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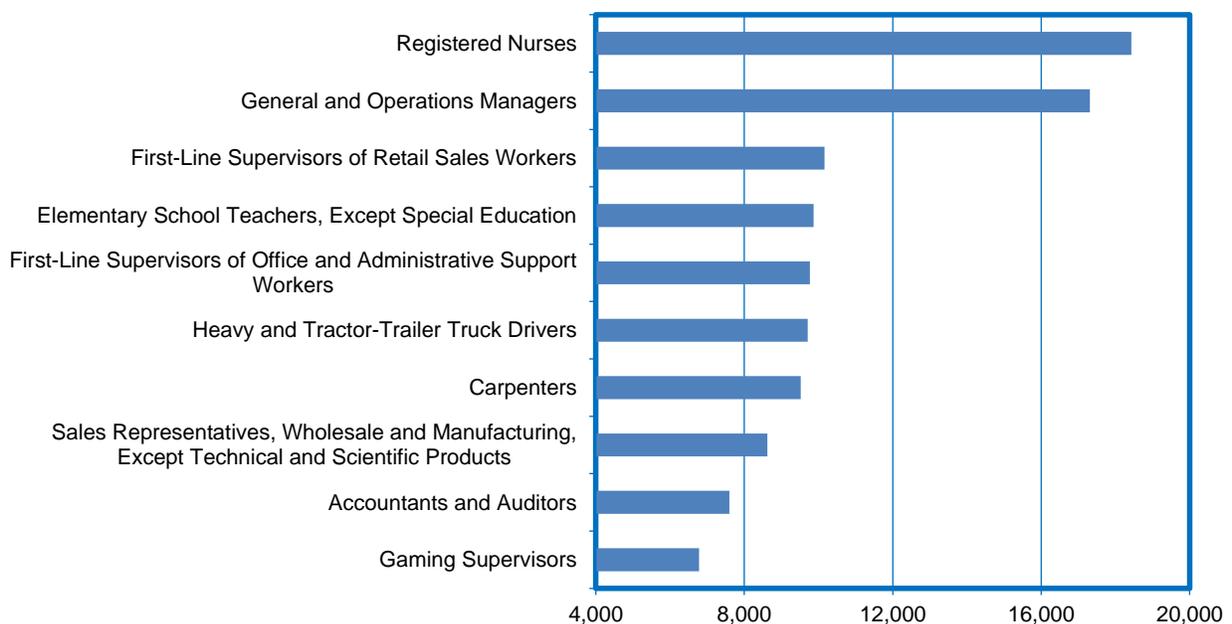


Largest High-Paying Occupations  
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## Registered Nurses/General/Operations Managers Largest Occupations with Above Average Pay in Nevada

(Ten Largest Occupations with Above-Average Wages; 2014 Occupational Employment Statistics Data)



- The Occupational Employment Statistics (OES) survey is a semi-annual mail survey measuring occupational employment and wage rates for wage and salary workers in nonfarm establishments in Nevada and all states.
- Statewide, the average wage is \$42,300 per year.
- The largest occupations with pay above the State average are registered nurses (18,400 jobs), general/operations managers (17,300 jobs), and first-line supervisors of retail sales workers (10,200 jobs).
- Of the largest occupations with above average pay, the occupations with the highest wages are general/operations managers, registered nurses, and accountants/auditors at a yearly average salary of \$101,400, \$80,400, and \$63,300, respectively
- According to Economic Modeling Specialists Intl. (EMSI), Clark County is home to 71.2% of the largest, high-paying, occupations, followed by Washoe County at 17.3%.