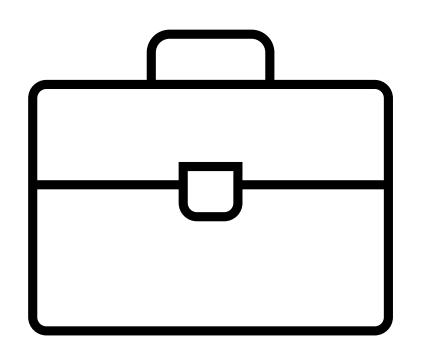
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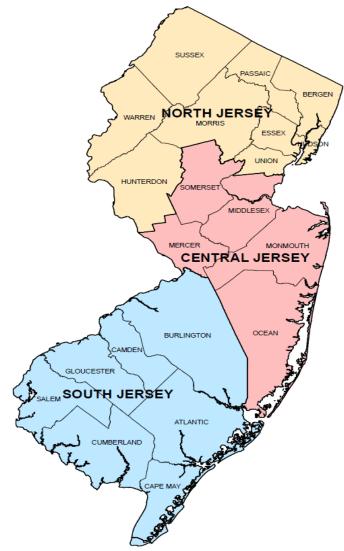


Real-Time Insights: Analysis of Job Posting Data in New Jersey

- This report highlights job postings at the state and regional level.
- The report includes data from July 2025 to September 2025.

Real-Time Insights: Analysis of Job Posting Data in New Jersey Continued

 This report breaks down job postings by three regions based on metropolitan statistical areas defined by Office of Management and Budget:



Real-Time Insights: Analysis of Job Posting Data in New Jersey Continued



- Top Employers
- Key Occupations
- In-Demand Skills
- Major Cities



Key Findings: New Jersey Shows a Diverse Mix of Job Postings Across Multiple Regions and Industries

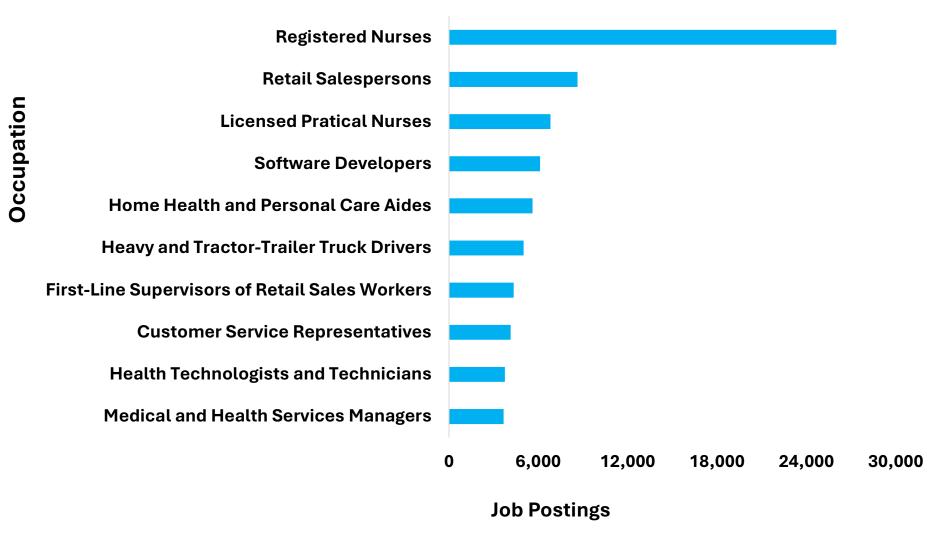


Bergen County had the most job postings in the state, followed by Essex and Middlesex Counties. These three counties have the highest population and employer density in the state.



The two most populous cities in the state, Jersey City and Newark had the most job postings at the municipal level.

