Research Analysts	7	0.1%	. \$36.36	. \$43.61 \$52.79
Data Scientists	7	0.1%	. \$22.79	. \$27.68 \$37.16

ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING JOBS

Architects, Except Landscape and Naval	12	0.2%	. \$26.01\$33.13\$42.67
Surveyors	7	0.1%	. \$21.64\$26.18\$31.05
Civil Engineers	3	0.1%	. \$28.09\$36.36\$45.89
Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	3	0.0%	. \$37.00\$41.48\$59.38
Industrial Engineers	7	0.1%	. \$30.28\$37.91\$48.22
Engineers, All Other	4	0.1%	. \$28.82\$37.98\$48.45
Architectural and Civil Drafters	7	0.1%	. \$20.42\$22.54\$29.96
Surveying and Mapping Technicians	4	0.1%	. \$16.75\$20.39\$26.03

Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage
LIFE, PHYSICAL, AND SOCIAL SCIE	NCE OCC	UPATIONS	5	

COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICE OCCUPATIONS

Educational, Guidance, and Career Counselors				
and Advisors		0.1%	\$18.06	\$22.42 \$27.06
Substance Abuse, Behavioral Disorder, and				
Mental Health Counselors		0.1%	\$17.62	\$20.76 \$25.56
Child, Family, and School Social Workers	6	0.1%	\$17.55	\$19.28 \$22.30
Social and Human Service Assistants	14	0.2%	\$13.47	\$15.36 \$18.17
Community Health Workers		0.1%	\$14.12	\$18.02 \$19.94
Community and Social Service Specialists, All Other		0.1%	\$12.62	\$14.46 \$18.10
Clergy	151	2.5%	\$18.70	\$23.00 \$26.47
Directors, Religious Activities and Education	113	1.9%	\$14.38	\$20.56 \$26.62
Religious Workers, All Other		0.8%	\$10.03	\$13.14 \$18.38

LEGAL OCCUPATIONS

Lawyers	. 76	1.2%	. \$29.88	. \$37.44 \$50.14
Paralegals and Legal Assistants	. 50	0.8%	. \$17.50	. \$19.61 \$24.12
Title Examiners, Abstractors, and Searchers	. 17	0.3%	. \$14.88	. \$17.77 \$21.90

EDUCATIONAL INSTRUCTION AND LIBRARY OCCUPATIONS

Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education		0.8%	\$10.35	\$12.59 \$14.40
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education .	8	0.1%	\$18.33	\$21.51 \$27.26
Secondary School Teachers,				
Except Special and Career/Technical Education	6	0.1%	\$18.25	\$21.90 \$27.72
Self-Enrichment Teachers	53	0.9%	\$11.41	\$16.84 \$22.91
Tutors	11	0.2%	\$8.95	\$11.53 \$19.42
Teachers and Instructors, All Other	8	0.1%	\$11.47	\$17.46 \$29.85
Instructional Coordinators	3	0.0%	\$20.81	\$23.67\$28.04
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	23	0.4%	\$9.93	\$11.12 \$12.98

ARTS. DESIGN, ENTERTAINMENT, SPORTS, AND MEDIA OCCUPATIONS

Art Directors	3	0.1%	. \$24.15	\$33.13\$44.46
Graphic Designers	35	0.6%	. \$17.06	\$19.33 \$23.28
Interior Designers		0.2%	. \$20.65	\$23.07\$25.34
Producers and Directors		0.2%	. \$22.88	\$32.25\$42.66
Coaches and Scouts	16	0.3%	. \$10.29	\$13.57\$17.95
Music Directors and Composers	25	0.4%	\$9.96	\$19.71 \$29.00
Musicians and Singers	48		. \$16.06	\$22.81 \$31.45
Broadcast Announcers and Radio Disc Jockeys	20	0.3%	. \$10.85	\$16.53 \$21.73

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Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage 25th Percentile Median 75th Percentile of Workforce Hourly Wage Hourly Wage Hourly Wage
News Analysts, Reporters, and Journalists		
Public Relations Specialists	40	
Editors	51	
Technical Writers		
Writers and Authors	17	
Interpreters and Translators	7	
Audio and Video Technicians	8	0.1%\$11.94\$15.38\$19.29
Photographers	4	
Camera Operators, Television, Video, and Film	3	

HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS AND TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS

Veterinarians	. 49	0.8%	. \$34.89	. \$38.28 \$47.75
Registered Nurses	8	0.1%	. \$26.56	. \$28.70 \$34.59
Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	. 57	0.9%	. \$12.90	. \$14.19 \$16.47
Medical Records Specialists		0.0%	. \$16.02	. \$18.14 \$21.74

HEALTHCARE AND SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS

Home Health and Personal Care Aides	4	0.1%	. \$10.55	. \$11.73 \$13.11
Nursing Assistants		0.1%	. \$12.92	. \$13.91 \$16.64
Veterinary Assistants and Laboratory Animal Caretakers	. 62	1.0%	. \$10.77	. \$12.67 \$13.62

PROTECTIVE SERVICE OCCUPATIONS

Security Guards	. 12	. 0.2%	\$12.37	. \$14.87	\$19.04
Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other					
Recreational Protective Service Workers	. 32	. 0.5%	. \$8.15	\$8.84	. \$9.88

FOOD PREPARATION AND SERVING RELATED OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation				
and Serving Workers	16	0.3%	\$13.47	\$15.31 \$18.22
Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	11	0.2%	\$11.07	\$13.22 \$14.24
Cooks, Restaurant	13	0.2%	\$11.44	\$13.15 \$15.01
Food Preparation Workers	6	0.1%	\$9.37	\$11.12 \$13.68
Bartenders	67	1.1%	\$8.90	\$10.21 \$12.64
Fast Food and Counter Workers	24	0.4%	\$8.84	\$10.18 \$11.70
Waiters and Waitresses	22	0.4%	\$8.58	\$9.49\$13.26
Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	4	0.1%	\$9.40	\$11.10 \$13.32
Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants				
and Bartender Helpers	4	0.1%	\$8.75	\$9.55\$11.52
Dishwashers	4	0.1%	\$8.63	\$9.87\$11.62

Four County Region	Number	Percentage	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile
	of Workers	of Workforce	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage

BUILDING AND GROUNDS CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE OCCUPATIONS

Janitors and Cleaners, Except					
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	. 100	1.7%	. \$10.84	\$13.05	\$16.67
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners		0.3%	\$9.90	\$11.66	\$13.37
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	17	0.3%	. \$12.85	\$14.73	\$17.76

PERSONAL CARE AND SERVICE OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Entertainment and Recreation Workers,

Except Gambling Services	11	0.2%	\$12.96	\$14.71 \$20.83
First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	10	0.2%	\$16.05	\$17.87 \$22.13
Animal Caretakers	30	0.5%	\$10.08	\$10.79 \$13.37
Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	48	0.8%	\$7.40	\$8.61 \$9.66
Amusement and Recreation Attendants	10	0.2%	\$7.76	\$9.76 \$12.26
Childcare Workers	77	1.3%	\$8.44	\$10.45 \$13.87
Exercise Trainers and Group Fitness Instructors	38	0.6%	\$11.02	\$13.10 \$17.38
Recreation Workers	76	1.3%	\$8.79	\$10.58 \$13.50

SALES AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	4	0.1%	\$14.12	\$17.99 \$22.95
First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	9	0.1%	\$19.25	\$32.23 \$46.37
Cashiers	11	0.2%	\$8.72	\$10.76 \$11.39
Retail Salespersons	16	0.3%	\$10.82	\$12.79 \$14.37
Advertising Sales Agents	43	0.7%	\$15.00	\$19.97 \$26.93
Insurance Sales Agents	287	4.7%	\$16.14	\$24.62 \$39.87
Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services				
Sales Agents	79	1.3%	\$23.52	\$35.99 \$49.27
Sales Representatives of Services, Except Advertising,				
Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	70	1.2%	\$18.66	\$29.56 \$44.94
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing,				
Except Technical and Scientific Products	14	0.2%	\$22.93	\$30.15 \$40.58
Telemarketers	3	0.1%	\$11.76	\$14.38 \$17.82
Sales and Related Workers, All Other	6	0.1%	\$13.03	\$14.31 \$15.26

Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage

OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Office and		
Administrative Support Workers	. 114 1.9% .	\$18.67 \$24.02 \$30.32
Bill and Account Collectors	12 0.2% .	\$14.06 \$16.66 \$18.43
Billing and Posting Clerks		
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	. 173 2.9% .	\$14.67 \$18.02 \$22.37
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	70.1% .	\$16.74 \$19.01 \$22.90
Tellers	. 262 4.3% .	\$12.74 \$15.10 \$16.30
Brokerage Clerks		\$18.47 \$22.40 \$26.44
Credit Authorizers, Checkers, and Clerks	40.1% .	\$14.27 \$16.67 \$18.28
Customer Service Representatives	. 187 3.1% .	\$14.09 \$17.82 \$22.22
File Clerks	60.1% .	\$13.45 \$17.56 \$21.02
Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan		
Library Assistants, Clerical	30.0% .	\$9.56 \$10.88 \$13.56
Loan Interviewers and Clerks	59 1.0% .	\$15.26 \$17.31 \$21.89
New Accounts Clerks		\$16.54 \$20.60 \$23.77
Receptionists and Information Clerks		
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	80.1% .	\$21.30 \$23.57 \$29.78
Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks	90.1% .	\$14.48 \$16.60 \$21.79
Executive Secretaries and Executive		
Administrative Assistants		\$18.92 \$22.43 \$28.97
Legal Secretaries and Administrative Assistants		\$13.79 \$16.01 \$17.96
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants,		
Except Legal, Medical, and Executive		
Data Entry Keyers		\$13.75 \$14.93 \$18.25
Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	400.7% .	\$16.77 \$21.75 \$24.80
Mail Clerks and Mail Machine Operators,		
Except Postal Service		
Office Clerks, General	. 277 4.6% .	\$13.61 \$14.74 \$18.57
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other .	50.1% .	\$14.29 \$17.25 \$22.59

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 Percentage
 25th
 Percentile
 Median
 75th
 Percentile

 of Workers
 of Workforce
 Hourly Wage
 Hourly Wage
 Hourly Wage

CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION OCCUPATIONS

INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers,					
and Repairers	9	. 0.1%	. \$22.99	. \$29.52 \$3	7.43
Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers,					
Except Line Installers	27	. 0.4%	. \$17.48	. \$22.75 \$2	7.23
Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	13	. 0.2%	. \$13.40	. \$17.96 \$2	6.15
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	84	. 1.4%	. \$17.19	. \$22.22 \$2	7.86

