



## Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS)

Welcome to the Bureau of Labor Statistics - Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics program.

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Please log in with your IDCF number to securely report your data. If your IP address is locked out after your first log in attempt, try again using a different browser or after clearing your cache.

1. Enter your IDCF number:

Example Address Label:



IDCF # 001234567890 Est. Emp: 100  
REFERENCE DATE: MONTH DD, YYYY 1 621991 ABCD

2. Enter the numeral below in the text box:



JAYNE DEAUX  
HR DIRECTOR  
FIRST NATIONAL BLOOD BANK  
REPORT FOR: THIS LOCATION ONLY  
100 STATE AVE  
CITYVILLE ST 22222-3333

3. Read the Terms and Conditions of Use and click "I Accept" to log in:

### Terms and Conditions of Use

**WARNING!** You are using an Official United States Government System, which may be used only for authorized purposes. Unauthorized modification of any information stored on this system may result in criminal prosecution. The Government may monitor and audit the usage of this system, and all persons are hereby notified that the use of this system constitutes consent to such monitoring and auditing. Unauthorized attempts to upload information and/or change information on these web sites are strictly prohibited and are subject to prosecution under the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act of 1986 and Title 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 and 1030.

[I Accept](#)

Maintenance activities may be conducted on Sundays from noon to 6:00 p.m. Eastern Time in order to keep the Internet Data Collection Facility (IDCF) at its peak performance and to cause as little disruption in service as possible to our customers. If the system is unavailable, please try back at a later time.

### Please read:

**Due to security reasons, your session will time out after 30 minutes of system inactivity. You will need to logon to the website again to continue.**

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Dear Employer,

Welcome to the Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) data collection website. OEWS is a cooperative effort between the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, and State Workforce Agencies. For assistance, please [contact your state agency](#) or email [ows.helpdesk@bls.gov](mailto:ows.helpdesk@bls.gov).

### Before you get started

To save time and prevent the system from logging you out, you can download and use an [Excel template](#) available.

Companies with twenty or more employees find it easier to report their data manually. You will be directed to either upload a file or enter your data into an online form depending on the size of your company.

### Information about Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics

The Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) data collection website provides information on the number of jobs and wages for various occupations, as a whole, for individual states, and for metropolitan areas. This information is available on the [Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics](#) website to learn more about OEWS.

Thank you for your participation in the Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics data collection website.

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We estimate that the time required to complete this report will include time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of data. Send us your comments and suggestions on this burden, send them to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2015 Washington, DC 20212. We request your cooperation to make the reporting burden as light as possible. Form Approved, O.M.B. No. 1220-0042.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics, its employees, agents, and partner statistical agencies, will use the information you provide for statistical purposes only and will hold the information in confidence to the full extent permitted by law. In accordance with the Confidential Information Protection and Statistical Efficiency Act (44 USC Section 3572) and other applicable Federal laws, your responses will not be disclosed in identifiable form without your informed consent except in the case of state and local governments. The BLS publishes statistical tabulations from this report that may reveal the information reported by state and local governments. Upon request, however, the BLS will hold the information provided by state and local governments on this report in confidence. Per the Federal Cybersecurity Enhancement Act of 2015, Federal information systems are protected from malicious activities through cybersecurity screening of transmitted data.

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### Warning

#### Time Limit Warning

- To ensure the security of your data, your session will time out after 30 minutes. **This includes time spent entering occupations and wages.**
- Nothing is saved on our website. OEWS does not receive your data until the "submit" button is selected. If your session expires, you will have to log on to the website again and reenter the data.
- You will be warned when 5 minutes remain in your session, and given the chance to extend your session for another 30 minutes.

[OK](#)



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#### Before you get started

To save time and prevent the system from logging you out, we recommend you prepare your data now. Please see our instructions, including file examples, on our [respondent page](#). We also have an [Excel template](#) available.

Companies with twenty or more employees find it easiest to upload a file, while companies with fewer employees prefer to enter their data manually. You will be directed to either upload a file or enter your data into an online form depending on the number of employees you report, but you may switch to the other method if you prefer.

#### Information about Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics

The Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (OEWS) program produces employment and wage estimates annually for nearly 800 occupations. These estimates are available for the nation as a whole, for individual states, and for metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas; national occupational estimates for specific industries are also available. Visit the [Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics](#) website to learn more about OEWS and see all of the data available.

Thank you for your participation in the Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics program!

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We estimate that the time required to complete this report will vary from 10 minutes to 2 hours, depending on factors such as the size of the establishment. This includes time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing this information. If you have any comments regarding these estimates or any other aspects of this report, including suggestions for reducing this burden, send them to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Division of Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics (1220-0042), 2 Massachusetts Ave NE, Suite 2135, Washington, DC 20212. This report is authorized by law 29 U.S.C. §2. We request your cooperation to make the results of this report comprehensive, accurate, and timely. You do not have to complete this questionnaire if it does not display a currently valid OMB control number. Form Approved, O.M.B. No. 1220-0042.