Registered Nurses, retail sales, and licensed practical nurses had the highest number of job postings statewide

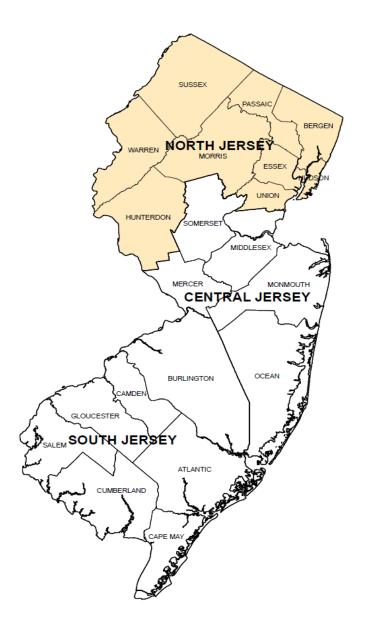








Northern Region

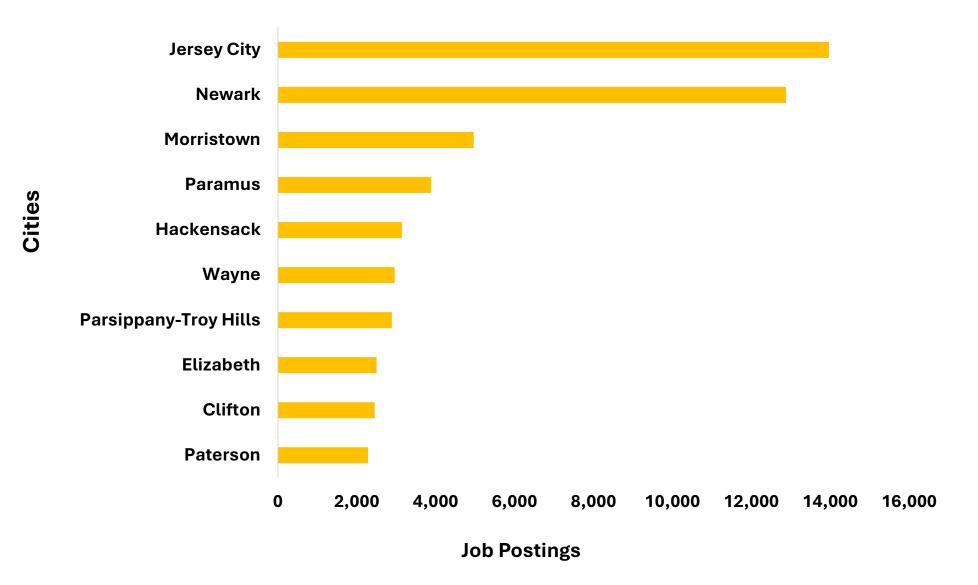








Jersey City, Newark and Morristown recorded the highest number of job postings in the Northern Region

