

PROMISING OCCUPATIONS IN Kansas






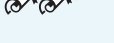

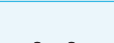
EDUCATION/
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AVERAGE
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2014 ANNUAL WAGE

25th Percentile Median 75th Percentile

	EDUCATION/ TRAINING REQUIRED	AVERAGE ANNUAL OPENINGS	GROWTH RATE	25th Percentile	Median	75th Percentile
Registered nurses		1,050	17.7%	\$46,390	\$55,880	\$66,650
Nursing assistants		760	19.5%	\$20,630	\$22,720	\$25,570
Teacher assistants		620	9.9%	\$19,680	\$22,940	\$27,250
Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers	 + OJT	600	12.3%	\$31,350	\$38,750	\$48,950
Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses		310	22.2%	\$34,370	\$38,700	\$44,680
Computer user support specialists	 + OJT	220	22.6%	\$32,530	\$42,800	\$54,200
Medical assistants		180	20.5%	\$23,620	\$27,570	\$31,930
Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists		170	6.3%	\$17,770	\$21,480	\$29,140
First-line supervisors of production and operating workers		150	4.4%	\$42,390	\$54,050	\$68,230
Firefighters	 + OJT	140	6.2%	\$28,180	\$35,840	\$45,440
Medical records and health information technicians		120	20.2%	\$26,050	\$31,720	\$40,670
Emergency medical technicians and paramedics		120	11.6%	\$21,130	\$26,440	\$35,500
Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers	 + OJT	110	14.1%	\$35,270	\$44,200	\$55,420
Preschool teachers, except special education		100	16.0%	\$20,960	\$26,590	\$40,750
Dental assistants		90	13.8%	\$28,420	\$35,520	\$44,820
Paralegals and legal assistants		80	22.1%	\$33,070	\$40,670	\$49,650
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians		80	24.7%	\$29,730	\$36,360	\$44,720
Dental hygienists		80	21.5%	\$60,510	\$69,790	\$79,080
Radiologic technologists		70	15.9%	\$41,790	\$48,110	\$56,740
Aircraft mechanics and service technicians		60	3.9%	\$50,530	\$56,770	\$63,320

 = some college, no degree

 = post-secondary non-degree award

 = associate's degree

OJT = on-the-job training