



Nye County, NV



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Report Parameters

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32023 Nye County, NV

Class of Worker

QCEW Employees, Non-QCEW Employees, and Self-Employed

The information in this report pertains to the chosen geographical area.

Economy Overview

57,240

Population (2025)

Population **grew by 5,269** over the last 5 years and is projected to **grow by 5,729** over the next 5 years.

15,491

Total Regional Employment

Jobs **grew by 1,535** over the last 5 years and are projected to **grow by 1,126** over the next 5 years.

\$60.7K

Median Household Income (2024)

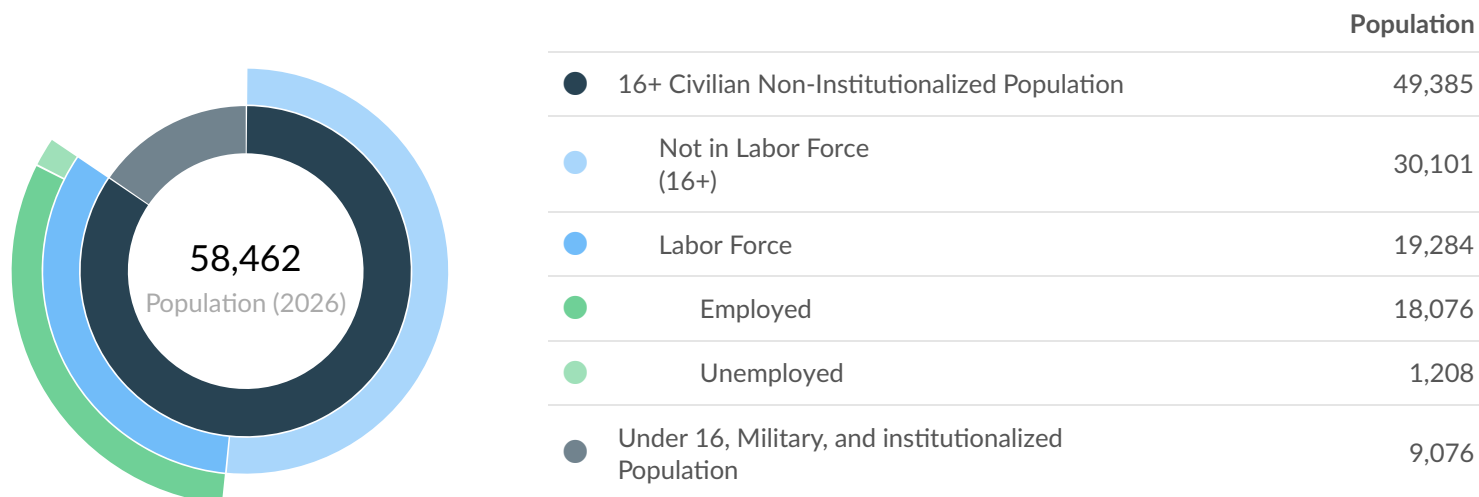
Median household income is **\$20.0K below** the national median household income of \$80.7K.

Takeaways

- As of 2025 the region's population **increased by 10.1%** since 2020, growing by 5,269. Population is expected to **increase by 10.0%** between 2025 and 2030, adding 5,729.
- From 2020 to 2025, jobs **increased by 11.0%** in Nye County, NV from 13,956 to **15,491**. This change **outpaced the national growth rate of 10.7% by 0.3%**. As the number of jobs increased, the **labor force participation rate decreased from 42.7% to 41.0% between 2020 and 2025**.
- Concerning educational attainment, **9.4% of Nye County, NV residents possess a Bachelor's Degree** (12.4% below the national average), and **9.0% hold an Associate's Degree** (0.1% above the national average).
- The top three industries in 2025 are Scientific Research and Development Services, Education and Hospitals (Local Government), and Restaurants and Other Eating Places.

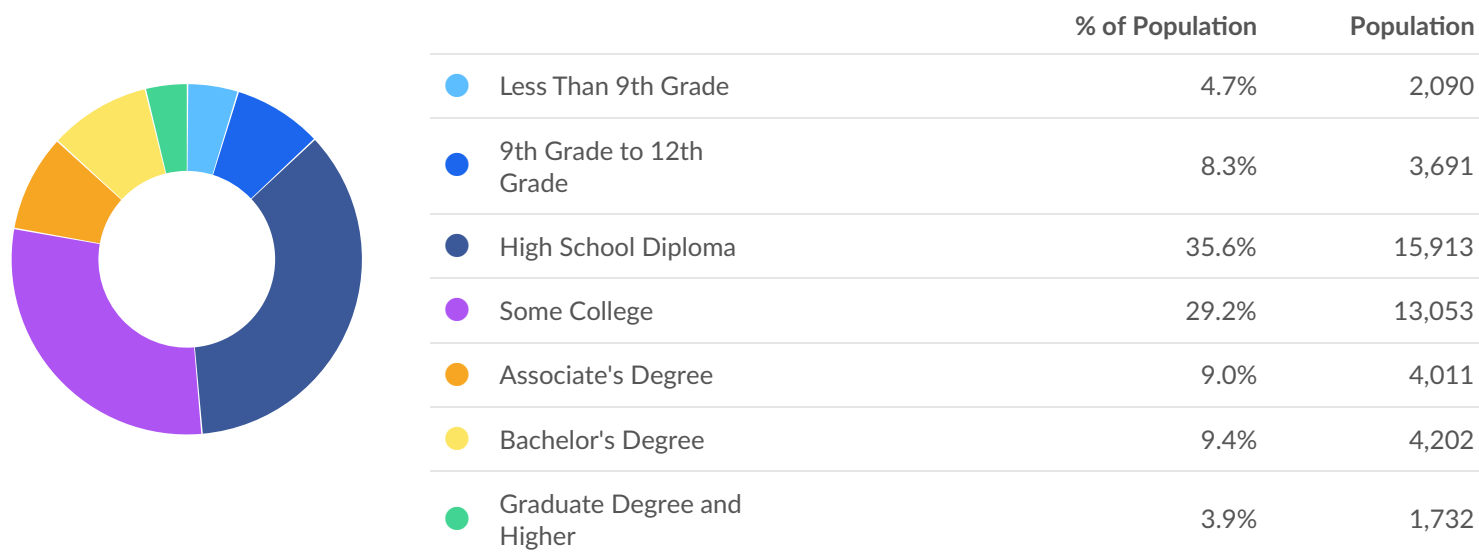
	Population (2026)	Labor Force (Jun 2026)	Jobs (2025)	Cost of Living	GRP	Imports	Exports
Region	58,462	19,284	15,491	102.7	\$2.69B	\$3.95B	\$3.16B
State	3,316,686	1,664,645	1,750,481	111.4	\$288.55B	\$223.98B	\$264.86B