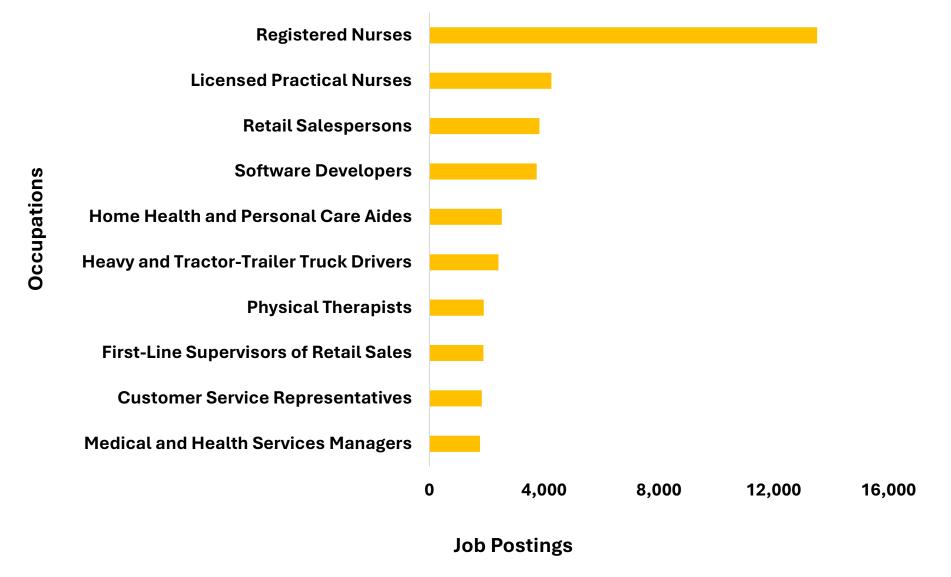








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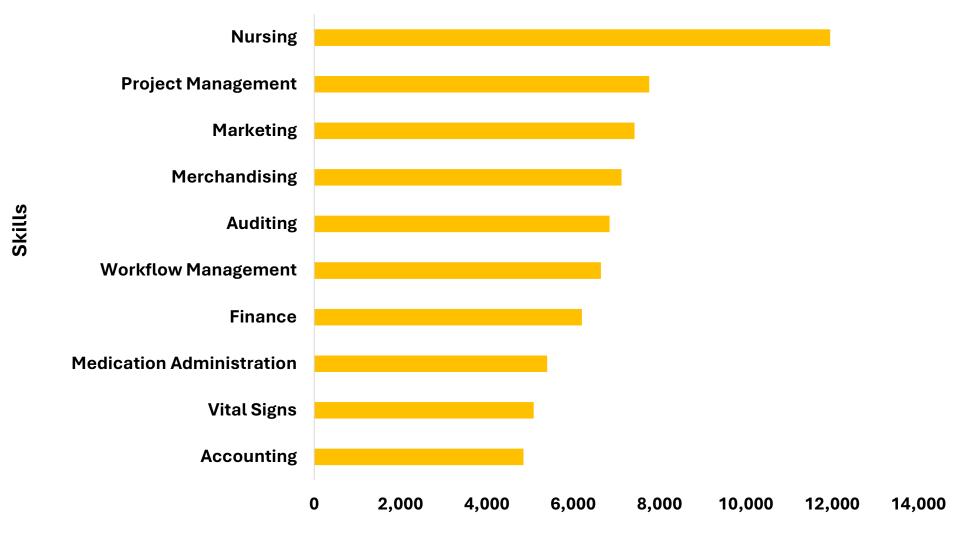








Nursing, project management and marketing were the most sought-after skills in the Northern Region

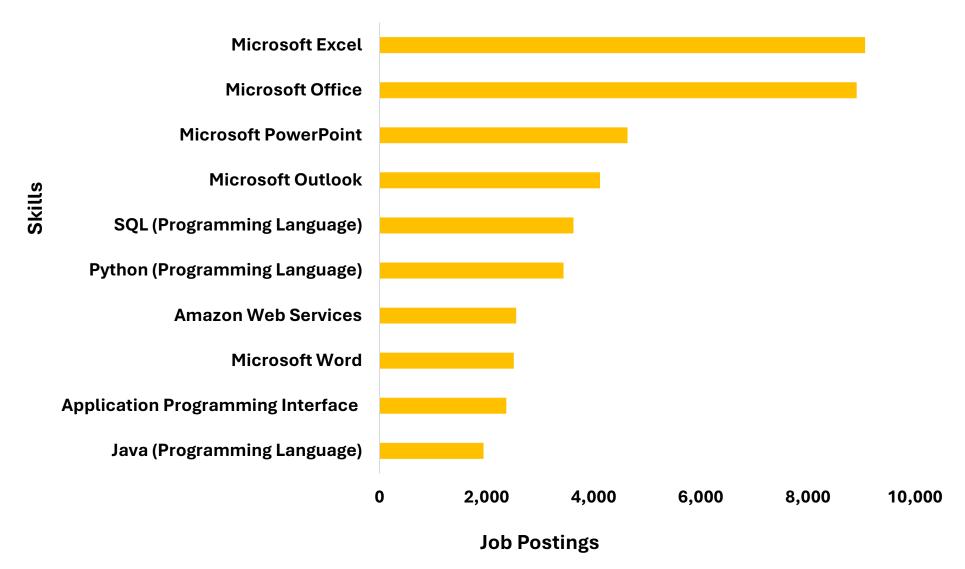








Microsoft Office Suite and programming languages are the most requested software skills in job in Northern Region









Top 10 Employers by Job Postings Northern Region

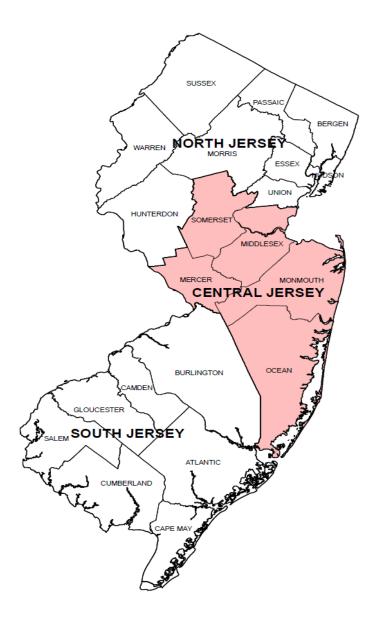
- Pine Acres Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center
- Sun River Health
- Atlantic Health System
- JPMorgan Chase
- RWJBarnabas Health
- CVS Health
- ShopRite
- Care Options For Kids
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security
- Sanofi







