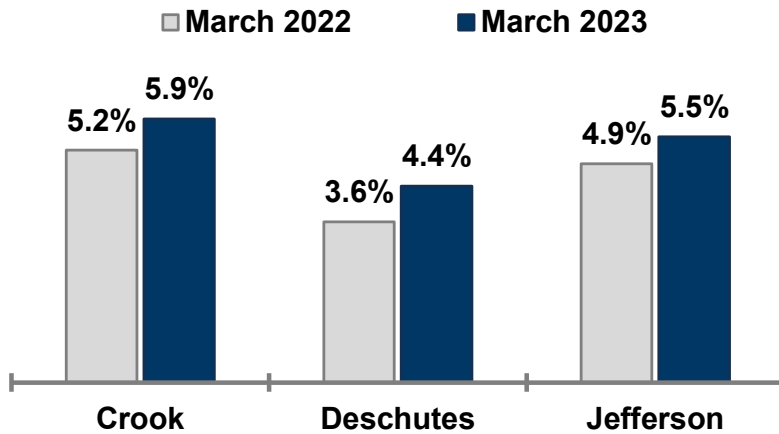




# Central Oregon Economic Indicators

## March 2023 Data

### Local Area Unemployment Rates (Seasonally adjusted)



### Graph of the Month (Central Oregon)

#### The Highest & Lowest Paid Occupation Groups

Source: Oregon Employment Department, 2022 Oregon Wage Information

#### The 5 Highest Paid Occupation Groups in Central Oregon by Median Wage (2022)

Occupation Title	Median Hourly Wage
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	\$49.15
Management Occupations	\$39.97
Computer and Mathematical Occupations	\$38.78
Legal Occupations	\$38.36
Architecture and Engineering Occupations	\$38.18

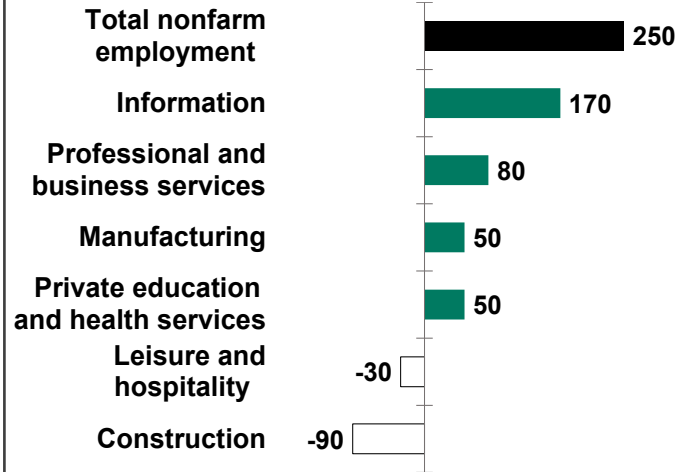
#### The 5 Lowest Paid Occupation Groups in Central Oregon by Median Wage (2022)

Occupation Title	Median Hourly Wage
Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	\$18.22
Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	\$15.78
Sales and Related Occupations	\$15.63
Personal Care and Service Occupations	\$15.13
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	\$15.01

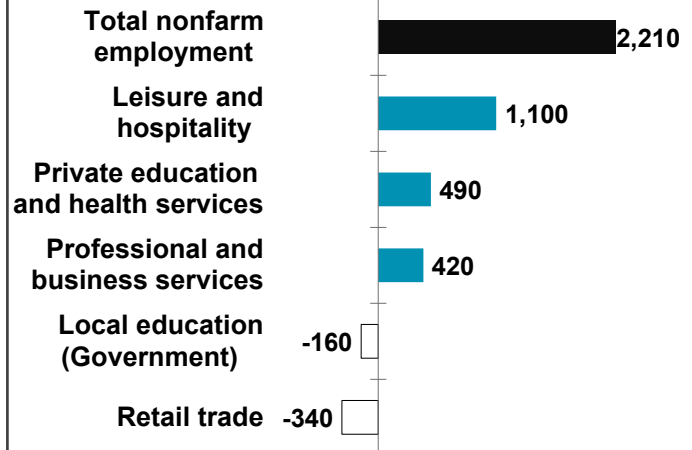
In 2022, the Central Oregon median wage for all occupations was \$20.83 an hour. Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations paid the highest median hourly wage (\$49.15), followed by management occupations (\$39.97), and computer and mathematical occupations (\$38.78). Food preparation and serving related occupations, on the other hand, paid the lowest median hourly wage (\$15.01) of any occupation group. This was followed by personal care and service occupations (\$15.13), and sales and related occupations (\$15.63).

### Select Industry Gains and Losses (Over-the-year net employment change)

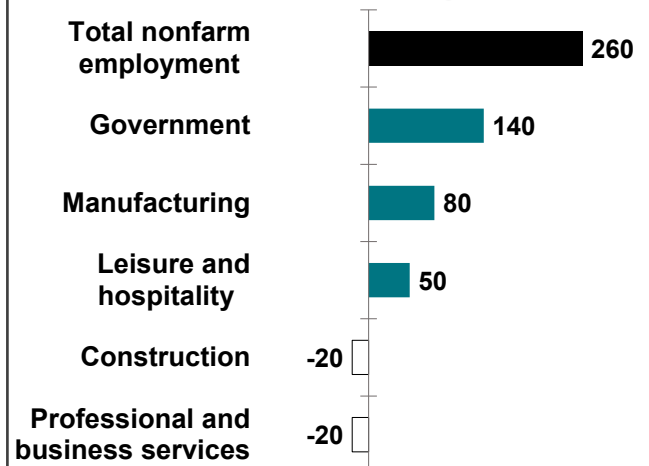
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