Jun 2026 Labor Force Breakdown



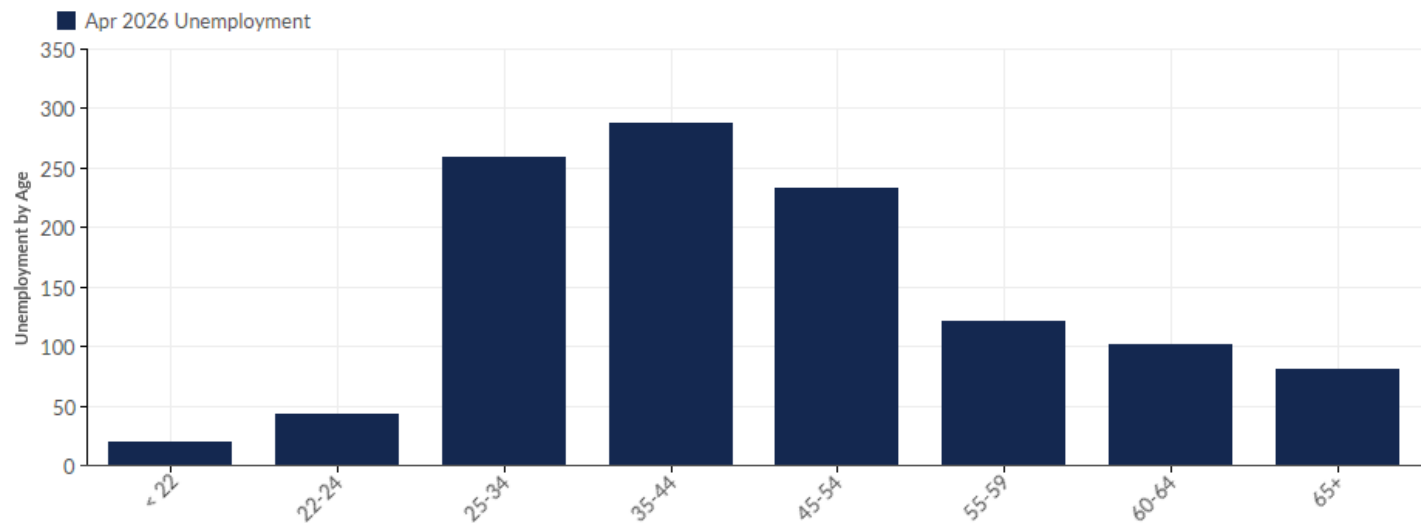
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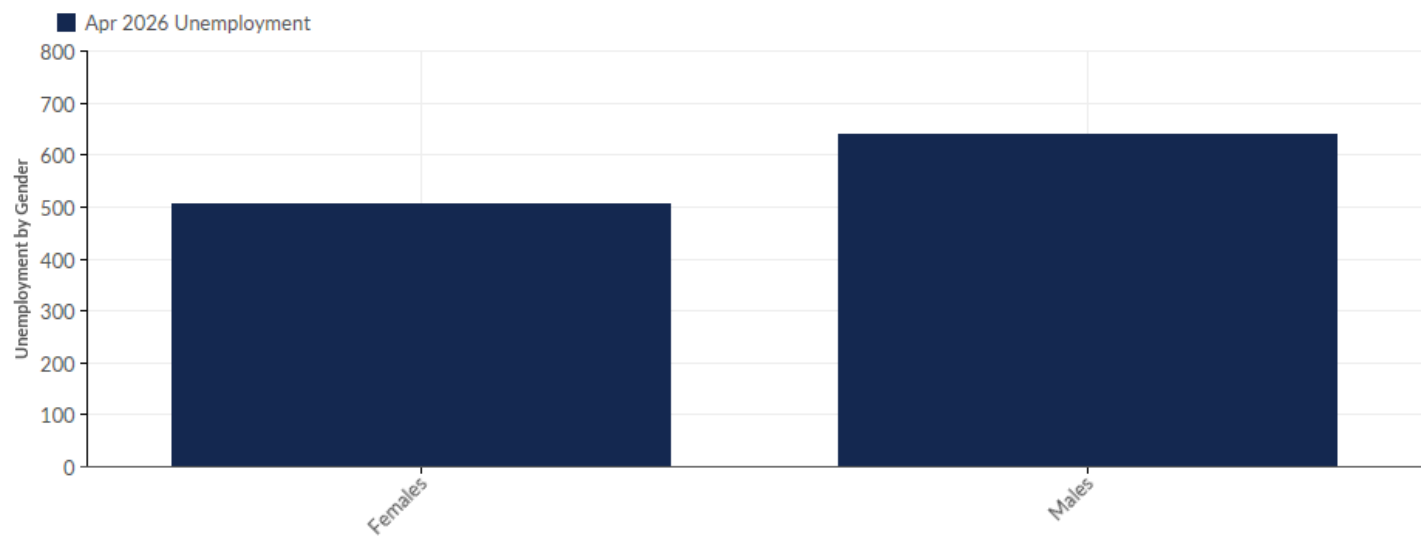
Unemployment by Demographics

Unemployment by Age



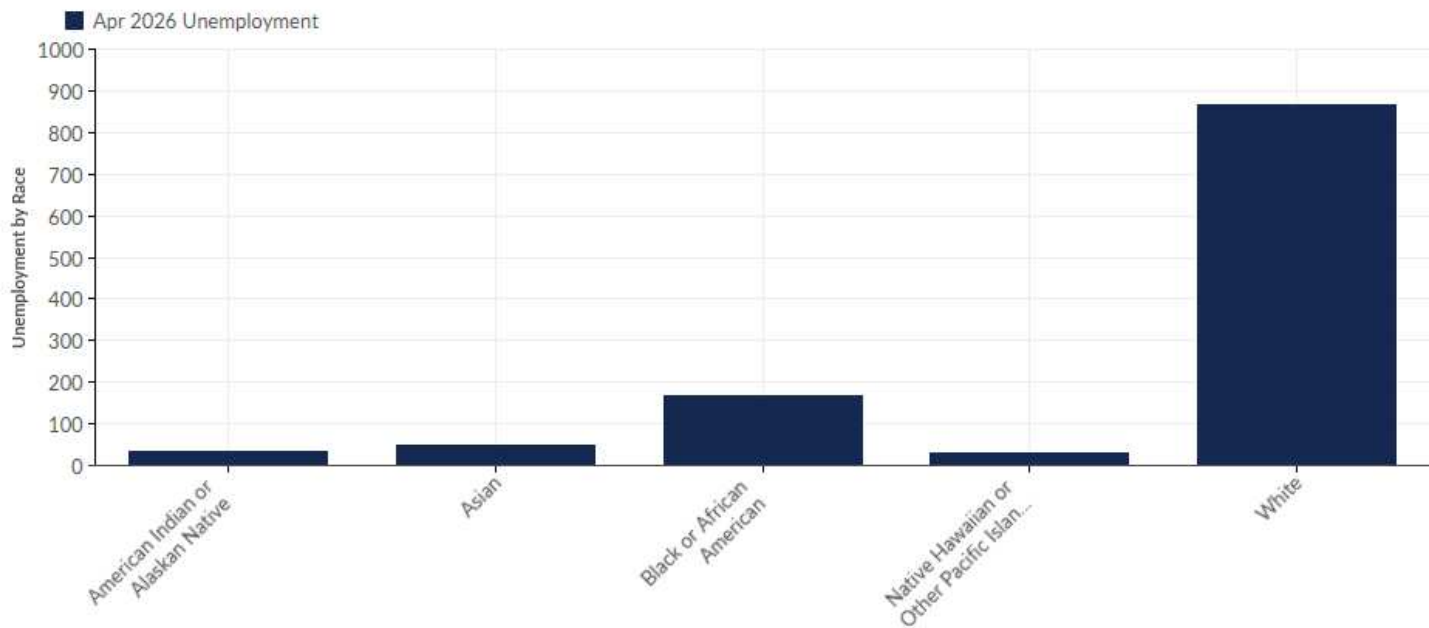
Age	Unemployment (Apr 2026)	% of Unemployed
< 22	20	1.75%
22-24	43	3.76%
25-34	258	22.53%
35-44	287	25.07%
45-54	233	20.35%
55-59	122	10.66%
60-64	102	8.91%
65+	81	7.07%
Total	1,145	100.00%

Unemployment by Gender



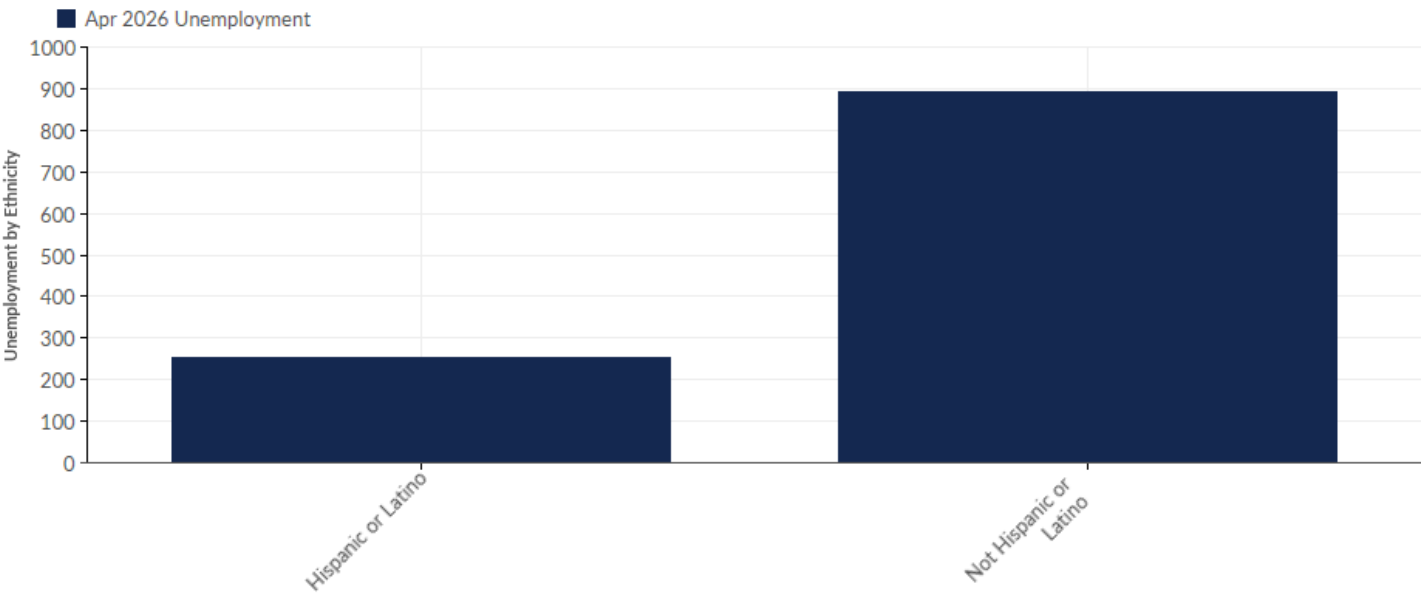
Gender	Unemployment (Apr 2026)	% of Unemployed
Females	505	44.10%
Males	640	55.90%
Total	1,145	100.00%