Central Region

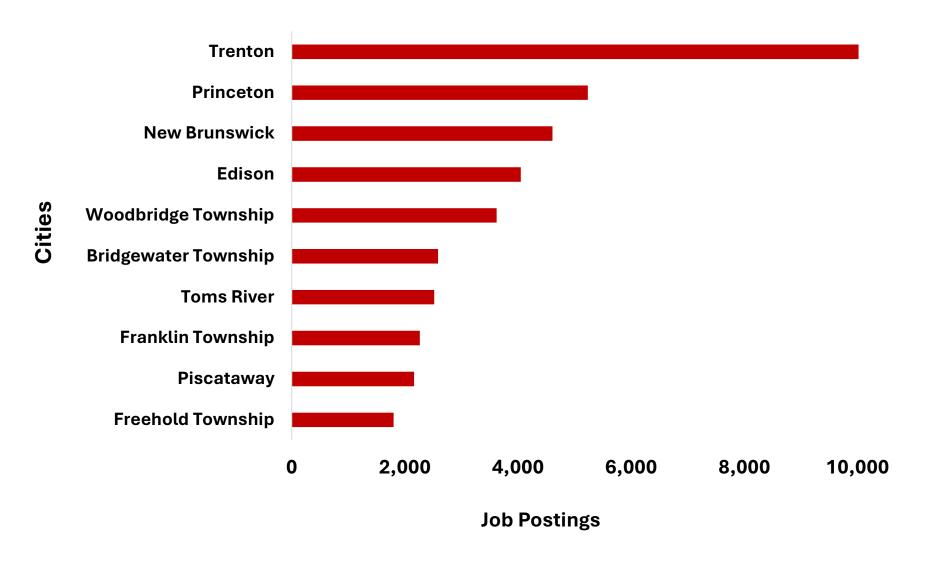








Trenton, Princeton and New Brunswick had the highest number of job postings in the Central Region

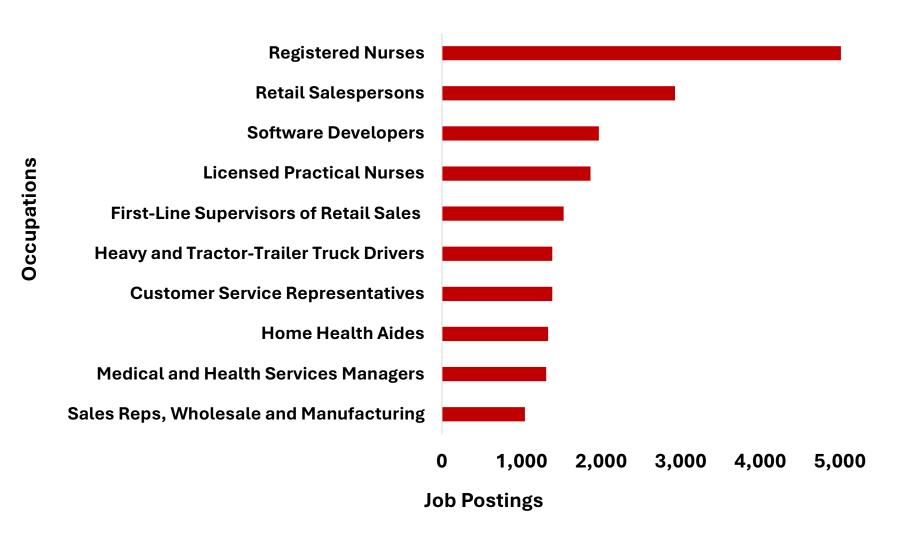








Registered nurses, retail sales and software developers had the most job postings in the Central Region