PRODUCTION OCCUPATIONS

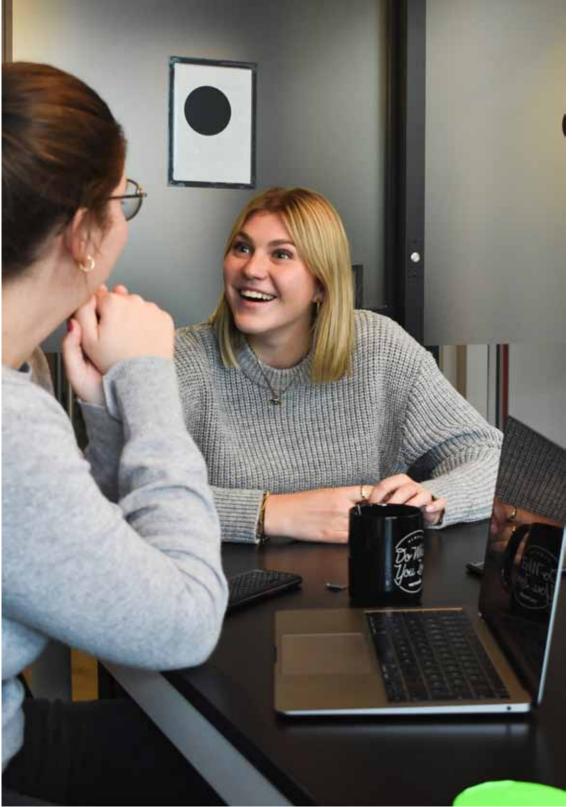
First-Line Supervisors of Production				
and Operating Workers		0.1%	\$23.11	\$29.19\$36.76
Prepress Technicians and Workers	7	0.1%	\$10.80	\$11.84\$17.08
Printing Press Operators.	16	0.3%	\$13.77	\$17.01 \$21.61
Print Binding and Finishing Workers	4	0.1%	\$13.31	\$14.34 \$17.61
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	8	0.1%	\$17.06	\$18.47 \$22.82
Photographic Process Workers and				
Processing Machine Operators		0.1%	\$15.11	\$17.80\$19.66

TRANSPORTATION AND MATERIAL MOVING OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers,

Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors		0.1%	\$18.54	\$23.30\$	29.79
Driver/Sales Workers	. 10	0.2%	\$8.39	\$8.81\$	17.95
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	3	0.0%	\$18.15	\$22.83\$	27.44
Light Truck Drivers	8	0.1%	\$12.18	\$17.67\$	22.37
Shuttle Drivers and Chauffeurs	4	0.1%	\$9.57	\$11.67\$	13.93
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	. 16	0.3%	\$14.43	\$17.08\$	518.59
Machine Feeders and Offbearers	3	0.1%	\$13.75	\$15.56\$	520.42
Packers and Packagers, Hand	3	0.1%	\$12.69	\$16.88\$	518.04
Stockers and Order Fillers	4	0.1%	\$11.23	\$13.60\$	516.31





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PAID TIME OFF

HOLIDAYS

Percentage of companies offering paid holidays	
Typical number of paid holidays offered annually	 10
Percentage of those companies offering these common holidays	
New Year's Eve	 %
New Year's Day	 %
Martin Luther King Jr	 %
Lincoln's Birthday	 %
President's Day	 %
Washington's Birthday	 %
Good Friday	 %
Memorial Day	 %
Independence Day	 %
Labor Day	 %
Columbus Day	 %
Election Day	 %
Floating Holiday	 %
Veterans' Day	 %
Thanksgiving Day	 %
Day After Thanksgiving	 %
Christmas Eve	 %
Christmas Day	 %
Other	 %
Other	 %

COMBINED PAID TIME OFF

Percentage of companies that combine vacation, sick and personal days	67%	67%
Average number of PTO days offered first year		
Typical number of PTO days offered first year		15
Average number of carryover days per year		
How Paid Time Off is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	0	0
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	1	First Year
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	1	0
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	1	
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days		5
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		2
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when of	fered) 3	
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when off	Gered)15	15

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)		
VACATION		
Percentage of all companies that offer paid vacation		50%
How soon after hire may employee take paid vacation?		
One to 30 days		
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to one year		
After 1 year		
Number of days offered		
Average number of paid vacation days offered in first year:		
Typical number of vacation days offered in first year:		
How vacation time is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days		First Yea
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		1
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when	offered) 10	
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when	offered) 20	

PERSONAL DAYS

Personal Days	
Percentage of companies offering paid personal days	
Average number of personal days offered per year	
Typical number of personal days offered in first year:	
How soon after hire may employee take personal day?	
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One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to one year	

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

BEREAVEMENT LEAVE

Percentage of companies offering paid bereavement leave	 84%
Average number of bereavement days offered annually	 3
Typical number of bereavement days offered annually	 3

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	. 48%	
One to three months	. 35%	
Three to six months	. 13%	
Six months to year	3%	
After one year	3%	

COMPENSATION DURING JURY SERVICE

Percentage of companies that pay employees during jury service	. 67%	67%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages plus payment from court	. 25%	. 25%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages minus payment from court	75%	.75%
Percentage where employee receives only payment from court	. 33%	. 33%

ILLNESS DAYS

Percentage of companies that offer paid illness days	50%	50%
Average number of paid illness days offered annually		5
Typical number of paid illness days offered per year		
Average maximum number of illness days that may be accumulated		
Typical number of paid illness days that may be accumulated		

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	 67%
One to three months	 0%
Three to six months	 0%
Six months to one year.	 0%
After 1 year	

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Family Medical Leave		50%
Average number of weeks paid	1	1
Typical number of weeks paid	0	0
Average number of weeks unpaid		5
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0	0

MATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Maternity Leave	67%	67%
Average number of weeks paid		
Typical number of weeks paid		0
Average number of weeks unpaid		5
Typical number of weeks unpaid		0

PATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Paternity Leave	50%	50%
Average number of weeks paid		
Typical number of weeks paid		
Average number of weeks unpaid		
Typical number of weeks unpaid		

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HEALTH RELATED BENEFITS

HEALTH INSURANCE OFFERED

Percentage of companies offering health insurance to employees		33%
Percentage of those offering health insurance to families and children	100%	100%
Percentage of companies reporting as self-insured	100%	100%
Percentage of companies reporting indemnity insurance		0%
Percentage of companies that offer a single plan	50%	50%
Percentage of companies that offer multiple plans	50%	50%
Percentage of companies offering traditional plans	50%	50%
Percentage of companies offering high-deductible plans	100%	100%
Percentage of companies considering dropping health plan in coming year		0%

HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AND HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Percentage of companies offering only HSA or HRA plans.		50%
Percentage of companies offering optional HSA or HRA plan		
Percentage of companies with no HSA or HRA plan		
Average company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan		\$800
For family plan	\$1,600	\$1,600
Typical company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	\$500	\$500
For family plan	\$1,000	\$1,000
Average annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense single	\$4,000	\$4,000
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
Typical annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense single	\$5,000	\$5,000
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense family	\$10,000	\$10,000
WELLNESS INCENTIVE		

Percentage of companies that offer a wellness incentive		100%
Average amount that may be earned	\$470	\$470
Typical amount that may be earned		\$500

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS	
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES	
Traditional Plans	
Percentage of self-insured companies offering traditional plans	17%
Percentage that offer family coverage 100%	
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to year	
After one year	
Average monthly promium noid by ampleyee for	
Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage\$200.00	\$200.00
Employee and spouse	
Employee and spouse	
Family	
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee	
Employee-only coverage	\$699.55
Employee and spouse	
Employee and child \$1,294.19	
Family	
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Deductibles	
Average annual deductible per person\$1,500.00	
Typical annual deductible per person	
Average annual deductible per family\$3,000.00	
Typical annual deductible per family	\$3,000.00
Copays and Limits	
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	
Average copay for physician office visit\$30.00	\$30.00
Typical copay for physician office visit \$20.00	\$20.00
Average out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	\$4,000.00
Family Coverage	\$8,000.00
Typical out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	
Family Coverage\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES		
High-Deductible Plan		
Percentage of self-insured companies offering high-deductible plans		
Percentage that offer family coverage	100%	
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	0%	
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to year		
After one year		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage.	\$149.40	\$149.00
Employee and spouse.		
Employee and child		
Family		
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee	····· φ109.99 ····	
Employee-only coverage.	\$585.70	\$585.59
Employee and spouse.		
Employee and child		
Family		
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Deductibles		
Average annual deductible per person	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Typical annual deductible per person	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00
Average annual deductible per family	\$6,000.00	\$6,000.00
Typical annual deductible per family	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00
Copays and Limits		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	80%	
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance		
Average copay for physician office visit.		
Typical copay for physician office visit		
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
Family Coverage		
Typical out of pocket limit		
Single coverage		\$5,000.00

Family Coverage \$10,000.00 \$10,000.00

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INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES **Traditional Plans** How soon after hire is employee eligible? Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage......N/AN/A Employee and spouse......N/AN/A Employee and child N/A N/A Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee Employee-only coverage......N/AN/A Employee and spouse......N/AN/A Family N/A N/A **Deductibles** Average annual deductible per person N/A Typical annual deductible per person......N/A Average annual deductible per family......N/A Typical annual deductible per family N/A **Copays and Limits** Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance N/A N/A Average copay for physician office visit. N/A Typical copay for physician office visit N/A N/A Average out of pocket limit Typical out of pocket limit Family Coverage N/A N/A Survey of Wages & Benefits for Northeast Indiana Four County West Region - Q2 2023 · 57 Copyright 2023 Two Things LLC

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INDEMNITY INSURED COMPANIES

High-Deductible Plan

Percentage of indemnity employers that offer a high deductible plan	0%	0%
Percentage that offer family coverage	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to year	N/A	N/A
After one year		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A

Deductibles

Average annual deductible per person	N/A	. N/A
Typical annual deductible per person	N/A	. N/A
Average annual deductible per family	N/A	. N/A
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A	. N/A

Copays and Limits

Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Average copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Typical copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A
Typical out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFIT		
Percentage of all companies where insurance covers prescription drugs		179
Retail copay when paying dollars		
What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/.
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/.
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/.
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/.
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/
Mail order copay when paying dollars		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	N/A	N/
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?		
Retail copay when paying a percentage		
What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	10%	10 ⁹
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	20%	209
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	30%	
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	20%	209
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	30%	
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	60%	609
Mail order copay when paying a percentage		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?		
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	20%	
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?		
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	20%	209

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)

DENTAL INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies that offer a dental plan	ó
Percentage of those plans that cover orthodontia100%	D
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?	
One to 30 days after hire:	D
One to three months after hire	D
Three to six months after hire:	ó
Six months to one year after hire:	
After first year:	
Deductibles and Limits	
Average annual deductible \$41.67 \$41.67	7
Typical annual deductible \$50.00 \$50.00)
Average annual limit single coverage:)
Typical annual limit single coverage\$1,000)
Average annual limit family coverage: \$2,833 \$2,833	3
Typical annual limit family coverage\$1,000	
Premiums and Costs	
Average monthly premium paid by employee for	
Employee only coverage\$16.16\$16.16	5
Employee and spouse\$58.51\$47.08	3
Employee and child(ren) \$47.93 \$44.50)
Family	2
Average monthly premium paid by employer for	
Employee only coverage\$23.91\$23.91	i
Employee and spouse\$24.49\$24.49)
Employee and child(ren) \$25.13 \$25.13	
Family	
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for	
Employee only coverage\$0.00)
Employee and spouse\$0.00	
Employee and child(ren)	
Family	
	,
Percentage of Costs Covered	

Percentage of Costs Covered

Average of preventive costs covered	100%	100%
Typical percentage of preventive costs covered	100%	100%
Average of basic costs covered	83%	83%
Typical percentage of basic costs covered	80%	80%
Average of major costs covered	50%	50%
Typical percentage of major costs covered	50%	50%

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VISION INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering a separate vision plan Percentage of those plans that cover glasses/contacts Percentage of those plans that cover LASIK or similar procedures	100% 100%
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?	
One to 30 days	
One to three months	100% 100%
Three to six months	
Six months to one year	
After first year	
Premiums and Costs	
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:	
Employee only coverage	\$4.00\$4.00