Unemployment by Race



Race	Unemployment (Apr 2026)	% of Unemployed
American Indian or Alaskan Native	33	2.88%
Asian	50	4.37%
Black or African American	166	14.50%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	28	2.45%
White	868	75.81%
Total	1,145	100.00%

Unemployment by Ethnicity

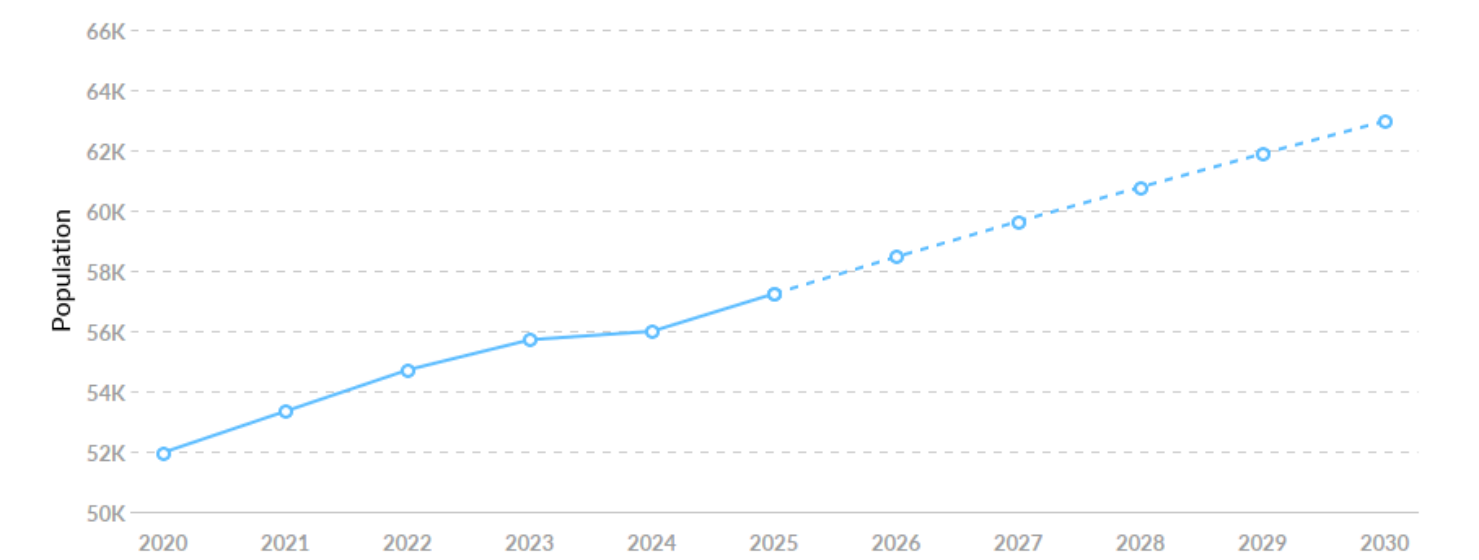


Ethnicity	Unemployment (Apr 2026)	% of Unemployed
Hispanic or Latino	254	22.18%
Not Hispanic or Latino	891	77.82%
Total	1,145	100.00%

Historic & Projected Trends

Population Trends

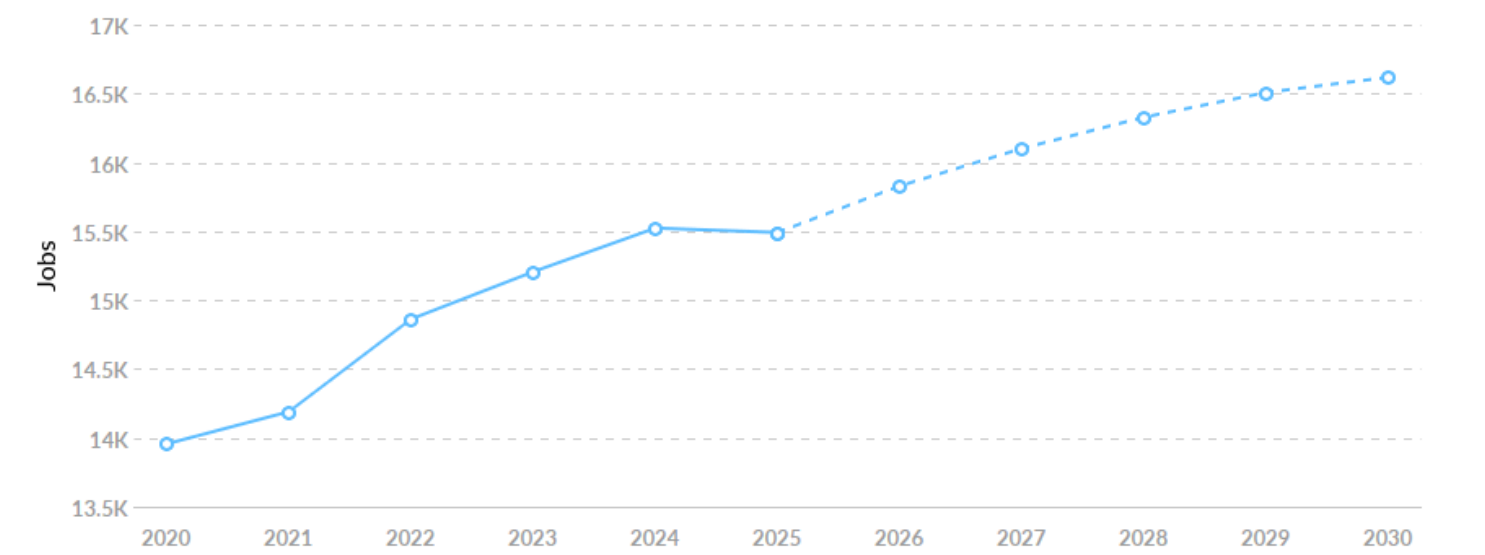
As of 2025 the region's population **increased by 10.1%** since 2020, growing by 5,269. Population is expected to **increase by 10.0%** between 2025 and 2030, adding 5,729.



Timeframe	Population
2020	51,971
2021	53,339
2022	54,710
2023	55,708
2024	55,990
2025	57,240
2026	58,462
2027	59,642
2028	60,778
2029	61,889
2030	62,970

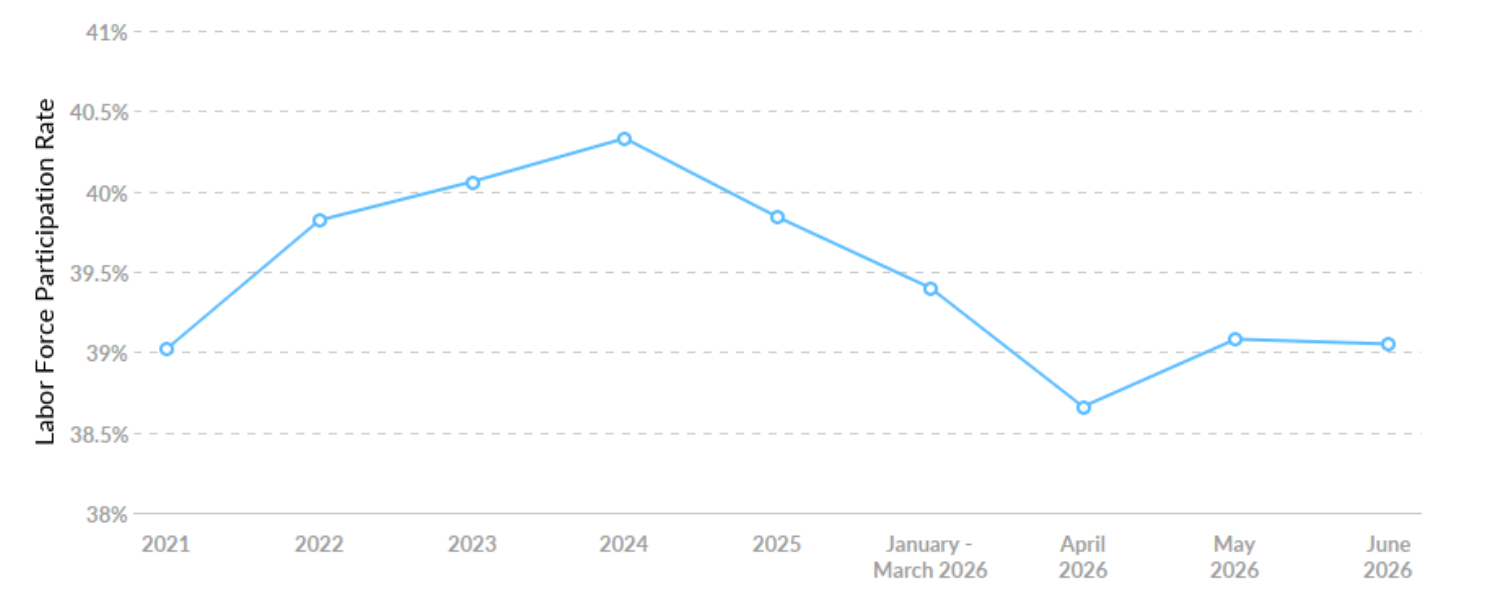
Job Trends

From 2020 to 2025, jobs increased by **11.0%** in Nye County, NV from 13,956 to **15,491**. This change **outpaced the national growth rate of 10.7% by 0.3%**.