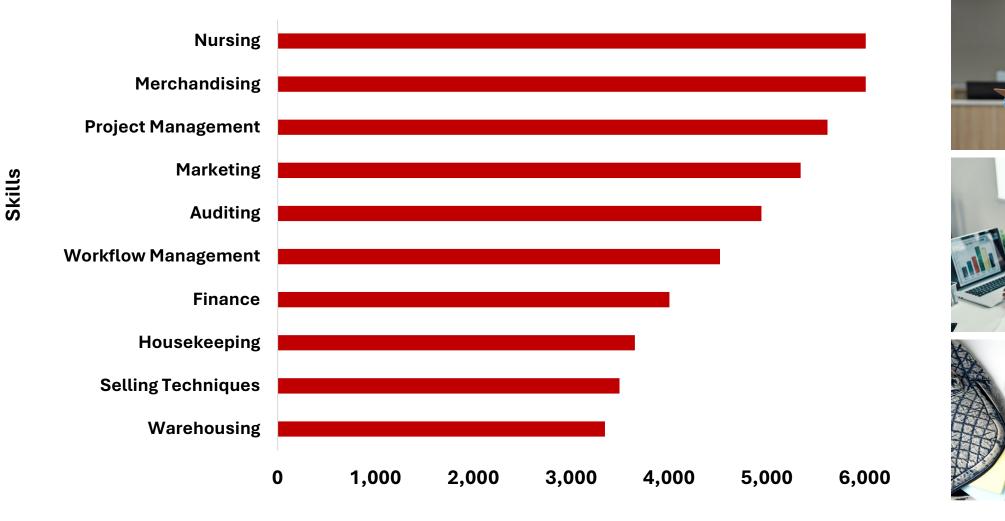








Nursing, merchandising and project management were the most sought-after skills in the Central Region



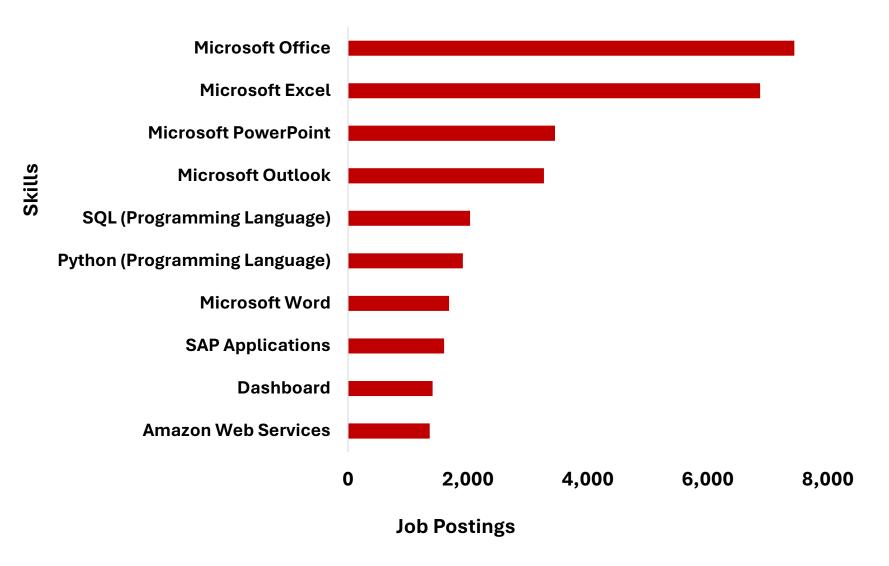






Job Postings

Microsoft Office Suite and programming languages are the most requested software skills in the Central Region









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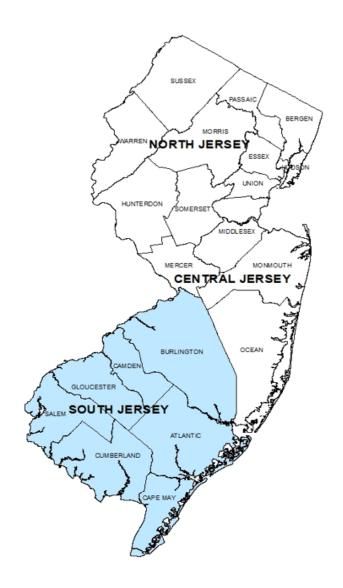
- ShopRite
- RWJBarnabas Health
- Rutgers University
- Allied Digestive Health
- Hackensack Meridian Health
- CVS Health
- Jersey Shore Post Acute Rehabilitation And Nursing
- Pine Acres Healthcare And Rehabilitation Center
- Clover Meadows Healthcare And Rehabilitation Center
- Bristol-Myers Squibb







