

UP ONE LEVEL REPORT 2nd Quarter 2009

Indiana Economic Growth Region 7

Frequent Job Openings for the following counties:

Clay, Parke, Putnam, Sullivan, Vermillion and Vigo Counties



<u>2008 OES Regional Median Wage</u>	<u>Frequently Listed Jobs<sup>1</sup></u>	<u>Skill Pathway</u>	<u>Possible Career Path - Up One Level<sup>2</sup></u>	<u>2008 OES Regional Median Wage</u>	<u>Education/ Training</u>
\$15,391	Security Guards	People	Bus Drivers, School	\$24,297	Short-term on-the-job training
\$26,081	Production Workers, All Other	Things	Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	*\$52,200	Long-term on-the-job training
\$38,698	Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	People	Construction Managers	\$75,591	Bachelor's degree
\$21,452	Food Servers, Nonrestaurant	People	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Food Preparation and Service Workers	\$28,226	Work experience in a related occupation
\$19,714	Tellers	People	Medical Secretaries	\$27,754	Postsecondary vocational training
\$53,818	Registered Nurses	People	Occupational Therapists	\$61,267	Bachelor's degree
\$33,935	Construction Laborers	Things	Carpenters	\$37,710	Long-term on-the-job training
\$22,078	Healthcare Support Workers, All Other	People/Things	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$35,960	Postsecondary vocational training
\$30,741	Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	Things	Automotive Body and Related Repairers	\$36,062	Long-term on-the-job training
*\$20,370	Food Preparation and Serving Related Workers, All Other	People	Food Service Managers	\$46,639	Work experience in a related occupation
\$31,822	First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Retail Sales Workers	People	Sales Managers	\$66,098	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience
\$15,438	Cashiers	People	Pharmacy Aides	\$18,036	Short-term on-the-job training
\$26,444	Advertising Sales Agents	People	Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	\$39,328	Moderate-term on-the-job training
\$35,635	Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	People	Management Analysts	\$66,984	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience
\$25,121	Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	People	Transportation Inspectors	*\$36,810	Work experience in a related occupation
\$14,859	Taxi Drivers and Chauffeurs	People	Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	\$25,121	Short-term on-the-job training
\$49,485	Loan Officers	People	Personal Financial Advisors	*\$63,040	Bachelor's degree
\$21,873	Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	People	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	\$24,759	Postsecondary vocational training
\$18,149	Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	People	Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	\$21,789	Short-term on-the-job training
\$18,510	Retail Salespersons	Systems	Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$20,033	Short-term on-the-job training
\$17,843	Hotel, Motel, and Resort Desk Clerks	People	Lodging Managers	\$48,011	Work experience in a related occupation
\$25,927	Secretaries, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	People	Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks	\$29,590	Short-term on-the-job training
\$19,833	Office Clerks, General	People	Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate	\$29,467	Postsecondary vocational training
\$20,089	Helpers--Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers	Things	Highway Maintenance Workers	\$26,623	Moderate-term on-the-job training
\$15,894	Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	Things	Home Health Aides	\$20,423	Short-term on-the-job training

<sup>1</sup> Occupations from 2nd Quarter 2009 Indiana Career Connect Job Listings. Wages shown are taken from EGR 7 2008 Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) Survey.

<sup>2</sup> One-level (step) up occupations are only intended as examples, based on overlapping skill sets. Please see your WorkOne or the Hoosiers by the Numbers website for additional information on skills-based career pathways in the Indiana Career Guide.

\* State Median Wage

Research has highlighted the increasing importance of skills, basic and otherwise. Employees develop skills through a variety of ways including past work experiences, job training, and higher education. Learning new skills will help you to further your career or find a new job in a different field. The information presented here will assist individuals investing in career preparation, planning for a career change, or offering guidance in career development.



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Career Guides  
Hoosiers Hot Jobs  
Occupations & Starting Wages Report

**Skill Pathways - with associated skills**

**PEOPLE Skills:**

Coordination, Instructing, Negotiation, Persuasion, Service Orientation, Social Perceptiveness, and Time Management

**THINGS Skills:**

Equipment Maintenance, Equipment Selection, Installation, Operation and Control, Operation Monitoring, Repairing and Troubleshooting

**SYSTEMS Skills:**

Judgement and Decision Making, Mgmt. of Financial Resources, Mgmt. of Material Resources, Mgmt. of Personnel Resources, Systems Analysis, and Systems Evaluation

**INFORMATION Skills:**

Complex Problem Solving, Operations Analysis, Programming, and Technology Design

**Source: Indiana Workforce Development**

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