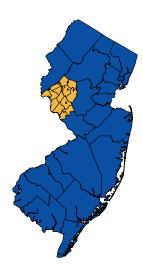
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Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2020 Average Annual): 36,927

Percent of N.J. Total: 1.2%

2015-2020 Employment Change: -2,326 or -5.9%

Largest Industry (2020 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2020 Average Annual): 6,035 Percent of Total County Employment: 16.3%

Private Sector Wage (2020 Average Annual): County: \$70,503 NJ: \$67,040

Rank Among NJ Counties: 9

2015-2020 Change: +\$8,410 or +13.5%

Demographics²

Population (April 1, 2020 Census): 128,947

Percent of N.J. Total: 1.4% Persons Per Square Mile: 301.4

Most Populous Municipality (2020 Census): Raritan Population: 23,447

Total Households: 47,175

Average Household Size: County: 2.56 persons NJ: 2.69 persons

Population Characteristics3

Veterans: 5,439

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over (%): County: 95.0% NJ: 89.8% Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over (%): County: 52.7% NJ: 39.7% Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years (%): County: 4.9% NJ: 14.0%

Median Age: County: 46.3 Years NJ: 39.9

Economic Characteristics4

Per Capita Personal Income (2019): County: \$92,291 NJ: \$70,471

Rank Among NJ Counties: 3

Unemployment Rate: (2020 Annual Average): Coumty: 7.2% NJ: 9.8%

Total Residential Building Permits (2020): 319

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2020): 130

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 35.0 Minutes NJ: 32.2 Minutes

Percent of Households with an Internet Subscription Service: County: 91.1% NJ: 86.1%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 97.4%

Percent with Private Health Insurance: 86.0% Percent with Public Health Insurance: 25.0%





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Sources:

¹New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages

Note: Rankings based on data for industries that is published in accordance with guidelines issued by the Bureau of Labor Statistics

²U.S. Census Bureau, 2020 decennial census and American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates

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⁴U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development Division of Economic and Demographic Research, U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates, and U.S. Census Bureau Manufacturing and Consutruction Division

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