Online Job Postings

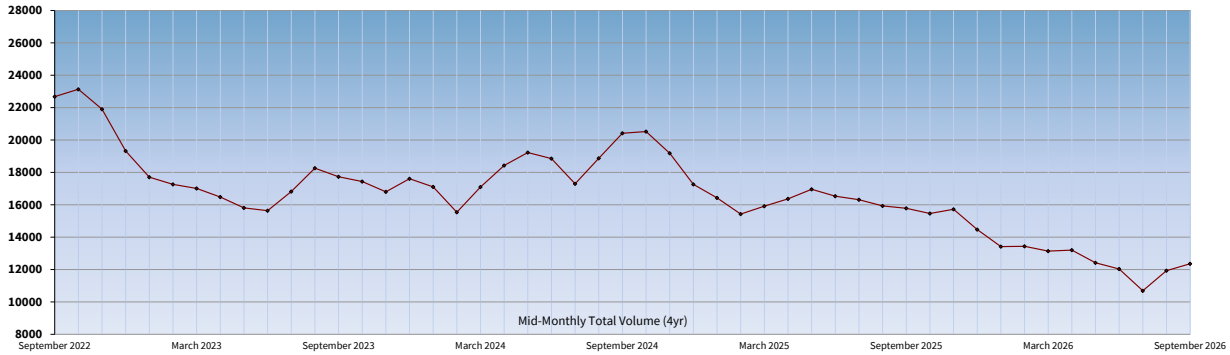
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A total of 12,361 job openings were posted online from August 14, 2026, through September 13, 2026, for Allen, Crawford, Defiance, Fulton, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Lucas, Ottawa, Paulding, Putnam, Sandusky, Seneca, Van Wert, Williams, Wood and Wyandot counties. This was an increase of 428 ads from the previous reporting period. Compared to the same time period a year ago, this reflects a decrease of 3,428 ads. The graph below shows historical trends for ads posted in this area over the last several years.

This report, and reports for other JobsOhio regions, can be found here at ohiolmi.com.



Salary for Job Ads

Salary Range	Ads
Entry Level Jobs (less than $30K)	10.3%
Middle Income Jobs ($30K-$49K)	32.2%
Upper Middle Income Jobs ($50K-$79K)	29.3%
High Income Jobs ($80K-$99K)	10.4%
Six Figure Jobs ($100K+)	17.8%

Education for Job Ads

Education Range	Ads
GED/High School	41.3%
Associate Level	18.6%
Bachelor's Degree	33.3%
Master's Degree	2.6%
Doctoral Degree	4.2%

Top Certifications for OnLine® Job Ads

Certifications	Ads
Driver's License	1,632
Commercial Driver's License	1,556
Class A Commercial Drivers License	1,139
Occupational Safety & Health Administration Certification	369
Basic Life Support	361
HAZMAT	345
Certified Registered Nurse	345
Certification in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	306
DOT Medical card	265
Licensed Practical Nurse	213

Top Skills for Job Ads

Skills	Ads
Customer service	2,746
Scheduling	1,892
Supervision	1,169
Microsoft Office	1,147
Computer usage (basic)	1,090
Mathematics	1,068
Continuous improvement	1,059
Best practices	872
Customer experience	725
Microsoft Excel	653

Top Employers with the Most Area Job Ads

Employer	Ads
Trilogy Health Services	327
First Solar	278
Blanchard Valley Health System	211
Marathon Petroleum Corporation	200
University of Toledo	186
Zachrich Trucking, Inc.	173
MERCY HEALTH	170
WesBanco Bank, Inc.	136
Internal Revenue Service	121
Taco Bell	118
Lima Memorial Hospital	104
Meijer	100
Western Express	97
DEFIANCE METAL PRODUCTS	92
The Dollar General	91
Kroger	89
Walgreens	80
CVS Health	80
Maxim Healthcare	78
Owens Corning Corporate Fleet	78
FedEx Express	78
PANDA RESTAURANT GROUP	78
Lowe's	78
Sodexo Inc.	76
Turner Construction Company	75
ATechStar	75
Dollar Tree Stores, Inc.	69
Dana Automotive Sytems Group LLC	66
Bon Secours Health System	62
Schneider National	59
Bowling Green State University	59
Owens Corning	57
Bulkmatic Transport	55
Allied Universal	53
SSOE Group	52

Top Occupations with the Most Area Job Ads

Occupation	Ads
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	1,388
Registered Nurses	346
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	339
Retail Salespersons	303
Stockers and Order Fillers	259
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	250
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	247
Accountants and Auditors	205
Cashiers	202
Software Developers	186
Industrial Engineers	181
First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers	176
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	164
Nursing Assistants	148
Customer Service Representatives	146
Fast Food and Counter Workers	139
Physicians, All Other	133
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	129
Management Analysts	122
Construction Managers	115
Computer Occupations, All Other	101
Computer Network Architects	100
Sales Reps of Services, Except Advertising, Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	94
Health Specialties Teachers, Postsecondary	93
Pharmacy Technicians	93
Light Truck Drivers	93
Web Developers	92
Production Workers, All Other	91
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	88
Driver/Sales Workers	86
Security Guards	85
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	83
Mechanical Engineers	82
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	82
Insurance Sales Agents	77

EDITOR'S NOTE: This report is based on data provided by TalentNeuron, a global research and advisory company. Through this partnership, new data sources and improved methodologies are available to better understand occupational demand over time. This reflects a change from the methodology used to produce these reports prior to October 2023.

This information is a snapshot in time and may not represent long-term trends. Any of this data, including historical reports, may vary slightly over time as minor revisions are continually made to this live database. Some ads may appear in two or more occupation codes and may be counted more than once. This information should be used in conjunction with local labor market information to analyze current occupational demand.

This data has not been seasonally adjusted. Sometimes seasonal adjustment is used to remove fluctuations in unemployment and labor force trends that normally occur with changes in the season. Seasonal variation in employment occurs for natural and institutional reasons, including reduced employment involving outdoor activities during winter, changes in labor force and unemployment levels with opening and closing of schools, and layoffs during the automobile model changeover period. Seasonal variations can also affect the number of online job ads, so over the year it will affect the data in this report.

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"OhioMeansJobs.com is Ohio's online career and employment center and a great resource for anyone looking for a job," said Ohio Department of Job and Family Services Director Matt Damschroder. "On any given day, OhioMeansJobs.com lists more than 100,000 job openings, with at least half paying more than $50,000 per year."

Ohioans also can contact their local OhioMeansJobs center to find and apply for job openings, take skill and career interest assessments, create or improve their resumes, and practice interviewing. Employers can contact their nearest OhioMeansJobs center to get help finding skilled candidates for jobs, screening resumes, learning about federally funded tax credits or training programs, and more. To find contact information for your nearest OhioMeansJobs center, visit OhioMeansJobs.com and select "FIND A JOB CENTER" at the bottom of the page.

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