Timeframe	Jobs
2020	13,956
2021	14,190
2022	14,862
2023	15,206
2024	15,523
2025	15,491
2026	15,829
2027	16,101
2028	16,328
2029	16,508
2030	16,618

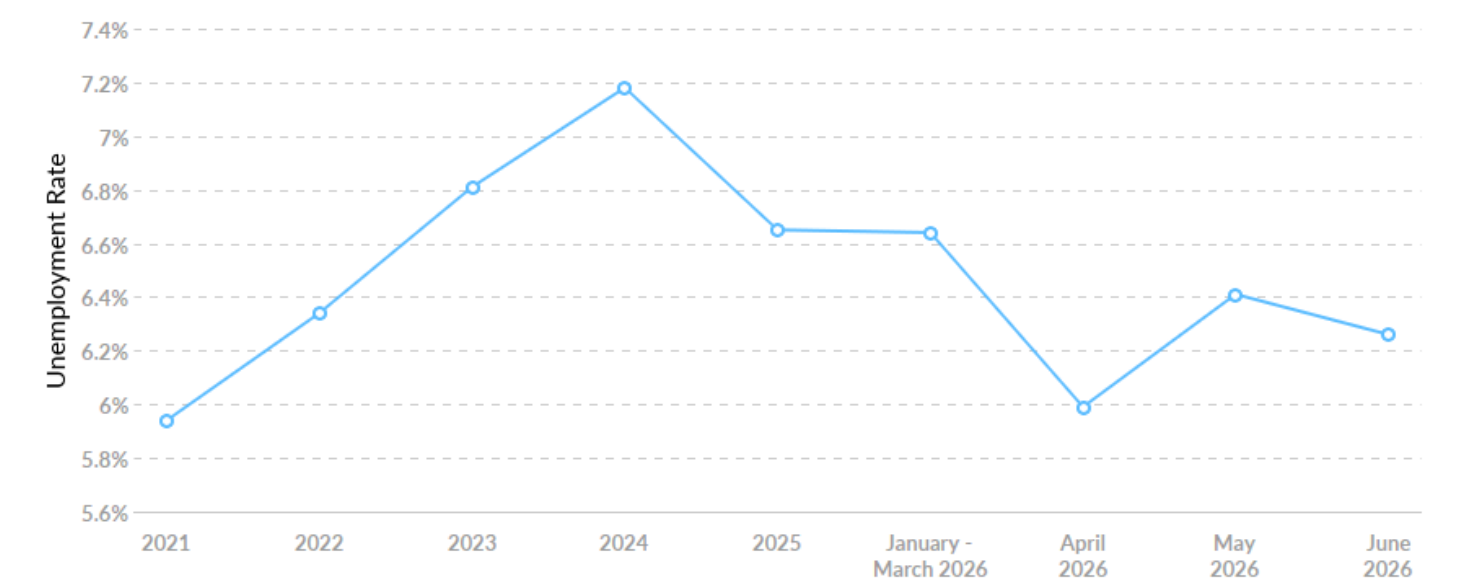
Labor Force Participation Rate Trends



Timeframe	Labor Force Participation Rate
2021	39.02%
2022	39.82%
2023	40.06%
2024	40.33%
2025	39.84%
January - March 2026	39.40%
April 2026	38.66%
May 2026	39.08%
June 2026	39.05%

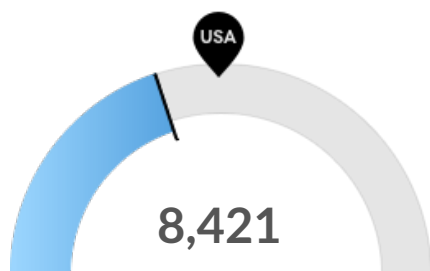
Unemployment Rate Trends

Nye County, NV had a June 2026 unemployment rate of 6.26%, **increasing from 5.94%** 5 years before.



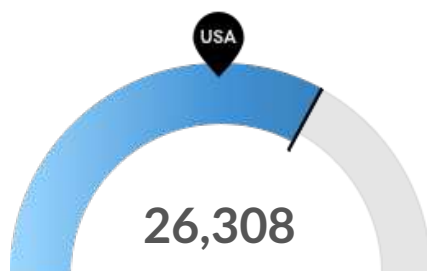
Timeframe	Unemployment Rate
2021	5.94%
2022	6.34%
2023	6.81%
2024	7.18%
2025	6.65%
January - March 2026	6.64%
April 2026	5.99%
May 2026	6.41%
June 2026	6.26%

Population Characteristics



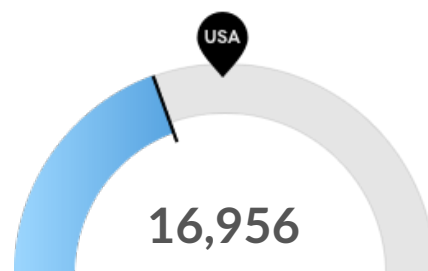
Millennials

Nye County, NV has 8,421 millennials (ages 25-39). The national average for an area this size is 11,462.



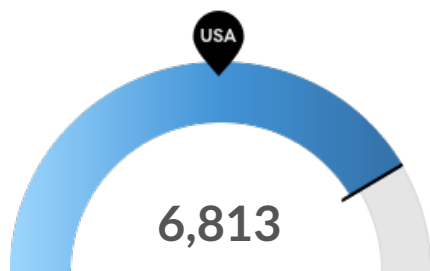
Retiring Soon

Retirement risk is high in Nye County, NV. The national average for an area this size is 16,930 people 55 or older, while there are 26,308 here.



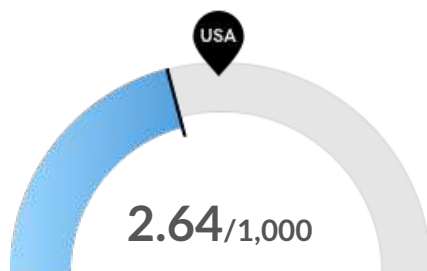
Racial Diversity

Racial diversity is low in Nye County, NV. The national average for an area this size is 23,817 racially diverse people, while there are 16,956 here.



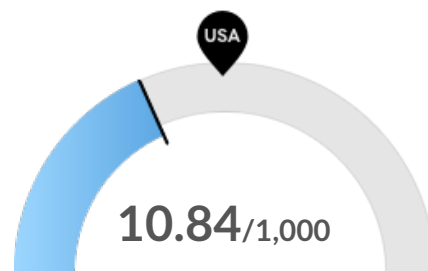
Veterans

Nye County, NV has 6,813 veterans. The national average for an area this size is 2,665.



Violent Crime

Nye County, NV has 2.64 violent crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 3.38 per 1,000 people.