Southern Region



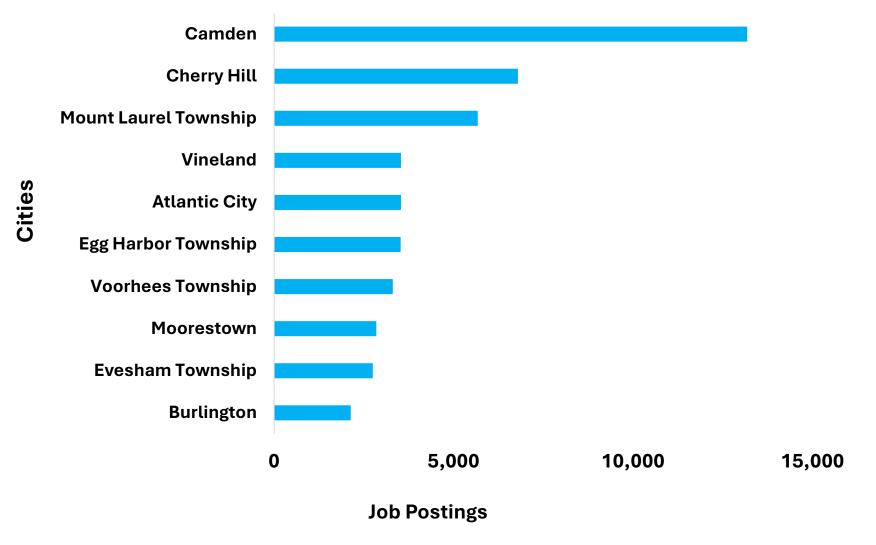






Camden, Cherry Hill and Mount Laurel had the most

job postings in the Southern Region

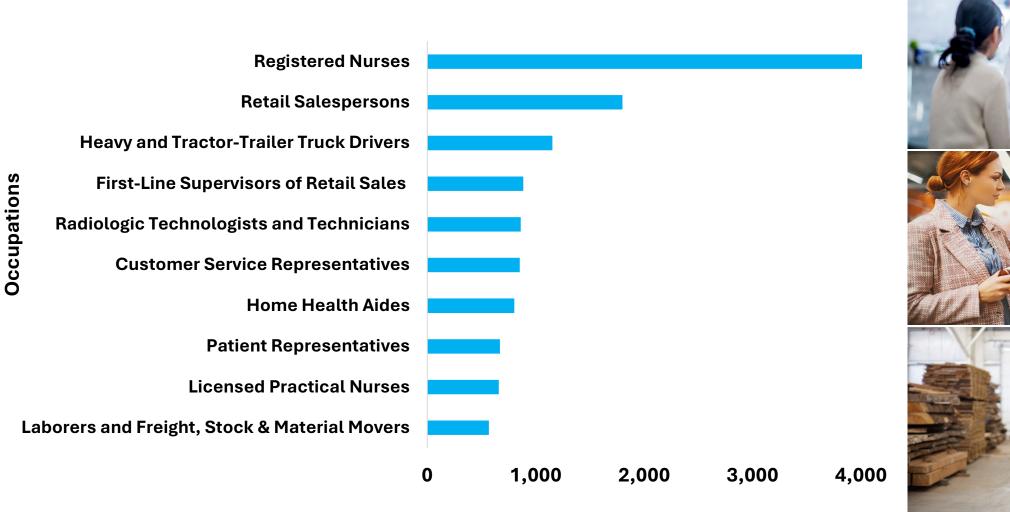








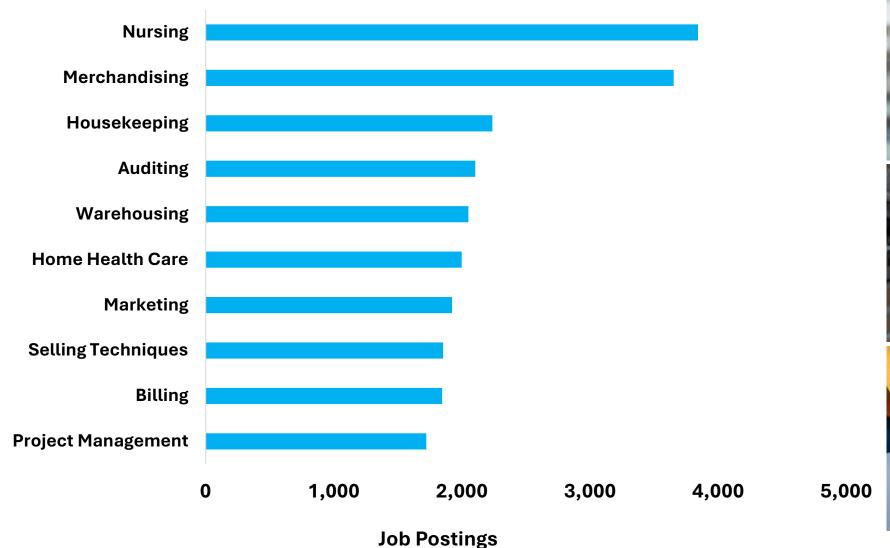
Registered nurses, retail sales and truck drivers had the most job postings in the Southern Region





Job Postings 22

Nursing, merchandising and housekeeping were the most sought-after skills in the Southern Region



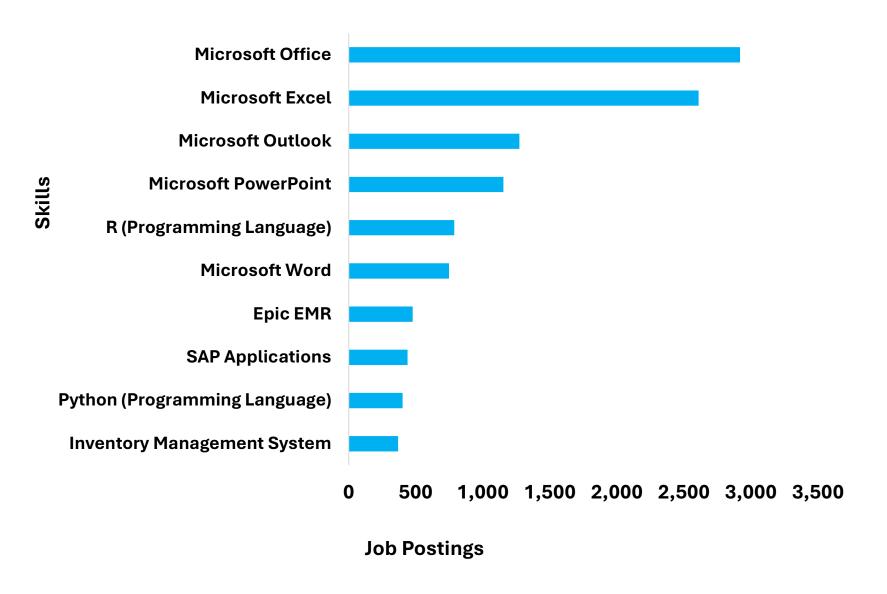
Skills







Microsoft Office Suite and its components are the most requested software skills in the Southern Region









Top 10 Employers by Job Postings Southern Region

- Cooper University Health Care
- TD Bank
- Virtua Health
- BAYADA Home Health Care
- Jefferson Health
- CVS Health
- Care Options For Kids
- Atlanticare Regional Medical Center
- ShopRite
- Inspira Health Network







Real Time Job Posting Data

- This analysis is conducted using Lightcast data, which collects data from job postings listed on the internet.
- Data layered together across 2.5 billion job postings, 400 million career profiles, and 100+ government sources, scraped daily from online labor exchanges.
- Job posting data updated continuously, historically available, and regionally relevant.

Source: Lightcast Technologies, New Jersey 2025

Prepared by: New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, August 2025

Limitations of the Data

Limitations:

- A posting does not necessarily equal a job
- Some occupations and industries are underrepresented, some may be over-represented
- While Lightcast uses algorithms to remove duplicate listings, some redundancies remain

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- Job Openings and Labor Turnover Survey (JOLTS) (July 2025)
- New Jersey's Health Care Sector (June 2025)
- Real-Time Insights: Analysis of Job Posting Data in New Jersey 2nd Quarter 2025 (August 2025)
- New Jersey Business Employment Dynamics (May 2025)
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