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Employee and spouse	\$23.49 \$23.49
Employee and child(ren)	\$32.37 \$32.37
Family	\$55.97
Average monthly premium paid by employer for	
Employee only coverage	\$2.76\$2.76
Employee and spouse	\$2.76 \$2.76
Employee and child(ren)	\$2.76\$2.76
Family	\$2.76\$2.76
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for	
Employee only coverage	\$0.00
Employee and spouse	\$0.00
Employee and child(ren)	\$0.00
Family	\$0.00

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FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES

LIFE INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering life insurance.	. 50%	50%
Percentage of those plans that pay a set dollar amount	. 67%	. 67%
Percentage of those plans that pay a percentage of salary	. 67%	. 67%

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days		
One to three months	100%	
Three to six months		
Six months to one year.		
After 1 year		0%

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a short-term disability benefit	33%	33%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	60%	60%
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	60%	60%
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	20	
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment		

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days		
One to three months	50%	50%
Three to six months		
Six months to one year	50%	50%
After first year		

LONG TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a Long-Term Disability benefit		50%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	62%	62%
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	60%	60%
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	65	65
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment		26

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days		0%
One to three months	100%	
Three to six months	0%	
Six months to one year		
After first year		

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COMMISSIONS AND INCENTIVES		
Percentage of employers that pay commission on sales, contracts or transa Average percentage of compensation that comes from commission		17%
Percentage of companies that offer profit-sharing or performance incentives		
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	50%	50%
One to three months		0%
Three to six months		0%
Six months to one year		0%
After 1 year	50%	
Percentage where incentives are team based		50%
Percentage where incentives are individually based	50%	50%
BONUS POOL		

Percentage of employers who have a bonus pool	0%	0%
Average annual amount per employee	N/A	N/A

REFERRAL BONUS

RETENTION BONUS

Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus	
When is employee eligible?	After six months After one year
Employee becomes eligible after one year	

SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL

Percentage of companies with more than one shift	%
Percentage that pay a shift differential 100%	%
Average hourly differential for second shift	ts
Average hourly differential for third shift\$1.0	00

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RETIREMENT

COMPANY FUNDED PENSION

Percentage of companies that offer traditional pension plan	0%	0%
Percentage of companies where the employee also contributes	N/A	N/A
Average age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	N/A	N/A
Typical age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	N/A	N/A

401(K) AND SIMILAR PLANS

Percentage of companies that offer a 401(k)/403(b) plan	67%	67%
Average percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	57%	
Typical percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	100%	100%
Percentage of companies where the employer contributes	75%	75%
Average percentage of contribution the employer matches	4%	
Typical percentage of contribution the employer matches	5%	5%
Average percentage of contribution the company matches	e first 4%	
Percentage of companies where the match is guaranteed	100%	100%
Percentage of companies where the match is intended	33%	

How soon after hire is employee eligible to participate?

One to 30 days	50%	50%
One to three months	50%	0%
Three to six months		0%
Six months to a year.		0%
After one year		0%

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OTHER INCENTIVES

WORKPLACE

Percentage of companies that offer these workplace benefits		
Casual dress day (one per week)	17%	17%
Casual dress (every day)	50%	50%
Child day care services	0%	0%
Child care subsidy	0%	0%
Compressed work week	0%	0%
Discounted product purchases	0%	0%
Employee assistance programs	50%	
Emergency/sick child care	0%	0%
English as second language assistance	0%	0%
Fitness center membership subsidy	50%	50%
Fitness center on site	17%	
Flex time	33%	
Flexible spending account	33%	
Job sharing	0%	0%
Informal recognition program	50%	
Open communication policy	50%	
Scholarships-employees/spouses/children	0%	0%
Smoking cessation programs	33%	
Smoke-free work environment	33%	
Telecommuting	50%	
Transit subsidy	0%	0%
Tutoring-employees/spouses/children	0%	0%
Wellness program, resources and information	50%	
Other	0%	

COST OF BENEFITS

Cost of benefits as percentage of wages 22%

WORKPLACE



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HIRING AND LAYOFFS

CHANGES IN STAFFING PRECEDING YEAR

Hiring
Percentage of companies that added workers in preceding six months
Total number of employees added in preceding six months
Average number of employees added in preceding six months
Layoffs
Percentage of companies that laid off employees in preceding six months
Total number of employees laid off in preceding six months
Average number of employees laid off in preceding six months

CHANGES IN STAFFING EXPECTED IN 2023

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers later in 2023 100%
Total anticipated increase later 2023 199
Average anticipated increase later in 2023
Layoffs
Percentage of companies expecting layoffs later in 20230%
Total anticipated layoffs later in 20230
Average anticipated layoffs later in 20230
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating neither hiring nor layoffs in 2023
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2023

CHANGES IN STAFFING EXPECTED IN 2024

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers in 2024
Total anticipated increase in 2024
Average anticipated increase in 2024
Layoffs
Percentage of companies anticipating layoffs in 2024
Total anticipated layoffs in 2024
Average anticipated layoff in2024100
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating no change in 2024
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2024 0%

ANNUAL TURNOVER

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STAFFING

INCENTIVES

Percentage of those companies offering these staffing incentives
Relax drug screening requirements
Hire persons with disabilities
Hire persons with felony records
Expand internships
Hire persons without high school or GED diploma
Increase starting pay
Pay hiring bonus
Pay referral bonus
Pay retention bonus
Offer housing assistance
Offer child care assistance
None or none of above

RECRUITING

Where employers recruit new workers

Employment agencies	17%
Indiana Career Connect	33%
Job fairs	33%
Newspapers	33%
Online	50%
Referrals	67%

PANDEMIC

Impact of the pandemic on employment environment

No impact	50%
Layuoffs	17%
Furloughs	0%
Delay filling openings	17%
More flexible work from home policies	33%
Employment has grown	0%

COVID-19 Vaccine policies

Employees are required to be vaccinated	0%
Financial incentives offered to encourage vaccination	0%

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

MOST NEEDED SKILLS

Employers who say these abilities are most needed in workforce
Good work ethic
Welding
Communication
Attention to qulity/detail
Read and write English
CNC machinist
Customer service
People skills
Teamwork
Math
Accounting
Leadership/Project management

NEEDED TECHNICAL SKILLS

Employers who say these tech skills are most needed in workforce

Office
Outlook
Excel
AutoCAD
SAP
CAM
Computer/Internet
Machinist
Welding
Specialized to position

MINIMUM EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Employers who set these minimum education requirements

No degree required
High school or GED diploma 17%
Some college
Associates degree
Bachelors degree
Graduate degree
Professional degree
Professional license
Professional certification

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

EMPLOYERS FIND THESE POSITIONS MOST DIFFICULT TO FILL

Off-shift openings
Programmers
Engineers
Machinists
Maintenance
Skilled labor
Unskilled labor
Management
Other
Mechanical
Skilled trades

SALARY OUTLOOK

PAY INCREASES

In 2022/2023	
Percentage of companies giving pay raises in preceding 12 months	83%
Average raise given in preceding 12 months	4.40%
Typical raise given in preceding 12 months	3%

In 2023/2024

Percentage of companies planning pay raises in next 12 months	83%
Average raise planned in next 12 months	4.40%
Typical increase planned in next 12 months	3%

Northeast Indiana Workplace: Professional, Financial and Information Services

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION

TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Percentage of companies with training, career development and education benef	fits83%83%
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How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	40%	40%
One to three months	60%	60%
Three to six months		0%
Six months to one year.		0%
After 1 year		0%

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Percentage of companies offering tuition assistance	67%	67%
Percentage that require classes be job related to receive tuition assistance	75%	75%
Average percent of tuition reimbursement	29%	49%

JOB SKILLS AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Percentage of companies offering in-house skills and career development programs . 67	7%67%	6
Percentage of companies that offer off-site skills and career development programs 83	3%83%	ó

MENTORING

Percentage of companies with formal mentoring programs	
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IN-HOUSE TRAINING

OFF-SITE TRAINING

ORIENTATION

Percentage of companies that offer orientation for new employees
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INTERNSHIPS

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SUBSTANCE SCREENING

DRUG TESTING

Percentage of companies that conduct drug screening	
Which screening protocol is used?	
Five panel	
Seven panel	
DOT	
Other	
Percentage of those companies that require new applicants to pass 50% 50% Current employees are screened	I
Randomly	
After incident/injury 17% 17%	1
For cause	1
Employees who fail are	
Dismissed	,
Referred to an EAP or counseling program150%	,

MARIJUANA TESTING

Percentage of companies that test for marijuana use	33%
Percentage of companies that make allowance for prescription	50%

When are tests done?

As part of hiring process	. 0%
For cause or after incident	.00%

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WAGES AND BENEFITS SURVEY



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Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
MANAGEMENT OCCUPATIONS					
Chief Executives.	6	0.1%	\$33.44	\$69.02	\$112.49
General and Operations Managers	104	2.4%	\$28.21	\$39.12	\$61.14
Administrative Services Managers		0.1%	\$28.20	\$37.36	\$49.96
Financial Managers	4	0.1%	\$30.58	\$46.40	\$62.87
Construction Managers	161	3.7%	\$16.61	\$28.53	\$42.76
Managers, All Other		2.0%	\$15.51	\$24.75	\$38.07

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OCCUPATIONS

Buyers and Purchasing Agents	7	0.2%	. \$22.04	\$24.27 \$31.86
Cost Estimators		1.1%	. \$21.43	\$27.97\$35.56
Human Resources Specialists	6	0.1%	. \$18.72	\$23.65\$30.42
Project Management Specialists	28	0.6%	. \$24.14	\$31.55 \$44.87
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	4	0.1%	. \$18.95	\$23.69\$31.08
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	4	0.1%	. \$22.33	\$29.22 \$36.63
Accountants and Auditors	20	0.5%	. \$23.18	\$29.93 \$39.01

COMPUTER AND MATHEMATICAL OCCUPATIONS

Computer User Support Specialists).1% \$17.79 \$22.55 \$28.51
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ARCHITECTURE AND ENGINEERING JOBS

Civil Engineers	. 11	. 0.2%	. \$28.09	. \$36.36	. \$45.89
Electrical Engineers	3	. 0.1%	. \$32.39	. \$41.72	. \$52.34
Architectural and Civil Drafters	5	. 0.1%	. \$20.42	. \$22.54	. \$29.96

LIFE, PHYSICAL, AND SOCIAL SCIENCE OCCUPATIONS

ARTS. DESIGN, ENTERTAINMENT, SPORTS, AND MEDIA OCCUPATIONS

Four County Region	Number	Percentage	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile
	of Workers	of Workforce	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage

BUILDING AND GROUNDS CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE OCCUPATIONS

Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids					
and Housekeeping Cleaners	10	. 0.2%	. \$10.84	. \$13.05	. \$16.67
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	10	. 0.2%	. \$12.85	. \$14.73	. \$17.76

SALES AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS

Retail Salespersons		. \$10.82\$12.79\$14.37
Sales Representatives of Services, Except Advertising,		
Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	. 43 1.0%	. \$18.66\$29.56\$44.94
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Exce	pt	
Technical and Scientific Products	. 10 0.2%	. \$22.93\$30.15\$40.58
Real Estate Sales Agents		. \$14.54\$22.51\$42.56

OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Office and				
Administrative Support Workers	19	0.4%	\$18.67	. \$24.02 \$30.32
Billing and Posting Clerks	5	0.1%	\$14.29	. \$17.46 \$21.12
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	57	1.3%	\$14.67	. \$18.02 \$22.37
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	5	0.1%	\$16.74	. \$19.01 \$22.90
Customer Service Representatives	11	0.2%	\$14.09	. \$17.82 \$22.22
Receptionists and Information Clerks	9	0.2%	\$11.45	. \$13.67 \$16.49
Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	8	0.2%	\$14.82	. \$19.24 \$22.66
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	5	0.1%	\$21.30	. \$23.57 \$29.78
Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks	5	0.1%	\$14.48	. \$16.60 \$21.79
Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assist	ants 3	0.1%	\$18.92	. \$22.43 \$28.97
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants,				
Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	33	0.7%	\$13.41	. \$14.84 \$17.73
Office Clerks, General		4.3%	\$13.61	. \$14.74 \$18.57

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Four County Region	Number	Percentage	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile
	of Workers	of Workforce	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage	Hourly Wage

CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Construction Trades		
	. 272 6.2% \$20.91 \$27.65 \$3	
1	.4119.4%\$15.73\$21.57\$2	
Carpet Installers	4\$13.57\$19.12\$2	23.99
Floor Layers, Except Carpet, Wood, and Hard Tiles	$\dots 6.\dots 0.1\% \dots \$14.73\dots \$20.07\dots \2	27.99
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Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	. 139 3.2% \$18.07 \$22.78 \$2	27.50
Construction Laborers	. 643 14.7% \$13.39 \$16.92 \$2	22.15
Paving, Surfacing, and Tamping Equipment Operators	18	28.72
Operating Engineers and Other		
Construction Equipment Operators	.239\$18.08\$23.33\$3	31.07
Drywall and Ceiling Tile Installers	25	24.19
Electricians.	.435	33.22
Glaziers	15	26.70
Insulation Workers, Floor, Ceiling, and Wall		20.55
Insulation Workers, Mechanical		24.36
Painters, Construction and Maintenance	. 123 2.8% \$12.59 \$15.81 \$2	21.41
Pipelayers		35.57
	. 191 4.4% \$16.98 \$22.51 \$3	
Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers		36.09
6		
Sheet Metal Workers		30.02
Structural Iron and Steel Workers		28.35
HelpersBrickmasons, Blockmasons, Stonemasons,		
•		15.89
HelpersCarpenters	14	20.30
HelpersPipelayers, Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitte	rs8	17.11
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Excavating and Loading Machine and		-
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	100.2%\$16.53\$20.41\$2	
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Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage	75th Percentile Hourly Wage

INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics, Installers, and Repairers41 0.9% \$22.99 \$29.52 \$37.43
Telecommunications Equipment Installers and Repairers,
Except Line Installers \$22.75 \$27.23
Audiovisual Equipment Installers and Repairers77
Security and Fire Alarm Systems Installers
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists50.1%\$18.46\$22.23\$23.92
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines 17 0.4% \$19.15 \$23.73 \$28.83
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics
and Installers \$21.74 \$27.96
Industrial Machinery Mechanics \$29.71
Millwrights \$23.72 \$29.31 \$32.00
Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers
Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers 20 9.5% \$13.40 \$17.96 \$26.15
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General
Riggers
HelpersInstallation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers 9 0.2% \$11.06 \$13.55 \$16.95
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other80.2%\$14.05\$16.81\$18.75

PRODUCTION OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Worke	rs. 3	. 0.1%	. \$23.11	. \$29.19	. \$36.76
Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	6	. 0.1%	. \$14.61	. \$18.16	. \$23.26
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	. 14	. 0.3%	. \$17.03	. \$18.71	. \$22.20
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	3	. 0.1%	. \$17.06	. \$18.47	. \$22.82

TRANSPORTATION AND MATERIAL MOVING OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers,

Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	4	0.1%	\$18.54	\$23.30	\$29.79
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	62	1.4%	\$18.15	\$22.83	\$27.44
Light Truck Drivers	9	0.2%	\$12.18	\$17.67	\$22.37
Crane and Tower Operators	8	0.2%	\$19.33	\$23.76	\$29.55
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	28	0.6%	\$14.43	\$17.08	\$18.59
Stockers and Order Fillers	6	0.1%	\$11.23	\$13.60	\$16.31





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PAID TIME OFF

HOLIDAYS

Percentage of those companies offering these common holidays	
New Year's Eve	
New Year's Day	
Martin Luther King Jr	
Lincoln's Birthday	
President's Day	
Washington's Birthday	
Good Friday	
Memorial Day	
Independence Day	
Labor Day	
Columbus Day	
Election Day	
Floating Holiday	
Veterans' Day	
Thanksgiving Day	
Day After Thanksgiving	
Christmas Eve	
Christmas Day	
Other	

COMBINED PAID TIME OFF

Percentage of companies that combine vacation, sick and personal days	0%	0%
Average number of PTO days offered first year	N/A	N/A
Typical number of PTO days offered first year	N/A	N/A
Average number of carryover days per year	N/A	N/A
How Paid Time Off is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered	d)N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered	l)N/A	N/A

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)		
VACATION		
Percentage of all companies that offer paid vacation		100%
How soon after hire may employee take paid vacation?		
One to 30 days		100%
One to three months		
Three to six months	100%	
Six months to one year		
After 1 year		
Number of days offered		
Average number of paid vacation days offered in first year:	5	5
Typical number of vacation days offered in first year:		5
How vacation time is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	1	1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	1	First Year
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days		1
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	5	
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	5	5
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		10
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)		10
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (whe	en offered) 15	15
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (whe	en offered) 20	

PERSONAL DAYS

Percentage of companies offering paid personal days	 . 100%
Average number of personal days offered per year	 3
Typical number of personal days offered in first year:	 5

How soon after hire may employee take personal day?

One to 30 days	0%
One to three months	100%
Three to six months	0%
Six months to one year	0%
After 1 year	

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

BEREAVEMENT LEAVE

Percentage of companies offering paid bereavement leave	100%	100%
Average number of bereavement days offered annually		3
Typical number of bereavement days offered annually		3

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	100%	100%
One to three months		0%
Three to six months		
Six months to year		0%
After one year		

COMPENSATION DURING JURY SERVICE

Percentage of companies that pay employees during jury service	. 0%	0%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages plus payment from court	. 0%	0%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages minus payment from court	. 0%	0%
Percentage where employee receives only payment from court 1	00%	100%

ILLNESS DAYS

Percentage of companies that offer paid illness days		0%
Average number of paid illness days offered annually	N/A	N/A
Typical number of paid illness days offered per year		
Average maximum number of illness days that may be accumulated	N/A	N/A
Typical number of paid illness days that may be accumulated	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year.	N/A	N/A
After 1 year		
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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Family Medical Leave		100%
Average number of weeks paid	0	0
Typical number of weeks paid	0	0
Average number of weeks unpaid		12
Typical number of weeks unpaid		0

MATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Maternity Leave	0%	0%
Average number of weeks paid	0	0
Typical number of weeks paid	0	0
Average number of weeks unpaid	0	0
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0	0

PATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Paternity Leave	0%	0%
Average number of weeks paid		0
Typical number of weeks paid		0
Average number of weeks unpaid		0
Typical number of weeks unpaid		0

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HEALTH RELATED BENEFITS

HEALTH INSURANCE OFFERED

Percentage of companies offering health insurance to employees	0%	
Percentage of those offering health insurance to families and children	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies reporting as self-insured	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies reporting indemnity insurance	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies that offer a single plan	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies that offer multiple plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies offering traditional plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies offering high-deductible plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies considering dropping health plan in coming year	N/A	N/A

HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AND HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Percentage of companies offering only HSA or HRA plans.		0%
Percentage of companies offering optional HSA or HRA plan		
Percentage of companies with no HSA or HRA plan		
Average company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	N/A	N/A
For family plan		
Typical company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	N/A	N/A
For family plan		
Average annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense single	N/A	N/A
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
Typical annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense single	N/A	N/A
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
WELLNESS INCENTIVE		
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Percentage of companies that offer a wellness incentive	0%	0%
Average amount that may be earned	N/A	N/A
Typical amount that may be earned	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS		
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES		
Traditional Plans		
Percentage of self-insured companies offering traditional plans		
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to year		
After one year		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage		
Employee and spouse		
Employee and child		
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse		
Employee and child		
Family	N/A	N/A
Deductibles		
Average annual deductible per person	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible per person	N/A	N/A
Average annual deductible per family	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A	N/A
Copays and Limits		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance		
Average copay for physician office visit.		
Typical copay for physician office visit		
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage		
Typical out of pocket limit		••••••••••••••••
	NT/A	NT/A
Single coverage		
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES		
High-Deductible Plan		
Percentage of self-insured companies offering a high deductible plan		
Percentage that offer family coverage	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to year		
After one year		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Deductibles		
Average annual deductible per person		
Typical annual deductible per person.		
Average annual deductible per family.		
Typical annual deductible per family		
Copays and Limits		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Average copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Typical copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A
Typical out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A

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INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES Traditional Plans Percentage of Indemnity insured companies offering a traditional plan	HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
Percentage of Indemnity insured companies offering a traditional plan .0%	INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES		
Percentage that offer family coverage .N/A N/A N/A How soon after hire is employee eligible? .N/A N/A N/A One to 30 days .N/A N/A N/A Three to six months .N/A N/A N/A Six months to year. .N/A N/A N/A Average monthly premium paid by employee for:	Traditional Plans		
Percentage that offer family coverage .N/A N/A N/A How soon after hire is employee eligible? .N/A N/A N/A One to 30 days .N/A N/A N/A Three to six months .N/A N/A N/A Six months to year. .N/A N/A N/A Average monthly premium paid by employee for:	Percentage of Indemnity insured companies offering a traditional plan	. 0%	0%
One to 30 days N/A N/A One to three months N/A N/A Are to six months N/A N/A Aire or or year N/A N/A After one year N/A N/A Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage. N/A N/A Employee and spouse N/A N/A N/A Family N/A N/A N/A Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee N/A N/A Employee and spouse N/A N/A N/A Employee and spouse N/A N/A N/A Employee only coverage. N/A N/A N/A Employee and spouse N/A N/A N			
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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
INDEMNITY INSURED COMPANIES		
High-Deductible Plan		
Percentage of indemnity insured companies offering a high-deductible plan	. 0%	
Percentage that offer family coverage		
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months		
Six months to year		
After one year		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage		
Employee and spouse		
Employee and child		
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage		
Employee and spouse		
Employee and child		
Family	N/A	N/A
Deductibles		
Average annual deductible per person	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible per person		
Average annual deductible per family		
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A	N/A
Copays and Limits		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance		
Average copay for physician office visit		
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Average out of pocket limit	1 1/11	
Single coverage	N/A	NI/A
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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)

PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFIT

Percentage of all companies where insurance covers prescription drugs	N/A	N/A
Retail copay when paying dollars		
What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A

Mail order copay when paying dollars

What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	N/A	N/A

Retail copay when paying a percentage

What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?		

