

## Graduate Follow-Up Survey Wage Comparison

Name of Program	2003-04 LTC Median Annual Wage	2004-05 LTC Median Hourly Wage	2004-05 LTC Average Hourly Wage	2004-05 LTC Median Annual Wage	2004-05 LTC Average Annual Wage	2005-06 LTC Median Hourly Wage	2005-06 LTC Average Hourly Wage	2005-06 LTC Median Annual Wage	2005-06 LTC Average Annual Wage
Accounting	\$25,000	\$12.25	<b>\$13.34</b>	\$27,040	<b>\$28,551</b>	\$12.50	\$12.13	\$26,000	\$25,655
Administrative Assistant	\$20,920	\$11.00	\$10.68	\$22,880	\$22,211	<b>\$11.73</b>	\$11.70	<b>\$24,398</b>	\$24,197
Auto Collision Repair	\$20,280	\$11.00	\$11.17	\$23,920	\$24,267	<b>\$11.75</b>	\$11.25	\$23,108	<b>\$24,741</b>
Auto Maintenance	NA	<b>\$12.00</b>	\$11.50	\$25,584	<b>\$25,775</b>	\$10.00	\$10.62	\$24,000	\$23,554
Criminal Justice – Law	\$32,000	<b>\$17.00</b>	\$16.83	<b>\$37,180</b>	\$36,911	\$15.77	\$14.83	\$32,802	\$30,370
Dairy Herd	\$25,000	\$7.39	<b>\$8.22</b>	\$18,360	\$24,007	\$7.75	\$7.81	\$25,260	<b>\$27,215</b>
Dental Assistant	\$22,230	\$10.38	\$10.76	\$20,774	\$20,674	\$11.00	<b>\$11.61</b>	\$21,840	<b>\$23,183</b>
Early Childhood	NA	\$9.91	\$10.14	\$19,582	<b>\$22,526</b>	\$9.75	<b>\$10.65</b>	\$20,280	\$21,473
Electro - Mechanical	\$41,597	\$16.48	\$15.83	\$40,342	\$37,703	\$17.34	<b>\$17.39</b>	<b>\$45,084</b>	\$43,238
EMT - Basic	\$32,032	\$10.00	\$13.17	\$23,000	<b>\$28,982</b>	\$10.00	<b>\$13.50</b>	\$20,800	\$27,257
EMT - Paramedic	\$35,097	\$10.50	<b>\$11.19</b>	\$27,040	<b>\$27,826</b>	NA	NA	NA	NA
Farm Business and	\$30,000	\$6.92	<b>\$7.98</b>	\$28,800	<b>\$29,760</b>	NA	NA	NA	NA
Health Unit Coordinator	NA	\$10.55	\$10.38	\$20,484	\$20,729	\$11.13	<b>\$11.46</b>	\$22,464	<b>\$22,715</b>
Individualized Technical	\$45,760	\$15.36	\$16.00	\$38,850	\$39,680	\$16.03	<b>\$17.54</b>	\$44,158	<b>\$44,337</b>
Industrial Mechanic	\$38,997	\$16.08	\$14.83	\$33,873	\$34,113	\$21.58	<b>\$21.60</b>	<b>\$49,487</b>	\$49,137
IT - Microcomputer	NA	\$14.42	<b>\$15.22</b>	\$30,000	<b>\$32,320</b>	NA	NA	NA	NA
IT - Network Specialist	\$24,253	<b>\$16.03</b>	\$14.63	\$33,779	\$30,764	\$15.02	\$14.63	<b>\$35,600</b>	\$33,360
Machine Tool	\$46,073	NA	NA	NA	NA	\$15.00	<b>\$16.30</b>	\$31,200	<b>\$36,733</b>
Marketing	\$26,520	\$11.75	\$10.89	\$24,440	\$24,680	\$12.55	<b>\$13.19</b>	\$26,510	<b>\$30,092</b>
Mechanical Design	\$43,895	\$15.00	\$14.43	\$34,996	\$34,191	\$15.00	<b>\$17.42</b>	\$35,100	<b>\$37,009</b>
Medical Administrative	\$22,880	NA	NA	NA	NA	<b>\$10.00</b>	\$9.99	<b>\$20,800</b>	\$20,772
Medical Assistant	\$21,923	\$11.50	<b>\$11.52</b>	<b>\$23,899</b>	\$23,235	\$11.50	\$11.35	\$23,088	\$22,893
Medication Assistant	\$24,846	<b>\$12.30</b>	\$12.28	<b>\$25,584</b>	\$25,324	\$11.70	\$11.47	\$24,960	\$24,258
Nursing Assistant	\$20,798	\$10.50	<b>\$10.57</b>	\$21,840	\$21,867	\$10.00	\$10.51	\$20,592	<b>\$22,667</b>
Nursing - Associate	\$41,600	\$21.28	<b>\$22.12</b>	\$42,841	\$45,088	\$21.25	\$21.51	\$42,848	<b>\$45,406</b>
Office Assistant	\$21,318	<b>\$10.13</b>	\$10.10	\$21,060	\$20,806	\$9.63	\$9.75	\$20,540	<b>\$24,294</b>
Paralegal	\$26,000	\$12.25	\$12.92	\$25,480	\$26,506	\$14.00	<b>\$14.04</b>	\$29,120	<b>\$29,212</b>
Pharmacy Technician	\$22,942	\$10.97	\$10.80	\$22,807	\$22,640	\$11.00	<b>\$11.33</b>	\$22,880	<b>\$23,489</b>
Practical Nursing	NA	\$13.75	\$13.38	<b>\$30,030</b>	\$27,235	\$13.72	<b>\$13.98</b>	\$29,678	\$29,159
Quality Assurance	\$34,109	\$14.00	<b>\$17.95</b>	\$36,400	<b>\$43,760</b>	\$17.48	\$17.87	\$36,400	\$42,947
Radiography	\$35,357	\$17.62	\$17.52	\$36,026	\$36,394	\$19.00	<b>\$19.32</b>	\$39,208	<b>\$39,649</b>
Supervisory	\$46,528	<b>\$20.05</b>	\$19.96	\$48,000	\$48,366	\$19.23	\$19.92	\$45,000	<b>\$48,904</b>
Supply Chain	\$30,000	\$16.47	\$15.69	\$37,440	\$36,135	\$16.16	<b>\$16.95</b>	\$36,806	<b>\$40,763</b>
Surgical Technology	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	<b>\$15.71</b>	\$15.41	<b>\$32,677</b>	\$32,049
Technical Studies	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	<b>\$20.16</b>	\$19.01	\$41,933	<b>\$47,311</b>
Welding/Maintenance	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	<b>\$13.00</b>	\$12.75	\$27,560	<b>\$27,647</b>
Welding- Industrial	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	\$15.73	<b>\$16.11</b>	\$35,100	<b>\$36,244</b>
<b>Aggregate Wage</b>	<b>\$28,260</b>	<b>\$12.13</b>	<b>\$14.00</b>	<b>\$26,312</b>	<b>\$30,703</b>	<b>\$13.00</b>	<b>\$14.72</b>	<b>\$29,120</b>	<b>\$32,696</b>

Notes: Salaries are calculated for full-time (35 hours worked per week or more) and employed-related only. Salaries listed as NA are due to having less than three responses for LTC salaries and four responses for WTCS salaries. Hourly wages were not reported in 2003-04.