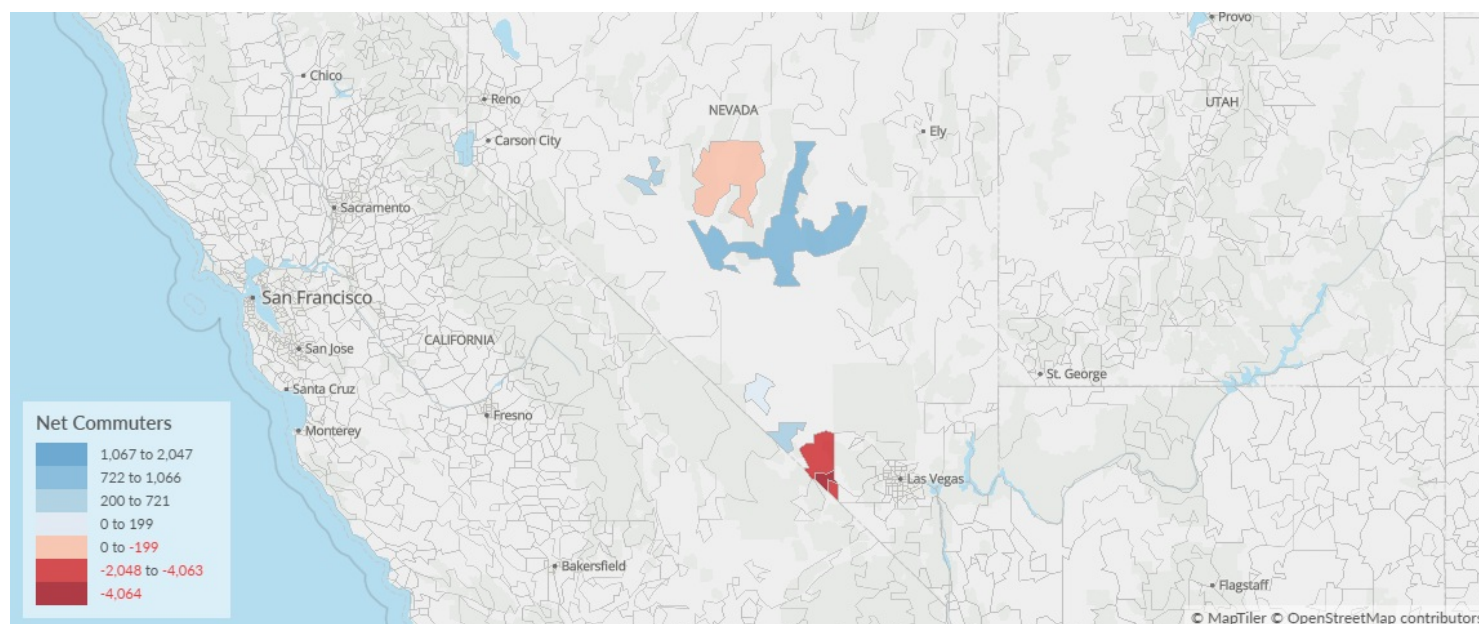


Property Crime

Nye County, NV has 10.84 property crimes per 1,000 people. The national rate is 16.44 per 1,000 people.

Place of Work vs Place of Residence

Understanding where talent in Nye County, NV currently works compared to where talent lives can help you optimize site decisions.



Where Talent Works

ZIP	Name	2025 Employment
89048	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	6,354
89060	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	2,460
89049	Tonopah, NV (in Nye co...	1,603
89023	Mercury, NV (in Nye co...	1,237
89061	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	1,187

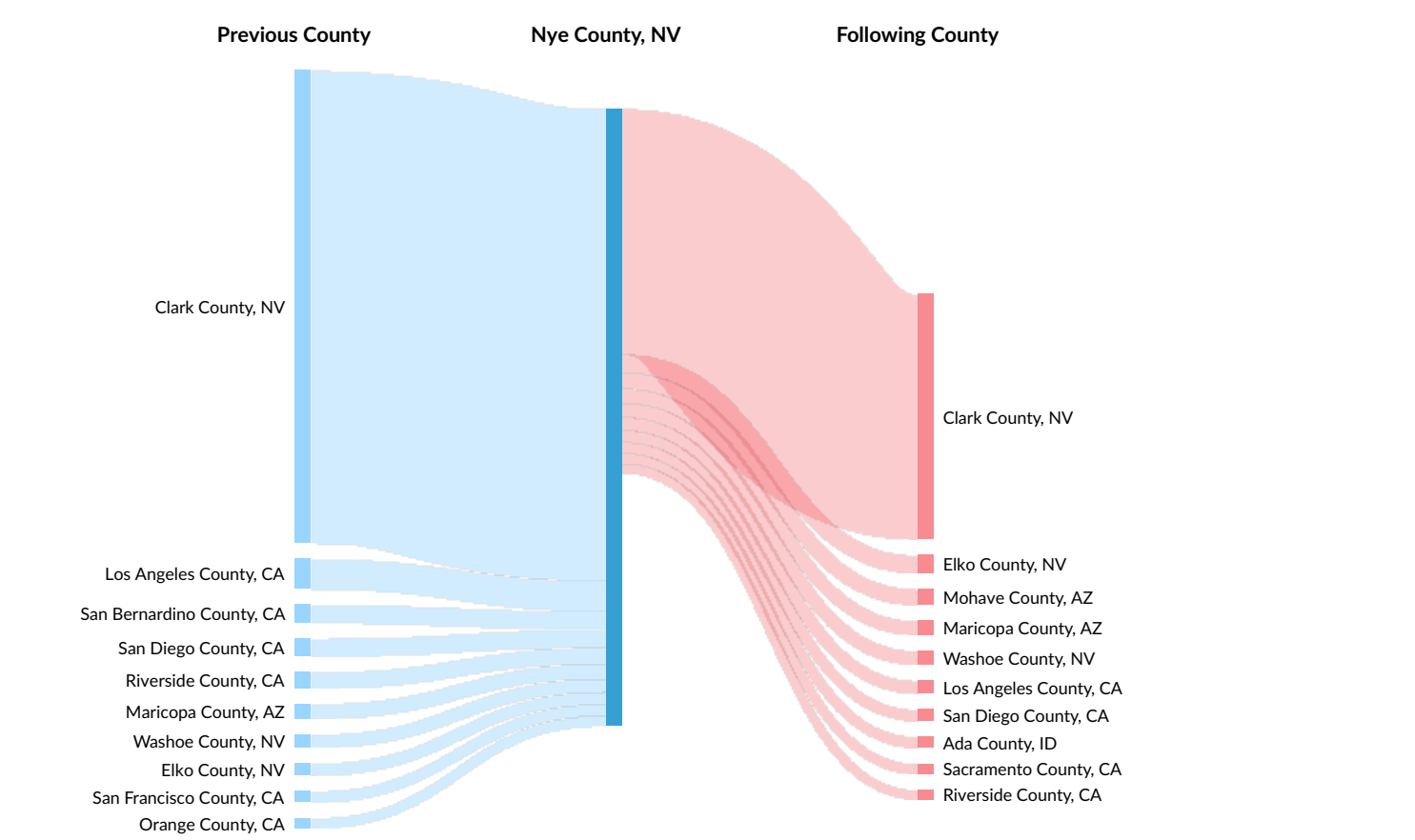
Where Talent Lives

ZIP	Name	2025 Workers
89048	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	10,418
89060	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	4,802
89061	Pahrump, NV (in Nye co...	3,236
89049	Tonopah, NV (in Nye co...	881
89045	Round Mountain, NV (in...	803

Inbound and Outbound Migration

The table below analyzes past and current residents of Nye County, NV. The left column shows residents of other counties migrating to Nye County, NV. The right column shows residents migrating from Nye County, NV to other counties.

As of 2023, 1,456 people have migrated from Clark County, NV to Nye County, NV. In the same year, 757 people left Nye County, NV migrating to Clark County, NV. The total Net Migration for Nye County, NV in 2023 was 739.