Mail order copay when paying a percentage

What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
DENTAL INSURANCE		
Percentage of all companies that offer a dental plan Percentage of those plans that cover orthodontia		
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days after hire:	N/A	N/A
One to three months after hire	N/A	N/A
Three to six months after hire:	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year after hire:	N/A	N/A
Deductibles and Limits		
Average annual deductible	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible	N/A	N/A
Average annual limit single coverage:	N/A	N/A
Typical annual limit single coverage	N/A	N/A
Average annual limit family coverage:	N/A	N/A
Typical annual limit family coverage	N/A	N/A
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Percentage of Costs Covered		
Average of preventive costs covered		
Typical percentage of preventive costs covered	N/A	N/A
Average of basic costs covered	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of basic costs covered	N/A	N/A
Average of major costs covered	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of major costs covered	N/A	N/A

HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)

VISION INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering a separate vision plan	0%	0%
Percentage of those plans that cover glasses/contacts		
Percentage of those plans that cover LASIK or similar procedures	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After first year	N/A	N/A
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A

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FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES

LIFE INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering life insurance.	. N/A	N/A
Percentage of those plans that pay a set dollar amount	N/A	. N/A
Percentage of those plans that pay a percentage of salary	N/A	. N/A

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After 1 year		

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a short-term disability benefit	0%	0%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	N/A	N/A
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	N/A	N/A
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After first year		

LONG TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a Long-Term Disability benefit	0%	0%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability		
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability		
Average number of weeks employee receives payment		
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment.		

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year.	N/A	N/A
After first year		
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COMMISSIONS AND INCENTIVES		
Percentage of employers that pay commission on sales, contracts or the Average percentage of compensation that comes from commission		0%
PROFIT SHARING AND BONUSES		
Percentage of companies that offer profit-sharing or performance ince	ntives 0%	0%
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After 1 year	N/A	N/A
Percentage where incentives are team based	N/A	N/A
Percentage where incentives are individually based		
BONUS POOL		
Percentage of employers who have a bonus pool		
Average annual amount per employee	N/A	N/A
REFERRAL BONUS		
Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus		0%
RETENTION BONUS		
Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus		
When is employee eligible?	After six months A	After one year

SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL

Percentage of companies with more than one shift0%	Ś
Percentage that pay a shift differentialN/A	١
Average hourly differential for second shift	١
Average hourly differential for third shiftN/A	L

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RETIREMENT

COMPANY FUNDED PENSION

Percentage of companies that offer traditional pension plan	 0%
Percentage of companies where the employee also contributes	
Average age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	
Typical age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	

401(K) AND SIMILAR PLANS

Percentage of companies that offer a 401(k)/403(b) plan	100%	
Average percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund		
Typical percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	100%	
Percentage of companies where the employer contributes	100%	
Average percentage of contribution the employer matches		
Typical percentage of contribution the employer matches		
Average percentage of contribution the company matches	100% of the first 3%	
Percentage of companies where the match is guaranteed	50%	
Percentage of companies where the match is intended	50%	

How soon after hire is employee eligible to participate?

One to 30 days	50%	50%
One to three months		50%
Three to six months	50%	50%
Six months to a year		0%
After one year		0%

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OTHER INCENTIVES

WORKPLACE

Percentage of companies that offer these workplace benefits		
Casual dress day (one per week)	N/A	N/A
Casual dress (every day)	N/A	N/A
Child day care services	N/A	N/A
Child care subsidy	N/A	N/A
Compressed work week	N/A	N/A
Discounted product purchases	N/A	N/A
Employee assistance programs	N/A	N/A
Emergency/sick child care	N/A	N/A
English as second language assistance	N/A	N/A
Fitness center membership subsidy	N/A	N/A
Fitness center on site	N/A	N/A
Flex time	N/A	N/A
Flexible spending account	N/A	N/A
Job sharing	N/A	N/A
Informal recognition program	N/A	N/A
Open communication policy	N/A	N/A
Scholarships-employees/spouses/children	N/A	N/A
Smoking cessation programs	N/A	N/A
Smoke-free work environment	N/A	N/A
Telecommuting	N/A	N/A
Transit subsidy	N/A	N/A
Tutoring-employees/spouses/children	N/A	N/A
Wellness program, resources and information	N/A	N/A
Other	N/A	N/A

COST OF BENEFITS

Cost of benefits as percentage of wages	N/A
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HIRING AND LAYOFFS

CHANGES IN STAFFING PRECEDING YEAR

Hiring Percentage of companies that added workers in preceding six months N/A
Total number of employees added in preceding six monthsN/A
Average number of employees added in preceding six months
Layoffs
Percentage of companies that laid off employees in preceding six months N/A
Total number of employees laid off in preceding six monthsN/A
Average number of employees laid off in preceding six monthsN/A

EXPECTED CHANGES IN STAFFING IN 2023

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers later in 2023 N/A
Total anticipated increase later 2021N/A
Average anticipated increase later in 2023N/A
Layoffs
Percentage of companies expecting layoffs later in 2023 N/A
Total anticipated layoffs later in 2023N/A
Average anticipated layoffs later in 2023N/A
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating neither hiring nor layoffs in 2023 N/A
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2023N/A

EXPE TED CHANGES IN STAFFING IN 2024

Hiring

Percentage of companies adding workers in 2024 N/A
Total anticipated increase in 2024N/A
Average anticipated increase in 2024N/A
Layoffs
Percentage of companies anticipating layoffs in 2024 N/A
Total anticipated layoffs in 2024N/A
Average anticipated layoff in2022N/A
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating no change in 2024 N/A
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2024

ANNUAL TURNOVER

Average annual turnover as percentage of employees	N/A
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RECRUITING

Where employers recruit new workers

Employment agencies	N/A
Indiana Career Connect	N/A
Job fairs	N/A
Newspapers	N/A
Online	N/A
Referrals	N/A

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Layuoffs	0%
Furloughs	0%
Delay filling openings	0%
More flexible work from home policies	0%
Employment has grown	0%

COVID-19 Vaccine policies

Employees are required to be vaccinated	0%
Financial incentives offered to encourage vaccination	0%

Hourly

Four County West Region

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

MOST NEEDED SKILLS

Employers who say these abilities are most needed in workforce
Good work ethic
Welding
Communication
Attention to qulity/detail
Read and write English
CNC machinist
Customer service
People skills
Teamwork
Math
Accounting
Leadership/Project management

NEEDED TECHNICAL SKILLS

Employers who say these tech skills are most needed in workforce

Office
Outlook
Excel
AutoCAD
SAP
CAM
Computer/Internet
Machinist
Welding
Specialized to position

MINIMUM EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Employers who set these minimum education requirements No degree required N/A High school or GED diploma N/A Some college N/A Associates degree N/A Bachelors degree N/A Graduate degree N/A Professional degree N/A Professional certification N/A

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

EMPLOYERS FIND THESE POSITIONS MOST DIFFICULT TO FILL

Off-shift openings
Programmers
EngineersN/A
Machinists
Maintenance
Skilled laborN/A
Unskilled laborN/A
Management
OtherN/A
MechanicalN/A
Skilled trades

SALARY OUTLOOK

PAY INCREASES

In 2022/2023

Percentage of companies giving pay raises in preceding 12 months N	N/A
Average raise given in preceding 12 months	N/A
Typical raise given in preceding 12 months	N/A

In 2023/2024

Percentage of companies planning pay raises in next 12 months N	J∕A
Average raise planned in next 12 monthsN	J/A
Typical increase planned in next 12 monthsN	J/A

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION	
TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT	
Percentage of companies with training and education be	nefits0%
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to one year.	
After 1 year	N/AN/AN/A
TUITION ASSISTANCE	
Percentage of companies offering tuition assistance	
Percentage that require classes be job related to receive tuition	
Average percent of tuition reimbursement	N/AN/AN/A
Percentage of companies that offer in-house skills and c Percentage of companies that offer in-house career developm MENTORING	
Percentage of companies with formal mentoring program	n 0% 00
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IN-HOUSE TRAINING	
Percentage of companies where training is done in-house	e
OFF-SITE TRAINING	
OFF-SITE TRAINING Percentage of companies where training is done off-site.	
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Percentage of companies where training is done off-site. ORIENTATION Percentage of companies that offer orientation for new e	employees 0%

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Four County West Region	Hourly	Salary
SUBSTANCE SCREENING		
DRUG TESTING		
Percentage of companies that conduct drug screening	0%	
Which screening protocol is used?		
Five panel	N/A	
Seven panel	N/A	
DOT	N/A	
Other	N/A	
Percentage of those companies that require new applicants to pass	N/A	N/A
Current employees are screened		
Randomly	N/A	N/A
After incident/injury	N/A	N/A
For cause		

MARIJUANA TESTING

Percentage of companies that test for marijuana use	N/A
Percentage of companies that make allowance for prescription	N/A

When are tests done?

As part of hiring process	N/A
For cause or after incident	N/A

Leisure, Retail, Hospitality and Restaurants



NORTHEAST INDIANA 2023 FOUR COUNTY WEST REGION

WAGES AND BENEFITS SURVEY



Leisure, Hospitality, Retail, and Restaurants

Includes retail trade, arts, entertainment and recreation, accommodation and food services.

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Leisure, Hospitality, Retail and Restaurants

Northeast Indiana Wages: Leisure, Hospitality, Retail, Restaurants

Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
	1.9%	\$28.21	\$39.12	\$61.14
3	0.0%	\$36.32	\$46.78	\$73.00
	0.2%	\$36.59	\$47.28	\$68.51
4	0.0%	\$28.60	\$36.30	\$47.08
4	0.0%	\$16.36	\$20.26	\$32.05
	of Workers	of Workers of Workforce	of Workers of Workforce Hourly Wage	

BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OCCUPATIONS

Buyers and Purchasing Agents	19		\$22.04	\$24.27	\$31.86
Human Resources Specialists	16	0.1%	\$18.72	\$23.65	\$30.42
Meeting, Convention, and Event Planners	8	0.1%	\$13.80	\$15.65	\$23.32
Fundraisers	4	0.0%	\$17.60	\$22.67	\$34.89
Training and Development Specialists	9	0.1%	\$19.67	\$24.60	\$34.94
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists .	22	0.2%	\$18.95	\$23.69	\$31.08
Business Operations Specialists, All Other	7	0.1%	\$22.33	\$29.22	\$36.63
Accountants and Auditors	23	0.2%	\$23.18	\$29.93	\$39.01
Loan Officers	6	0.0%	\$17.87	\$28.56	\$39.48

COMPUTER AND MATHEMATICAL OCCUPATIONS

Computer User Support Specialists	.7	. 0.0%	. \$17.79	. \$22.55	. \$28.51
Software Developers	. 4	. 0.0%	. \$31.78	. \$40.54	. \$51.16

EDUCATIONAL INSTRUCTION AND LIBRARY OCCUPATIONS

Self-Enrichment Teachers	. 13	0.1%	. \$11.41	\$16.84	\$22.91
Curators	. 15	0.1%	. \$19.54	\$21.88	\$31.77

ARTS. DESIGN, ENTERTAINMENT, SPORTS, AND MEDIA OCCUPATIONS

Floral Designers	18	0.1%	\$10.38 \$12.73 \$13.97
Graphic Designers	5		\$17.06 \$19.33 \$23.28
Interior Designers	8		\$20.65 \$23.07 \$25.34
Merchandise Displayers and Window Trimmers			\$14.56 \$15.41 \$19.66
Producers and Directors	4	0.0%	\$22.88 \$32.25 \$42.66
Coaches and Scouts	29		\$10.29 \$13.57 \$17.95
Musicians and Singers	8	0.1%	\$16.06 \$22.81 \$31.45
Public Relations Specialists	3	0.0%	\$18.12 \$23.13 \$29.63
Audio and Video Technicians	6	0.0%	\$11.94 \$15.38 \$19.29

