

## High Demand Occupations in Health and Bio Sciences

Kansas  
2019

SOC Code	Occupation Title	JVS <sup>1</sup>	ST <sup>2</sup>	LT <sup>3</sup>	Total Score	Rank	Education	Work Experience	Job Training	Median Annual Wage <sup>4</sup>	High Demand High Wage	Career Cluster	Career Pathway	Projected Average Annual Job Openings U.S.
29-1141	Registered nurses	10	10	10	30	2	Bachelor's degree	None	None	\$59,680	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	210,400
31-1014	Nursing assistants	10	10	10	30	6	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None	\$25,670		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	190,700
29-2061	Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses	9	7	7	23	44	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None	\$43,440		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	66,300
31-9092	Medical assistants	7	7	7	21	60	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None	\$30,540		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	99,700
11-9111	Medical and health services managers	6	6	6	18	81	Bachelor's degree	Less than 5 years	None	\$85,610	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	42,200
29-2052	Pharmacy technicians	6	6	6	18	87	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	\$32,330		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	38,300
31-1011	Home health aides	3	7	7	17	104	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Short-term on-the-job training	\$23,890		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	140,800
29-2010	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians	5	5	5	15	115	Associate's degree	None	None	\$46,060	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	25,500
31-9091	Dental assistants	2	6	6	14	123	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None	\$36,420		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	44,800
43-6013	Medical secretaries	0	6	6	12	154	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Moderate-term on-the-job training	\$33,390		Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	82,400
29-1069	Physicians and surgeons, all other	4	4	3	11	159	Doctoral or professional degree	None	Internship/residency	\$186,790	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	16,500
29-2034	Radiologic technologists	5	3	3	11	163	Associate's degree	None	None	\$52,320	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	14,000
29-1123	Physical therapists	4	3	3	10	174	Doctoral or professional degree	None	None	\$86,530	✓	Health & Bio Sciences	Health Science	16,900
29-2021	Dental hygienists	2	4	4	10	177	Associate's degree	None	None	\$66,900	✓	Sciences	Health Science	17,900

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services (LMIS)

1. Job Vacancy Survey Score is based off of the Spring 2019 Kansas Job Vacancy Survey

2. Short-term Projections Score is based off of the 2018-2020 round of projection data

3. Long-term Projections Score is based off of the 2016-2026 round of projection data

4. Wage data is from the 2019 Edition of the Kansas Wage Survey (data collected in 2018)

\* 2018 Edition of the Kansas Wage Survey, 2019 edition wage data is not available

\*\* 2018 U.S. Wage Data, Kansas wage data is not available

Note: The 2019 high demand list includes 197 high demand occupations out of 780 total occupations.

Note: List only includes occupations with above average demand in one of the three categories and a total demand score greater than or equal to 10