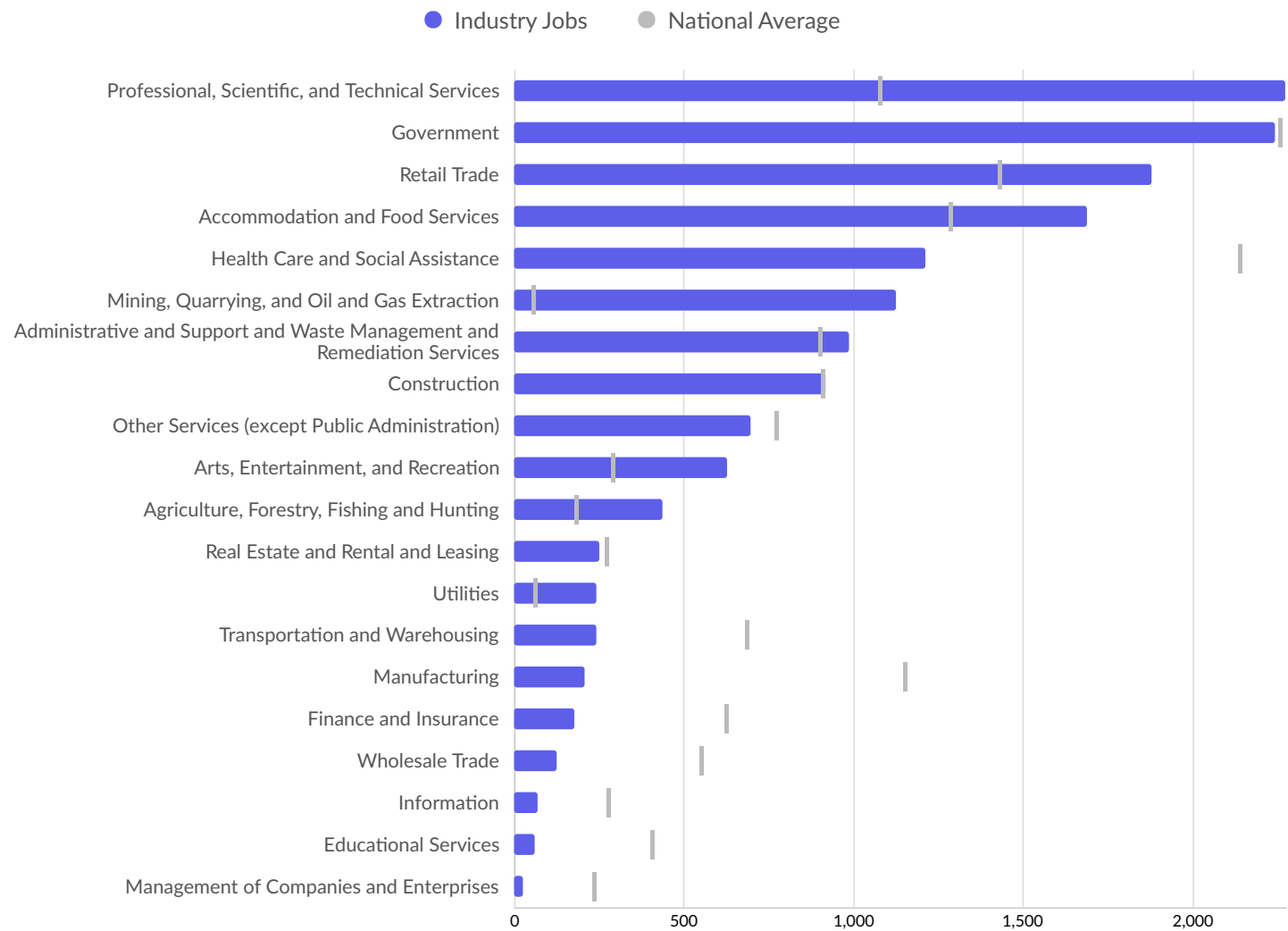


Top Previous Counties	Migrations
Clark County, NV	1,456
Los Angeles County, CA	93
San Bernardino County, CA	56
San Diego County, CA	55
Riverside County, CA	50
Maricopa County, AZ	46

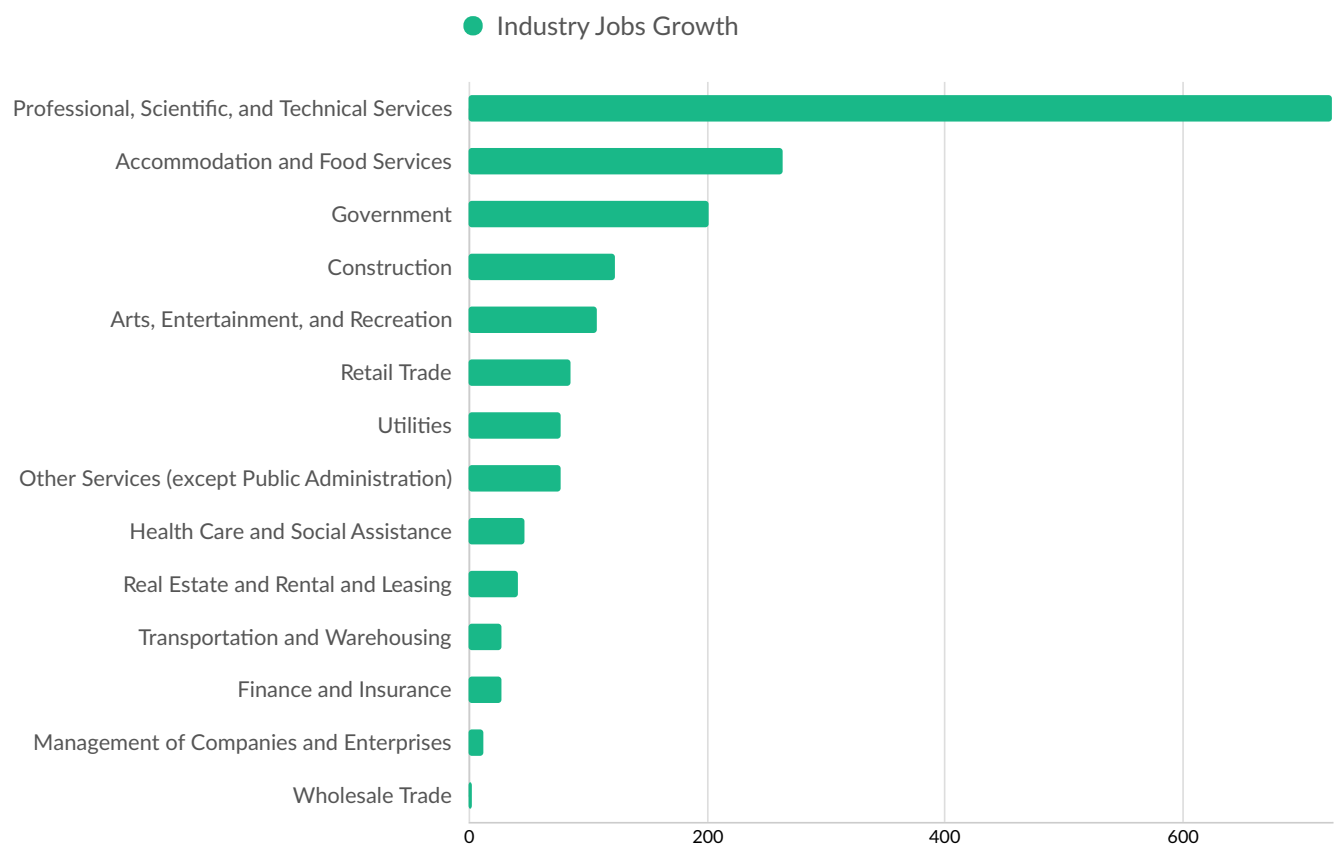
Top Previous Counties	Migrations
Washoe County, NV	41
Elko County, NV	38
San Francisco County, CA	35
Orange County, CA	32
Sacramento County, CA	31
Salt Lake County, UT	29
Lyon County, NV	22
Santa Clara County, CA	20
Honolulu County, HI	19
Top Following Counties	Migrations
Clark County, NV	757
Elko County, NV	56
Mohave County, AZ	50
Maricopa County, AZ	44
Washoe County, NV	44
Los Angeles County, CA	40
San Diego County, CA	36
Ada County, ID	34
Sacramento County, CA	32
Riverside County, CA	30
Churchill County, NV	30
San Bernardino County, CA	26
Washington County, OR	26
Cook County, IL	24
Thurston County, WA	24

