

In Demand Middle-Skill Occupations

HUMBOLDT REGIONAL PLANNING UNIT

Humboldt County



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180 TOTAL PROJECTED
JOB OPENINGS

\$43,696* MEDIAN
ANNUAL WAGE



HEAVY AND TRACTOR-TRAILER TRUCK DRIVERS

180 TOTAL PROJECTED
JOB OPENINGS

\$38,849 MEDIAN
ANNUAL WAGE



TEACHER ASSISTANTS

160 TOTAL PROJECTED
JOB OPENINGS

\$23,110 MEDIAN
ANNUAL WAGE



MEDICAL ASSISTANTS

130 TOTAL PROJECTED
JOB OPENINGS

\$35,407 MEDIAN
ANNUAL WAGE



AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE TECHNICIANS AND MECHANICS

120 TOTAL PROJECTED
JOB OPENINGS

\$46,365 MEDIAN
ANNUAL WAGE



What is a Middle-Skill Occupation?

A middle-skill occupation requires either some college, postsecondary non-degree award, associate's degree, or on-the-job training.

Source: California Employment Development Department, Projections of Employment 2014-2024. Total projected job openings are the sum of new and replacement job openings. Occupational Employment Statistics Wage Survey, updated to 1st Q, 2017.

* Median annual wage represents the entire North Coast Region, including Del Norte, Humboldt, Lake, and Mendocino Counties.

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