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### Enter Contact Information

Please tell us who to contact if we have questions about your data (\*Required Field).

\*Contact Name :

\*Job Title :

\*Company Name :

\*Mailing Address :

\*City :

\*State :

\*Zip :

\*Email :

\*Confirm Email :

\*Telephone :

Submit



## Work Location and Establishment Data

Please complete Items 1 through 6 on this page. (\*Required)

\*1. Which of the options below best describes the **operating status** of the location specified after "Report for" in the mailing address on November 12, 2021?

- Operating
- Temporarily closed during the pay period that included November 12, 2021.

**Note:** If any employees were not working but received pay, or were working remotely, please select "Operating" instead of "Temporarily closed."

- Permanently out of business as of  (MM/DD/YYYY)

\*2. Was this establishment sold or did it merge with another establishment between November 12, 2020 and November 12, 2021?

- Yes
- No

Please explain any changes to the establishment name or location so we can update our records:

\*3. Is the **industry description** in your notification correct?

- Yes
- No
- There is no industry description

List your main products or services:

\*4. How many employees, both full- and part-time, worked for this location during the pay period that included November 12, 2021?

**Note:** Include employees who work remotely or off-site. Do not include contract workers. If the business is being operated with only contract workers on staff or by unpaid owners alone, enter zero here and explain in the comment box for question 6.

\*5. Do all employees report to this location?

- Yes
- No

Enter the number of locations:

6. Do you have any comments or additional information for us?

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## 1. Review Contact and Company Information

Contact Name : **Contact Name**  
Job Title : **Job Title**  
Company Name : **Company Name**  
Mailing Address : **Mailing Address**  
City : **City**  
State : **SC**  
Zip : **12345 - 6789**  
Email : **Email@email.com**  
Telephone : **(987) 654-3210** Ext : **65432**

## 2. Review Work Location and Establishment Data

Operating Status : **Operating**  
Was the establishment sold or merged with another? **Yes, Question 2 comment field**  
Is the industry description correct? **No, Question 3 comment field**  
Number of Employees : **500**  
Do all employees report to this location? **No, 2**  
Comments : **Question 6 comment field**

Edit

Continue



## Upload a File

Uploading a file listing the occupation and wage rate for each of your employees is the easiest way to submit your data. Many payroll and personnel systems will generate a report with all of the information we are requesting.

Alternately, you can create a spreadsheet. Do not include employee names or social security numbers.

Here is an example of the type of information we are requesting:

	A	B	C	D	E
1	Job title	Hourly wage	Annual salary	# of employees	Department
2	Forklift operator	\$16.00		2	Warehouse
3	Forklift operator	\$12.98		4	Warehouse
4	Truck loader/unloader	\$15.03		5	Warehouse
5	Truck driver		\$45,000	5	Warehouse
6	Webmaster	\$23.24		1	IT
7	Computer user support	\$18.87		2	IT
8	General manager		\$80,000	1	Office
9	Logistics manager		\$68,140	1	Office
10	Bookkeeper	\$17.22		1	Office

## Instructions

### Create a File

#### [Download a Template](#)

1. Report the job title of each employee who worked during the pay period that included November 12, 2021.
2. Report part-time employees by their hourly wage. Hourly or annual wages can be reported for full-time employees. Please include tips and commissions.
3. Department and description of duties are optional but helpful, and can reduce the need for follow up phone calls. Unit description is also optional, but useful if you are reporting for more than one location or IDCF number.
4. Save your file.

Are you reporting data for a school? Please see our [school instructions](#).

Another option: [I would prefer to enter data manually](#)

### Select File(s) to Send to OEWS

Select the file you wish to send to BLS using the "**Browse**" button. You can use this button to attach multiple files.

We prefer Excel files, but can accept Word and PDF files. We cannot accept .EXE files.

Repeat the process if you are sending more than one file (maximum 30 MB total).

Select your file:

Attached Files:

### Send File(s)

Once you have selected the file(s) you want to send to OEWS, click the "**Send**" button to submit your data.



### Uploading File(s)...

All files uploaded

### Processing File(s)...

- **File Description**  
test.xlsx 8,355 bytes

### Moving File(s)...

- **Moving File...**  
File: /fileupload/upload/oes/OES\_0077777777\_041522\_115335\_test.xlsx
- **Moving File...**  
File: /fileupload/upload/oes/OES\_0077777777\_041522\_115335.header

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If you have questions or comments, please complete and submit the [Help Request Form](#)

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Your file(s) have been received by BLS on **Apr 15, 2022 at 11:54:28 AM EDT**.

### Thank You!

Thank you for completing the Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics report. You have submitted data successfully.

An email confirming your data submission has been sent to the address provided. You may also want to print this page for your records.

[Report for another IDCF number](#)

[Learn more about the Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics program](#)

[Ask a question or submit feedback](#)

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