Industry Characteristics

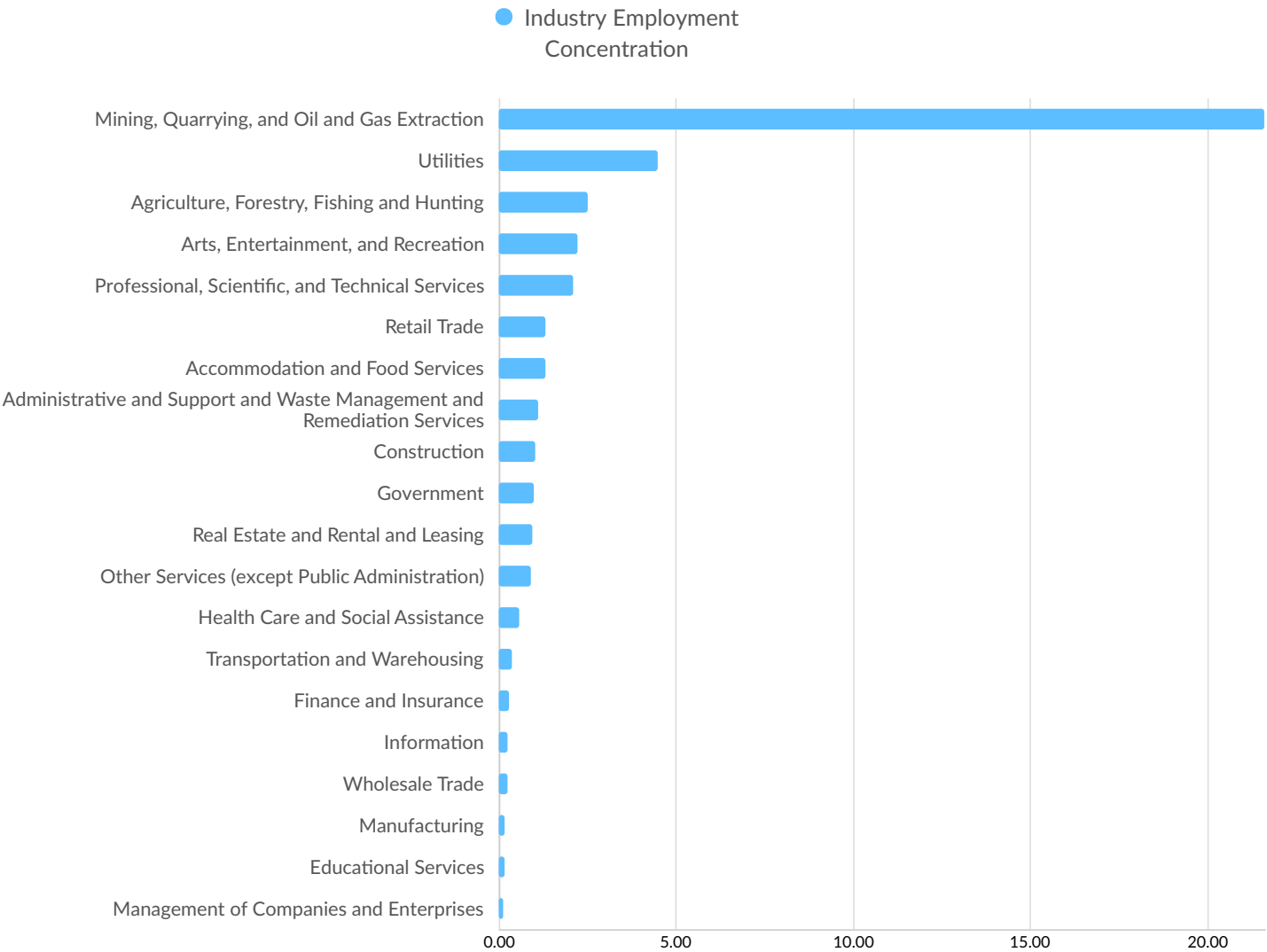
Largest Industries



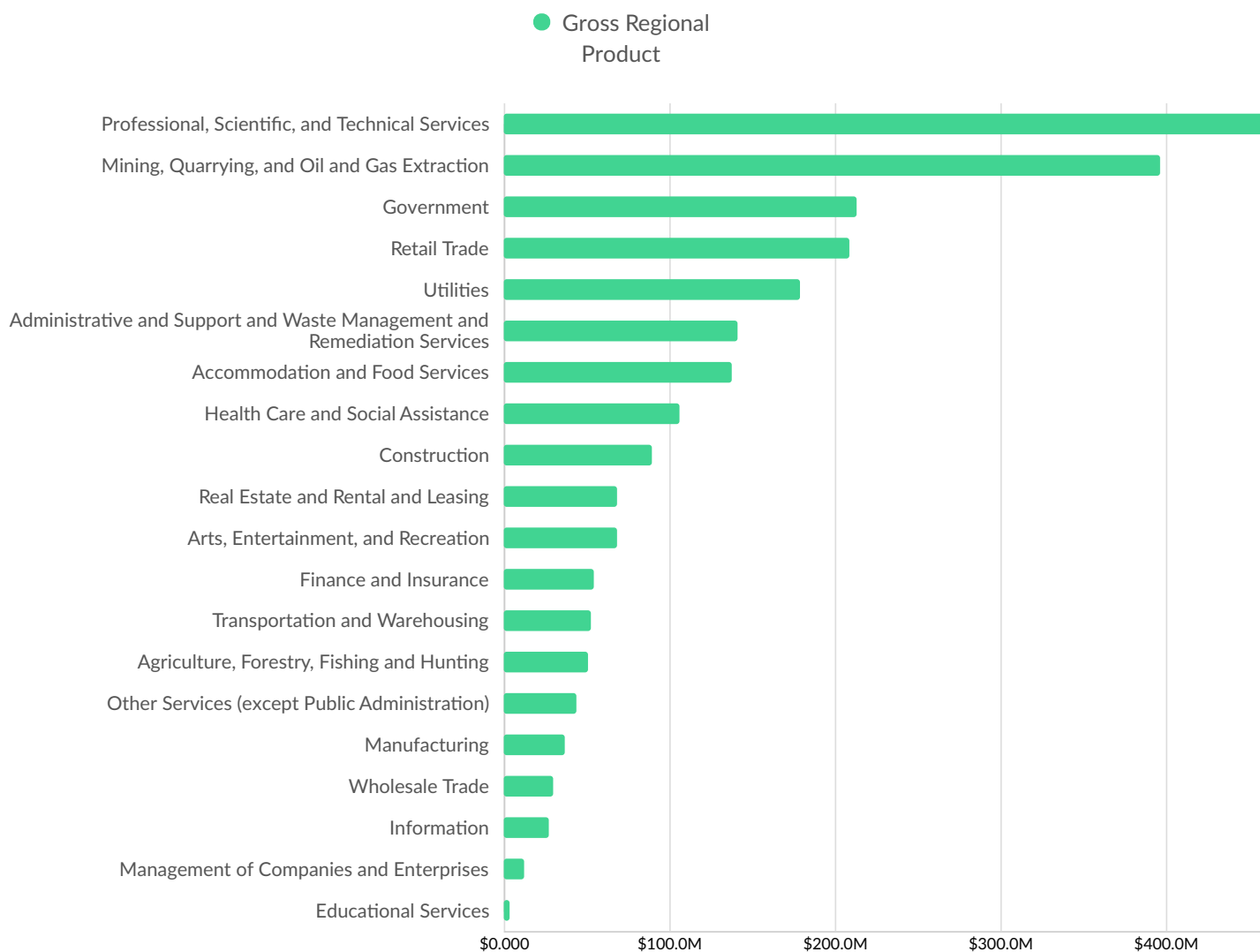
Top Growing Industries



Top Industry Employment Concentration



Top Industry GRP



Top Industry Earnings



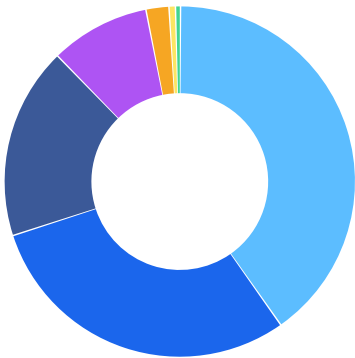
Business Characteristics

4,713 Companies Employ Your Workers

Online profiles for your workers mention 4,713 companies as employers, with the top 10 appearing below. In the last 12 months, 549 companies in Nye County, NV posted job postings, with the top 10 appearing below.

Top Companies	Profiles	Top Companies Posting	Unique Postings
Nye County School District	249	Nye County School District	134
Kinross Gold Corporation	180	Nevada National Security Site	133
Nye County Nevada	110	Kinross Gold Corporation	121
Desert View Hospital	67	Mission Support And Test Servic...	117
Golden Entertainment	67	CoreCivic	74
Valley Electric Association	66	Smith's Food And Drug	45
National Security Technologies	50	Uhs	42
Walmart	50	Kroger	37
Mission Support And Test Servic...	46	Pahrump Nugget	33
CoreCivic	43	Golden Entertainment	32

Business Size



	Percentage	Business Count
1 to 4 employees	40.2%	608
5 to 9 employees	29.8%	451
10 to 19 employees	17.7%	268
20 to 49 employees	9.2%	139
50 to 99 employees	2.1%	32
100 to 249 employees	0.6%	9
250 to 499 employees	0.5%	7

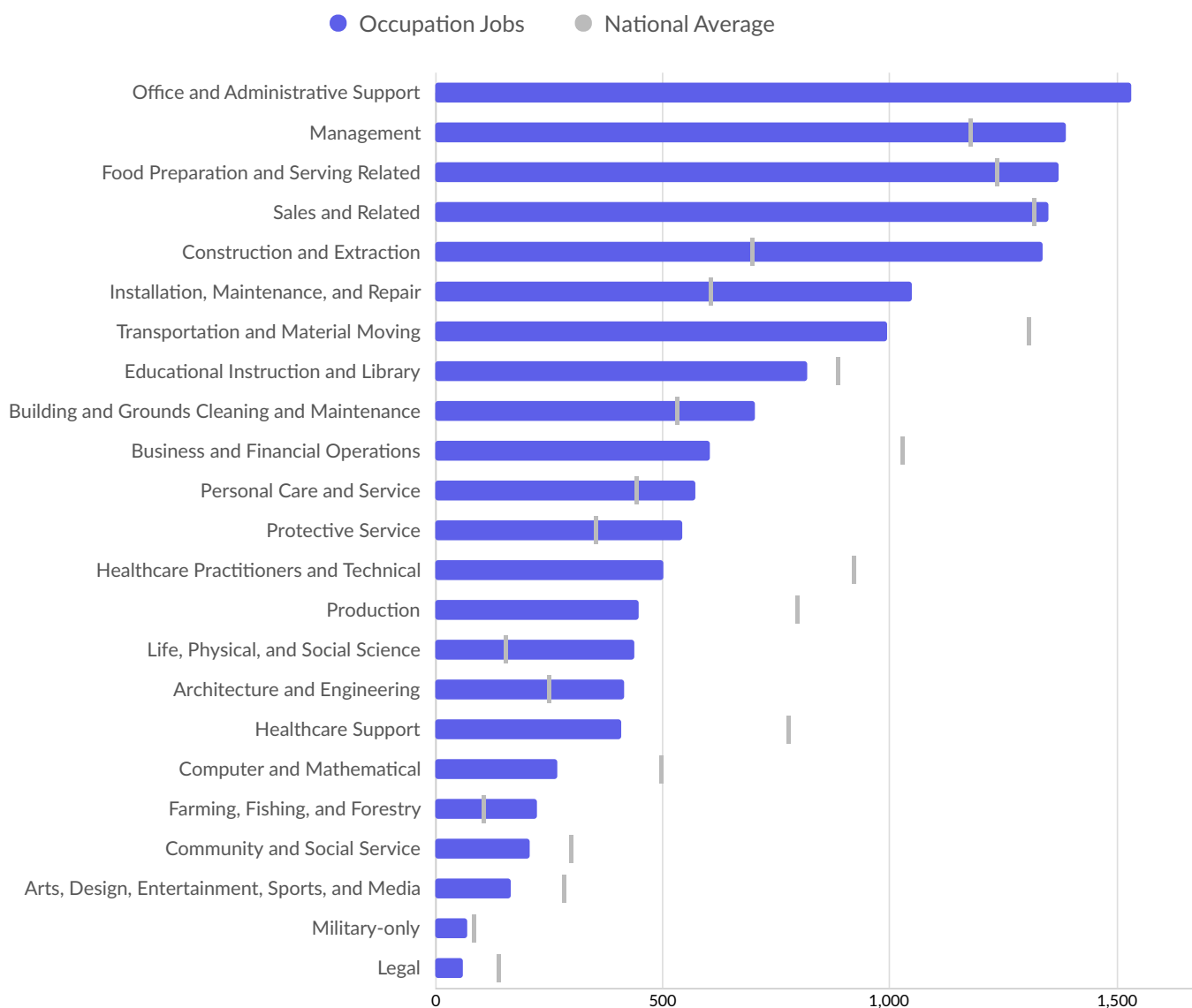
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Layoff Activity (Reported WARN Notices)