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentil Hourly Wage
HEALTHCARE PRACTITIONERS AN	D TECHNIC	AL OCCUP	PATIONS		
Pharmacists	146	1.0%	\$13.63	\$14.20)\$16.7
HEALTHCARE AND SUPPORT OCCU	UPATIONS				
Pharmacy Aides	9	0.1%	\$10.13	\$10.90)\$12.1
PROTECTIVE SERVICE OCCUPATIO	DNS				
First-Line Supervisors of Security Workers Security Guards		0.2%	\$12.37	\$14.87	· \$19.0
FOOD PREPARATION AND SERVIN	G RELATED	0 C C U P A 1	IONS		
Chefs and Head Cooks First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers Cooks, Fast Food Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria Cooks, Restaurant Cooks, Short Order Cooks, All Other Food Preparation Workers Bartenders Fast Food and Counter Workers Waiters and Waitresses Food Servers, Nonrestaurant Dining Room and Cafeteria Attendants and Bartender Helpers Dishwashers		3.5% 2.4% 0.3% 4.0% 0.3% 1.8% 1.4% 6.2% 0.2%	\$13.47 \$8.43 \$11.07 \$11.44 \$8.67 \$11.07 \$9.37 \$8.90 \$8.84 \$8.58 \$9.40 \$8.75	\$15.31 \$9.80 \$13.12 \$13.15 \$10.17 \$13.68 \$11.12 \$10.21 \$10.18 \$9.49 \$11.10	\$18.2 \$10.8 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$14.2 \$15.0 \$12.0 \$13.9 \$13.9 \$13.6 \$12.6 \$11.7 \$13.2 \$13.3 \$13.3 \$11.5
Hosts and Hostesses, Restaurant, Lounge, and Coffee Shop					

BUILDING AND GROUNDS CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Housekeeping		
and Janitorial Workers	9 0.1%	. \$14.36\$20.46\$22.74
First-Line Supervisors of Landscaping, Lawn Service,		
and Groundskeeping Workers	8 0.1%	. \$17.95\$23.25\$28.39

Northeast Indiana Wages: Leisure, Hospitality, Retail, Restaurants

Northeast Indiana Wages: Leisure, Hospitality, Retail and Restaurants

Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids					
and Housekeeping Cleaners		0.9% .	\$10.84	\$13.05	5 \$16.67
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	93.	0.7% .	\$9.90	\$11.60	5 \$13.37
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers		0.6% .	\$12.85	\$14.73	3 \$17.76

PERSONAL CARE AND SERVICE OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Entertainment and Recreation Workers,

Except Gambling Services	9	0.1%	\$12.96	\$14.71 \$20.83
First-Line Supervisors of Personal Service Workers	7	0.1%	\$16.05	\$17.87 \$22.13
Animal Caretakers	27	0.2%	\$10.08	\$10.79 \$13.37
Ushers, Lobby Attendants, and Ticket Takers	11	0.1%	\$7.40	\$8.61 \$9.66
Amusement and Recreation Attendants	72	0.5%	\$7.76	\$9.76\$12.26
Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	14	0.1%	\$10.51	\$13.46\$17.45
Baggage Porters and Bellhops		0.0%	\$9.73	\$10.27 \$11.17
Tour and Travel Guides		0.0%	\$9.08	\$10.72 \$13.15
Childcare Workers	9	0.1%	\$8.44	\$10.45 \$13.87
Exercise Trainers and Group Fitness Instructors	42	0.3%	\$11.02	\$13.10 \$17.38
Recreation Workers	26	0.2%	\$8.79	\$10.58 \$13.50

SALES AND RELATED OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	489	. 3.5%	\$14.12\$17.99\$22.95
First-Line Supervisors of Non-Retail Sales Workers	7	. 0.0%	\$19.25\$32.23\$46.37
Cashiers1	592	11.4%	. \$8.72\$10.76\$11.39
Counter and Rental Clerks	. 43	. 0.3%	. \$8.84\$13.37\$16.69
Parts Salespersons	108	. 0.8%	\$13.50\$14.43\$18.11
Retail Salespersons	579	11.3%	\$10.82\$12.79\$14.37
Sales Representatives of Services, Except			
Advertising, Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	. 82	. 0.6%	\$18.66\$29.56\$44.94
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing,			
Except Technical and Scientific Products	. 34	. 0.2%	\$22.93\$30.15\$40.58
Demonstrators and Product Promoters	5	. 0.0%	\$11.20\$13.20\$14.56
Door-to-Door Sales Workers, News and Street Vendors,			
and Related Workers	. 23	. 0.2%	. \$4.61 \$9.93 \$18.23
Sales and Related Workers, All Other	. 88	. 0.6%	\$13.03\$14.31\$15.26

OFFICE AND ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative				
Support Workers	82	0.6%	\$18.67	\$24.02 \$30.32
Billing and Posting Clerks	8	0.1%	\$14.29	\$17.46 \$21.12
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	87	0.6%	\$14.67	\$18.02 \$22.37
Customer Service Representatives	211	1.5%	\$14.09	\$17.82 \$22.22
Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	98	0.7%	\$10.17	\$11.76 \$12.15

Four County Region	Number of Workers	Percentage of Workforce	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		75th Percentile Hourly Wage
	21	0.20/	¢12.55	¢14.20	¢10.(1
Order Clerks					
Receptionists and Information Clerks		0.2%	\$11.45	\$13.67	· \$16.49
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks		0.0%	\$21.30	\$23.57	\$29.78
Shipping, Receiving, and Inventory Clerks		0.8%	\$14.48	\$16.60	\$21.79
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants,					
Except Legal, Medical, and Executive		0.2%	\$13.41	\$14.84	\$17.73
Office Clerks, General		1.2%	\$13.61	\$14.74	\$18.57
FARMING, FISHING, AND FORESTRY	Y OCCUPA	TIONS			
Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Gre	enhouse 12	0.1%	\$10.10	\$12.60	\$16.92

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CONSTRUCTION AND EXTRACTION OCCUPATIONS

INSTALLATION, MAINTENANCE, AND REPAIR OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Mechanics,
Installers, and Repairers
Computer, Automated Teller, and Office Machine
Repairers
Electronic Equipment Installers and Repairers,
Motor Vehicles\$17.80\$20.30
Audiovisual Equipment Installers and Repairers
Automotive Body and Related Repairers 10 10 0.1% \$16.48 \$21.25 \$23.89
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists80.1%\$18.46\$22.23\$23.92
Motorboat Mechanics and Service Technicians
Motorcycle Mechanics
Outdoor Power Equipment and Other
Small Engine Mechanics \$17.48 \$20.9
Recreational Vehicle Service Technicians
Tire Repairers and Changers\$13.23\$13.94
Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration
Mechanics and Installers
Home Appliance Repairers
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General
Coin, Vending, and Amusement Machine
Servicers and Repairers
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other60.0% \$14.05\$16.81 \$18.7

Northeast Indiana Wages: Leisure, Hospitality, Retail and Restaurants

Four County Region	Number of Workers	0	25th Percentile Hourly Wage		
PRODUCTION OCCUPATIONS					
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operation	ing Workers14.	0.1% .	\$23.11	\$29.19	9 \$36.76

Miscellaneous Assemblers and Fabricators	17	0.1%	\$14.61 \$18.16 \$23.26
Bakers	20	0.1%	\$10.24 \$12.83 \$14.30
Butchers and Meat Cutters	57	0.4%	\$11.52 \$13.16 \$16.73
Meat, Poultry, and Fish Cutters and Trimmers	7	0.0%	\$13.06 \$15.86 \$16.00
Food Batchmakers	8	0.1%	\$14.54 \$18.02 \$21.23
Food Processing Workers, All Other	4	0.0%	\$13.23 \$16.52 \$17.44
Laundry and Dry-Cleaning Workers	7	0.1%	\$10.38 \$11.33 \$13.73
Sewing Machine Operators	3	0.0%	\$11.88 \$13.60 \$16.61
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	8	0.1%	\$17.06\$18.47\$22.82
Jewelers and Precious Stone and Metal Workers	21	0.2%	\$18.32 \$21.12 \$24.29
Photographic Process Workers			
and Processing Machine Operators	11	0.1%	\$15.11 \$17.80 \$19.66

TRANSPORTATION AND MATERIAL MOVING OCCUPATIONS

First-Line Supervisors of Transportation and Material Moving Workers,

This Line Supervisors of Hunsportation and Material IV	0,1118,1101	incit,	
Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisors	64)
Driver/Sales Workers	146	1.0% \$8.39 \$8.81 \$17.95	5
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	35		í
Light Truck Drivers			7
Shuttle Drivers and Chauffeurs	16		3
Motor Vehicle Operators, All Other			3
Parking Attendants.			
Automotive and Watercraft Service Attendants	36		3
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	15		7
Cleaners of Vehicles and Equipment	44		5
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and			
Material Movers, Hand	208	1.5% \$14.43 \$17.08 \$18.59)
Packers and Packagers, Hand	64		4
Stockers and Order Fillers	659		1



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PAID TIME OFF

HOLIDAYS

Percentage of companies offering paid holidays	 0%
Typical number of paid holidays offered annually	
Percentage of those companies offering these common holidays	
New Year's Eve	
New Year's Day	
Martin Luther King Jr	
Lincoln's Birthday	
President's Day.	
Washington's Birthday	
Good Friday	
Memorial Day	
Independence Day	
Labor Day	
Columbus Day	
Election Day	
Floating Holiday	
Veterans' Day	
Thanksgiving Day	
Day After Thanksgiving	
Christmas Eve	
Christmas Day	
Other	

COMBINED PAID TIME OFF

Percentage of companies that combine vacation, sick and personal days
Average number of PTO days offered first year0
Typical number of PTO days offered first year
Average number of carryover days per year0
How Paid Time Off is earned
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days First Year
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days1
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days1
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered) 10
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when offered)15

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)		
VACATION		
Percentage of all companies that offer paid vacation		0%
How soon after hire may employee take paid vacation?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After 1 year	N/A	N/A
Number of days offered		
Average number of paid vacation days offered in first year:	N/A	N/A
Typical number of vacation days offered in first year:	N/A	N/A
How vacation time is earned		
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 5 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 10 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 15 days	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn 20 days (when offered)	N/A	N/A
Average number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when o	offered)N/A	N/A
Typical number of years that must be worked to earn more than 20 days (when or	ffered)N/A	N/A

Percentage of companies offering paid personal days		0%
Average number of personal days offered per year	N/A	N/A
Typical number of personal days offered in first year:	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire may employee take personal day?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After 1 year	N/A	N/A

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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

BEREAVEMENT LEAVE

Percentage of companies offering paid bereavement leave	100%	100%
Average number of bereavement days offered annually		3
Typical number of bereavement days offered annually		3

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days		
One to three months	100% .	100%
Three to six months		0%
Six months to year		0%
After one year		0%

COMPENSATION DURING JURY SERVICE

Percentage of companies that pay employees during jury service		0%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages plus payment from court	100%	0%
Percentage of those that pay regular wages minus payment from court		0%
Percentage where employee receives only payment from court		100%

ILLNESS DAYS

Percentage of companies that offer paid illness days	0%	0%
Average number of paid illness days offered annually	N/A	N/A
Typical number of paid illness days offered per year		
Average maximum number of illness days that may be accumulated		
Typical number of paid illness days that may be accumulated	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After 1 year	N/A	N/A
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PAID TIME OFF (continued)

FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Family Medical Leave	
Average number of weeks paid	0
Typical number of weeks paid	0
Average number of weeks unpaid	
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0

MATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Maternity Leave		100%
Average number of weeks paid		
Typical number of weeks paid		0
Average number of weeks unpaid		0
Typical number of weeks unpaid	0	0

PATERNITY LEAVE

Percentage of companies that offer Paternity Leave	 100%
Average number of weeks paid	 0
Typical number of weeks paid	 0
Average number of weeks unpaid	
Typical number of weeks unpaid	 0

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HEALTH RELATED BENEFITS

HEALTH INSURANCE OFFERED

Percentage of companies offering health insurance to employees	0%	0%
Percentage of those offering health insurance to families and children	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies reporting as self-insured	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies reporting indemnity insurance	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies that offer a single plan	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies that offer multiple plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies offering traditional plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies offering high-deductible plans	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies considering dropping health plan in coming year	N/A	N/A

HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNTS AND HEALTH REIMBURSEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Percentage of companies offering only HSA or HRA plans		0%
Percentage of companies offering optional HSA or HRA plan		
Percentage of companies with no HSA or HRA plan		
Average company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	N/A	N/A
For family plan	N/A	N/A
Typical company contribution to HSA/HRA account		
For employee only plan	N/A	N/A
For family plan		
Average annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense single	N/A	N/A
Average maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
Typical annual out of pocket limit with HSA/HRA plan		
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense single	N/A	N/A
Typical maximum annual out of pocket expense family		
WELLNESS INCENTIVE		
Percentage of companies that offer a wellness incentive	0%	0%

Percentage of companies that offer a wellness incentive	0%	0%
Average amount that may be earned	N/A	N/A
Typical amount that may be earned	N/A	N/A

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 HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS
 SELF-INSURED COMPANIES

 SELF-INSURED COMPANIES
 Fraditional Plans

 Percentage of self-insured companies offering traditional plans
 0%
 .0%

 Percentage that offer family coverage
 .N/A
 .N/A

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to year	N/A	N/A
After one year		

Average monthly premium paid by employee for:

Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family		

Deductibles

Average annual deductible per person	N/A	. N/A
Typical annual deductible per person	N/A	. N/A
Average annual deductible per family	N/A	. N/A
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A	. N/A

Copays and Limits

Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Average copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Typical copay for physician office visit	N/A	N/A
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A
Typical out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
SELF-INSURED COMPANIES		
High-Deductible Plan		
Percentage of selfinsured companies offering traditional plans	0%	0%
Percentage that offer family coverage	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to year	N/A	N/A
After one year	N/A	N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee		
Employee-only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Deductibles		
Average annual deductible per person	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible per person	N/A	N/A
Average annual deductible per family	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A	N/A
Copays and Limits		
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance		
Average copay for physician office visit		
Typical copay for physician office visit		
Average out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage		
Typical out of pocket limit		
Single coverage	N/A	N/A
Family Coverage	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS	
INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES	
Traditional Plans	
Percentage of indemnity-insured companies offering traditional plans	. 0%
Percentage that offer family coverage	
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	.N/A N/A
One to three months	.N/A N/A
Three to six months	.N/A N/A
Six months to year	.N/A N/A
After one year	.N/A N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:	
Employee only coverage	N/A N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A N/A
Employee and child	N/A N/A
Family	N/A N/A
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee	
Employee-only coverage	N/A N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A N/A
Employee and child	N/A N/A
Family	N/A N/A
Deductibles	
Average annual deductible per person	N/A N/A
Typical annual deductible per person	N/A N/A
Average annual deductible per family	N/A N/A
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A N/A
Copays and Limits	
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A N/A
Average copay for physician office visit.	N/A N/A
Typical copay for physician office visit	
Average out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	N/A N/A
Family Coverage	N/A N/A
Typical out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	N/A N/A
Family Coverage	N/A N/A

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INDEMNITY-INSURED COMPANIES	
High-Deductible Plan Percentage of indemnity-insured companies offering high deductible plans Percentage that offer family coverage	
How soon after hire is employee eligible?	
One to 30 days	.N/A N/A
One to three months	
Three to six months	
Six months to year	.N/A N/A
After one year	
Average monthly promium noid by ampleyee for	
Average monthly premium paid by employee for: Employee only coverage	N/A N/A
Employee and spouse.	
Employee and child	
Family	
Average monthly cost paid by employer for each employee	10/11
Employee-only coverage.	N/A N/A
Employee and spouse.	
Employee and child	
Family	
Deductibles	
Average annual deductible per person	
Typical annual deductible per person	
Average annual deductible per family	
Typical annual deductible per family	N/A N/A
Copays and Limits	
Average percentage of costs covered by insurance	N/A N/A
Typical percentage of costs covered by insurance	
Average copay for physician office visit.	
Typical copay for physician office visit	
Average out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	N/A N/A
Family Coverage	N/A N/A
Typical out of pocket limit	
Single coverage	N/A N/A
Family Coverage	N/A N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
PRESCRIPTION DRUG BENEFIT		
Percentage of all companies where insurance covers prescription drugs	100%	100%
Retail copay when paying dollars		
Percentage of all companies where insurance covers prescription drugs	N/A	N/A
Retail copay when paying dollars		
What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
Mail order copay when paying dollars		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?		
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	N/A	N/A
Retail copay when paying a percentage		
What is the average employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for retail non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
Mail order copay when paying a percentage		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order generic?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order generic?		
What is the average employee copay for mail-order formulary?		
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the average employee copay for mail-order non-formulary?	N/A	N/A
What is the typical employee copay for mail-order nonformulary?	N/A	N/A

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
DENTAL INSURANCE		
Percentage of all companies that offer a dental plan	0%	0%
Percentage of those plans that cover orthodontia	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days after hire:	N/A	N/A
One to three months after hire	N/A	N/A
Three to six months after hire:	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year after hire:	N/A	N/A
Deductibles and Limits		
Average annual deductible	N/A	N/A
Typical annual deductible	N/A	N/A
Average annual limit single coverage:	N/A	N/A
Typical annual limit single coverage	N/A	N/A
Average annual limit family coverage:		
Typical annual limit family coverage	N/A	N/A
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Percentage of Costs Covered		
Average of preventive costs covered	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of preventive costs covered		
Average of basic costs covered		
Typical percentage of basic costs covered	N/A	N/A
Average of major costs covered		
Typical percentage of major costs covered		

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HEALTH INSURANCE COSTS AND BENEFITS (continued)		
VISION INSURANCE		
Percentage of all companies offering a separate vision plan.	0%	0%
Percentage of those plans that cover glasses/contacts	N/A	N/A
Percentage of those plans that cover LASIK or similar procedures	N/A	N/A
How soon after hire is employee eligible for coverage?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After first year	N/A	N/A
Premiums and Costs		
Average monthly premium paid by employee for:		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Average monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A
Typical monthly premium paid by employer for		
Employee only coverage	N/A	N/A
Employee and spouse	N/A	N/A
Employee and child(ren)	N/A	N/A
Family	N/A	N/A

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FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES

LIFE INSURANCE

Percentage of all companies offering life insurance.	0%	0%
Percentage of those plans that pay a set dollar amount	N/A	N/A
Percentage of those plans that pay a percentage of salary	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months		
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year.	N/A	N/A
After 1 year		

SHORT TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a short-term disability benefit	0%	0%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on short-term disability	N/A	N/A
Average number of weeks employee receives payment		
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment		

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After first year	N/A	N/A

LONG TERM DISABILITY

Percentage of all companies that offer a Long-Term Disability benefit	0%	0%
Average percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of wages employee receives while on Long-Term Disability	N/A	N/A
Average number of weeks employee receives payment	N/A	N/A
Typical number of weeks employee receives payment	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee covered?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year	N/A	N/A
After first year	N/A	N/A

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FINANCIAL BENEFITS AND INCENTIVES (continued)		
COMMISSIONS AND INCENTIVES		
Percentage of employers that pay commission on sales, contracts or transa Average percentage of compensation that comes from commission		0%
PROFIT SHARING AND BONUSES		
Percentage of companies that offer profit-sharing or performance incentives		0%
How soon after hire is employee eligible?		
One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to one year.	N/A	N/A
After 1 year	N/A	N/A
Percentage where incentives are team based	N/A	N/A
Percentage where incentives are individually based	N/A	N/A
BONUS POOL		
Percentage of employers who have a bonus pool	0%	0%
Average annual amount per employee		
REFERRAL BONUS		
Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus	0%	0%
RETENTION BONUS		
Percentage of employers that pay a retention bonus	After six months	
SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL		

Percentage of companies with more than one shift	6
Percentage that pay a shift differentialN/A	4
Average hourly differential for second shift	4
Average hourly differential for third shift	4

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RETIREMENT

COMPANY FUNDED PENSION

Percentage of companies that offer traditional pension plan	0%	0%
Percentage of companies where the employee also contributes	N/A	N/A
Average age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	N/A	N/A
Typical age when employee is eligible to receive benefits	N/A	N/A

401(K) AND SIMILAR PLANS

Percentage of companies that offer a 401(k)/403(b) plan	0%	0%
Average percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	N/A	N/A
Typical percentage of wages an employee may contribute to fund	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies where the employer contributes	N/A	N/A
Average percentage of contribution the employer matches	N/A	
Typical percentage of contribution the employer matches	N/A	
Average percentage of contribution the company matches	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies where the match is guaranteed	N/A	N/A
Percentage of companies where the match is intended	N/A	N/A

How soon after hire is employee eligible to participate?

One to 30 days	N/A	N/A
One to three months	N/A	N/A
Three to six months	N/A	N/A
Six months to a year	N/A	N/A
After one year		

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OTHER INCENTIVES

WORKPLACE

Percentage of companies that offer these workplace benefits		
Casual dress day (one per week)	0%	0%
Casual dress (every day)	0%	0%
Child day care services	0%	0%
Child care subsidy	0%	0%
Compressed work week	0%	0%
Discounted product purchases	0%	0%
Employee assistance programs	0%	0%
Emergency/sick child care	0%	0%
English as second language assistance	0%	0%
Fitness center membership subsidy	0%	0%
Fitness center on site	0%	0%
Flex time	0%	0%
Flexible spending account	0%	0%
Job sharing	0%	0%
Informal recognition program		
Open communication policy	0%	0%
Scholarships-employees/spouses/children	0%	0%
Smoking cessation programs	0%	0%
Smoke-free work environment	0%	0%
Telecommuting	0%	0%
Transit subsidy		
Tutoring-employees/spouses/children	0%	0%
Wellness program, resources and information		
Other	0%	0%

COST OF BENEFITS

Cost of benefits as percentage of wages 30%



Leisure, Hospitality, Retail and Restaurants

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HIRING AND LAYOFFS

CHANGES IN STAFFING PRECEDING YEAR

Hiring Percentage of companies that added workers in preceding six months
Total number of employees added in preceding six months
Average number of employees added in preceding six months
Layoffs
Percentage of companies that laid off employees in preceding six months
Total number of employees laid off in preceding six months
Average number of employees laid off in preceding six months

STAFFING CHANGES EXPECTED IN 2023

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers later in 2023 100%
Total anticipated increase later 2023 1
Average anticipated increase later in 2023 1
Layoffs
Percentage of companies expecting layoffs later in 20230%
Total anticipated layoffs later in 20230
Average anticipated layoffs later in 20230
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating neither hiring nor layoffs in 2023
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2023

STAFFING CHANGES EXPECTED IN 2024

Hiring
Percentage of companies adding workers in 2024 100%
Total anticipated increase in 2024
Average anticipated increase in 2024
Layoffs
Percentage of companies anticipating layoffs in 2024
Total anticipated layoffs in 20240
Average anticipated layoff in20240
No change
Percentage of companies anticipating no change in 2024
Percentage of companies uncertain of change in 2024

ANNUAL TURNOVER

Average annual turnover as percentage of employees......0%

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STAFFING

INCENTIVES

Percentage of those companies offering these staffing incentives
Relax drug screening requirements
Hire persons with disabilities
Hire persons with felony records
Expand internships 100%
Hire persons without high school or GED diploma
Increase starting pay
Pay hiring bonus
Pay referral bonus
Pay retention bonus
Offer housing assistance
Offer child care assistance
None or none of above

RECRUITING

Where employers recruit new workers

Employment agencies	. 0%
Indiana Career Connect	. 0%
Job fairs	. 0%
Newspapers	. 0%
Online 1	00%
Referrals	00%

PANDEMIC

Impact of the pandemic on employment environment No impact 100% Layuoffs 0% Furloughs 0% Delay filling openings 0% More flexible work from home policies 0% Employment has grown 0%

COVID-19 Vaccine policies

Employees are required to be vaccinated	0%
Financial incentives offered to encourage vaccination	0%

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

MOST NEEDED SKILLS

Employers who say these abilities are most needed in workforce
Good work ethic
Welding
Communication
Attention to qulity/detail
Read and write English
CNC machinist
Customer service
People skills
Teamwork
Math
Accounting
Leadership/Project management
NEEDED TEQUNICAL SKILLS

NEEDED TECHNICAL SKILLS

Employers who say these tech skills are most needed in workforce

Office
Outlook
Excel
AutoCAD 0%
SAP 0%
CAM
Computer/Internet
Machinist
Welding
Specialized to position

MINIMUM EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Employers who set these minimum education requirements

No degree required
High school or GED diploma 0%
Some college
Associates degree
Bachelors degree
Graduate degree
Professional degree
Professional license
Professional certification

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WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

EMPLOYERS FIND THESE POSITIONS MOST DIFFICULT TO FILL

Off-shift openings
Programmers
EngineersN/A
Machinists
Maintenance
Skilled laborN/A
Unskilled laborN/A
Management
OtherN/A
MechanicalN/A
Skilled trades

SALARY OUTLOOK

PAY INCREASES

In 2022/2023
Percentage of companies giving pay raises in preceding 12 months
Average raise given in preceding 12 months 10%
Typical raise given in preceding 12 months
In 2023/2024
Percentage of companies planning pay raises in next 12 months
Average raise planned in next 12 months

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION

TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Percentage of companies with training, career development and education benefits 100% 100%

How soon after hire is employee eligible?

One to 30 days		
One to three months	100%	
Three to six months		
Six months to one year		
After 1 year		

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Percentage of companies offering tuition assistance	100%	100%
Percentage that require classes be job related to receive tuition assistance	100%	100%
Average percent of tuition reimbursement	100%	100%

JOB SKILLS AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Percentage of companies that offer in-house skills and career development programs100% 10	0%
Percentage of companies that offer off-site skills and career development programs 100%)0%

MENTORING

Percentage of companies with formal mentoring programs	Percentage of companies with form	al mentoring programs		.00%
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IN-HOUSE TRAINING

OFF-SITE TRAINING

ORIENTATION

INTERNSHIPS

Percentage of companies with internships......100%

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SUBSTANCE SCREENING		
DRUG TESTING		
Percentage of companies that conduct drug screening	0%	
Which screening protocol is used?		
Five panel	N/A	
Seven panel	N/A	
DOT	N/A	
Other	N/A	
Percentage of those companies that require new applicants to pass	N/A	N/A
Current employees are screened		
Randomly	N/A	N/A
After incident/injury	N/A	N/A
For cause	N/A	N/A
Employees who fail are		
Dismissed	N/A	N/A
Referred to an EAP or counseling program	N/A	N/A

MARIJUANA TESTING

Percentage of companies that test for marijuana use	0%
Percentage of companies that make allowance for prescription	100%

When are tests done?

As part of hiring process.	N/A
For cause or after incident	N/A

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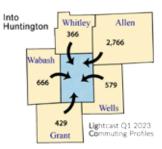
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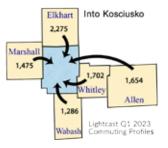
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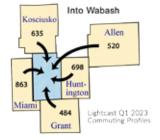


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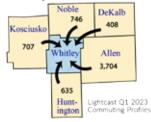
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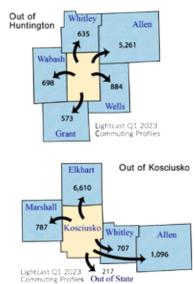




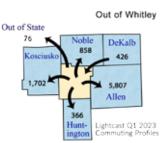
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POPULATION AND EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

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2022 Data:	Huntington	Kosciusko .	Wabash Whitley Reg	gion
Population Estimates		80,826	30,82834,627183,	115
Total Population 25 and Older		54,050	21,32523,976124,	584
Educational Attainment 2020				
- % High School or Higher		87.7%		.n/a
- % Bachelors or Higher	20.9%	24.3%	19.9% 23.1%	.n/a
Median Age		38.9		.n/a
Sources - U.S. Census Bureau, Indiana Department	of Workforce Development. In	idiana Department	t of Education (Stats Indiana)	

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LABOR FORCE AND INDUSTRY SECTORS

	Four County
	Western
2022 Data:	Huntington Kosciusko Wabash Whitley Region
By Place of Residence:	
Labor Force Estimates	18,421 40,92014,62617,87791,844
Employed	$\dots 17,934 \dots 39,890 \dots 14,227 \dots 17,445 \dots 89,496$
Unemployed	
Unemployment Rate	2.60% 2.50% 2.70% 2.40% 2.55%
Average Wage per Job	\$49,403\$64,086\$50,296\$57,696\$55,370
2019 Data:	
Total by Place of Work	18,233 48,277 1,568 17,786 85,864
Wage & Salary	14,352 38,541 12,308 13,785 78,986
Private	16,037 43,745 13,502 15,574 88,858
- Accommodates, Food Service	1,258 2,825 992 950 6,025
- Arts, Ent. & Recreation	
- Construction	
- Health Care, Social Services	1,663 3,823 NA 1,148 6,634
- Information	
- Manufacturing	3,520 14,220 2,677 5,781 26,198
- Professional, Technical Services	NA 1,366 396 NA 1,762
- Retail Trade	1,728 4,616 1,670 1,649 9,663
- Wholesale Trade	
	$\dots \qquad 4156^* \dots \qquad 10209^* \dots \qquad 2955^* \dots \qquad 2957^* \dots \qquad 100,971$
Government (Local, State, Fed.)	1,523 3,163 1,597 1,537 7,820

Source - U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (Stats Indiana)

* These totals do not include county data that are not available due to BEA non-disclosure requirements.

ABOUT THE WAGE DATA

Lightcast Industry Data

Industry data is the backbone of Lightcast's core labor market information (LMI) data. Industry data have various sources depending on the class of worker. Class of worker categorizes jobs according to the type of employment of the worker. This variable identifies whether the respondent is a salaried employee or is self-employed. Lightcast further splits both categories in two, resulting in four classes of worker in Lightcast Data.

Salaried Employees

QCEW Employees: The Bureau of Labor Statistics' (BLS) Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) dataset is the best source for job counts data in the United States. This quarterly near-census of workers is a byproduct of unemployment insurance reporting, which businesses are required to file monthly. QCEW covers 95% of the positions held by employees in the United States.

Non-QCEW Employees: The remaining 5% of employment not covered by QCEW occurs marginally in specific industries and is accounted for in other government datasets, including BLS Current Employment Statistics (CES), BLS Employment Projections (EP) National Employment Matrix, Census Bureau County Business Patterns (CBP), Census Bureau American Community Survey (ACS), Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) State and Local Area Personal Income, and Railroad Retirement Board statistics. In other words, these jobs are held by employees of businesses, but for various reasons they are not covered by unemployment insurance and therefore aren't counted in QCEW.

Self-Employed

Self-Employed: This class of worker includes job counts for work we typically think of as constituting self-employment. The data comes from multiple sources, including the ACS and Census Bureau Nonemployer Statistics (NES), and counts respondents who list selfemployment as their primary source of income.

Extended Proprietors: This class of worker contains miscellaneous job counts recorded by the BEA that exceed counts reported in ACS data. Many of these jobs are incidental self-employment that does not constitute a primary source of income (e.g., selling handmade goods on Etsy). It's important to note that, although the goal of this class of worker is to account for miscellaneous income from labor, it inherently contains miscellaneous income from capital as well (since BEA looks at profits rather than earnings).

Lightcast recommends the use of single or combinations of class of worker for distinct purposes.

To match the BLS's QCEW dataset most closely, Lightcast recommends using the QCEW Employees class of worker by itself.

For a complete picture of the employed workforce, Lightcast recommends using the QCEW and Non-QCEW classes together.

To capture the entire employed workforce, plus self-employed persons, Lightcast suggests using the QCEW Employees, Non-QCEW Employees, and Self-Employed classes in conjunction. This is the default class of worker setting and generally fits most use cases. This setting was used for the data extracts included in this report.

The gig economy can be approximated using the Extended Proprietors class of worker; however, it is critically important to keep in mind that some income and "jobs" from capital will likely be included, due to the nature of the BEA's data. This will approximate the gig economy only, likely with jobs and earnings higher than they are in actuality because of the inclusion of some "extra" jobs and income.

Lightcast Occupation Data

Occupation data in the United States is generally less complete and reliable than industry data. Lightcast generates occupation job counts by taking industry job counts from QCEW and combining them with staffing patterns from the BLS Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) dataset. Staffing patterns are unique to industries and show the percentage breakout of each industry into its component occupations. Lightcast regionalizes OES staffing patterns, creating location-specific staffing patterns that account for a region's particular industry mix. The result is tailored staffing patterns that generate location-specific occupation employment data.

Basic occupation earnings data come from OES as well. Lightcast unsuppresses earnings data where necessary and models the MSA-level earnings native to OES down to the county level. Although OES is not published as a time series, Lightcast has developed one using historical OES data. This time series offers several benefits, including historical occupation earnings back to 2005, reduced volatility between years of published OES data, and the ability to use historical years of OES to unsuppress latest year OES data. More information on Lightcast's occupation process and historical OES time series is available here.

Lightcast Staffing Patterns

Staffing patterns show the percentage occupational makeup of jobs within each industry. The primary sources for the staffing patterns Lightcast uses to create occupation data are QCEW and BLS Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) for QCEW and Non-QCEW classes of worker and the OES and ACS for Self-Employed and Extended Proprietors.

Processes used by Lightcast for creating staffing patterns for QCEW and Non-QCEW employees and those used for creating Self-Employed and Extended Proprietors staffing patterns are described here.

Other Data Sources

The BLS collaborates with all 50 state LMI offices in the development of QCEW and OES. Accordingly, data from the Indiana Department of Workforce Development (DWD) was used to develop the data contained in this report.

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