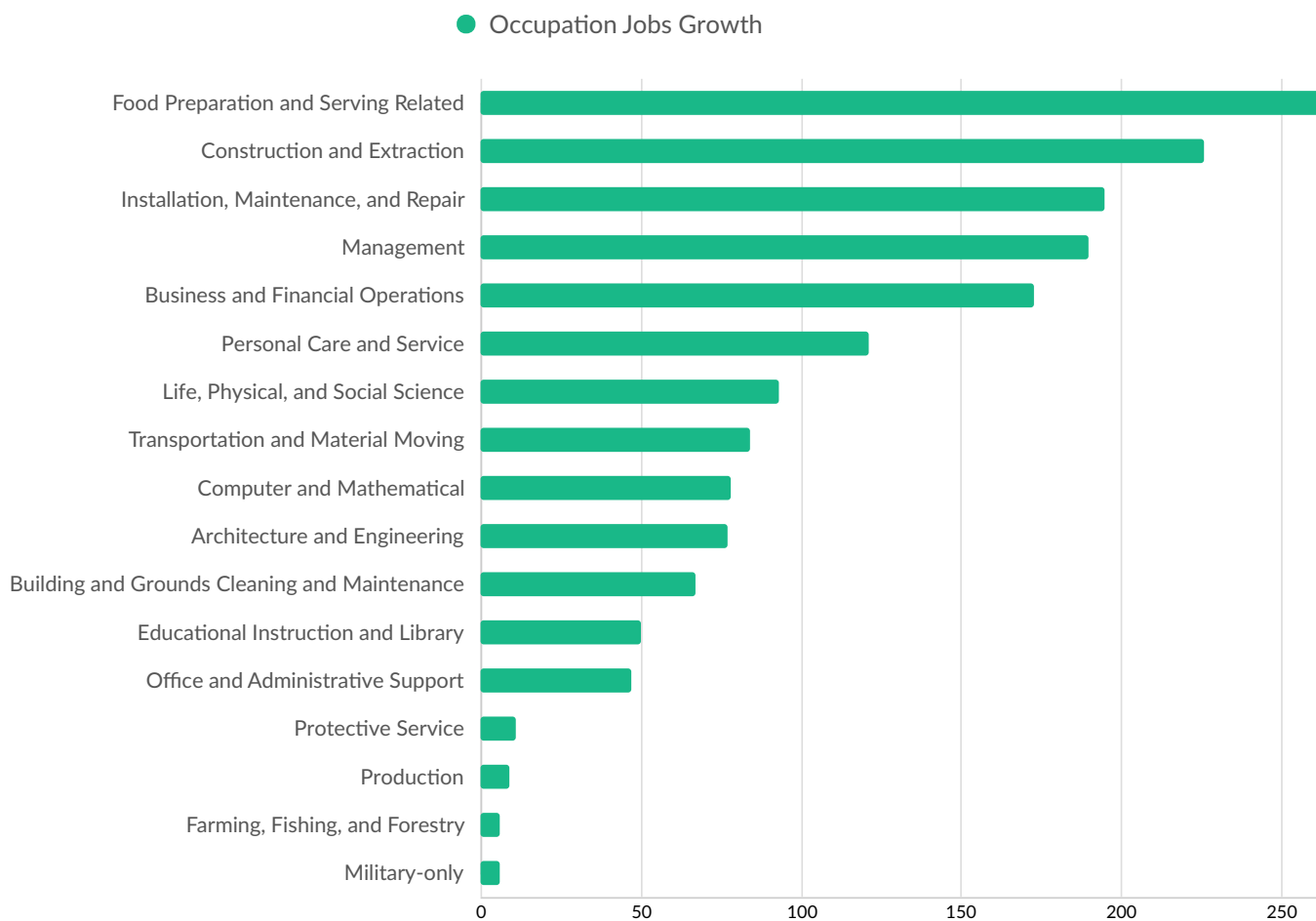
No WARN layoff events were found for the selected region and time period.

Workforce Characteristics

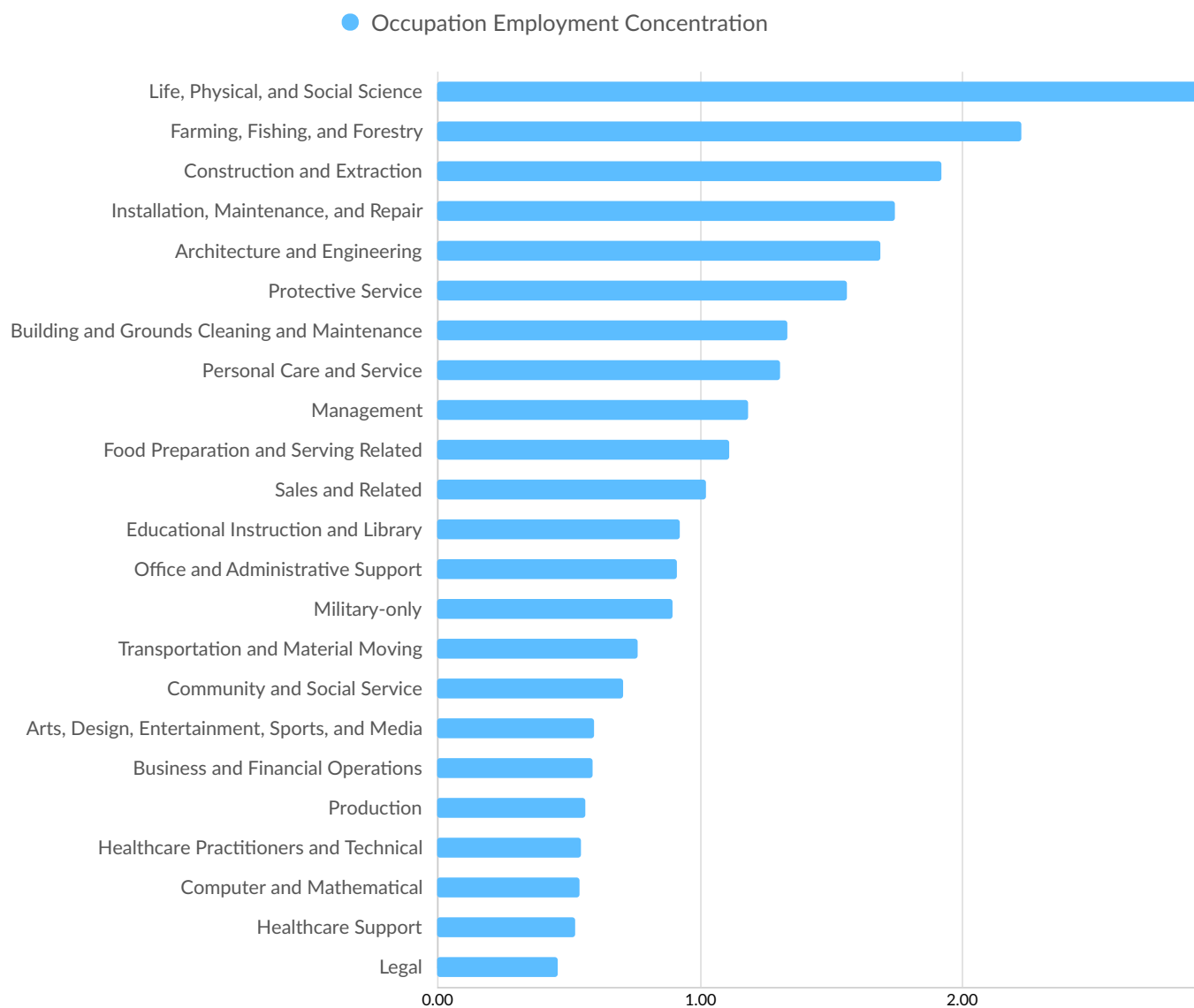
Largest Occupations



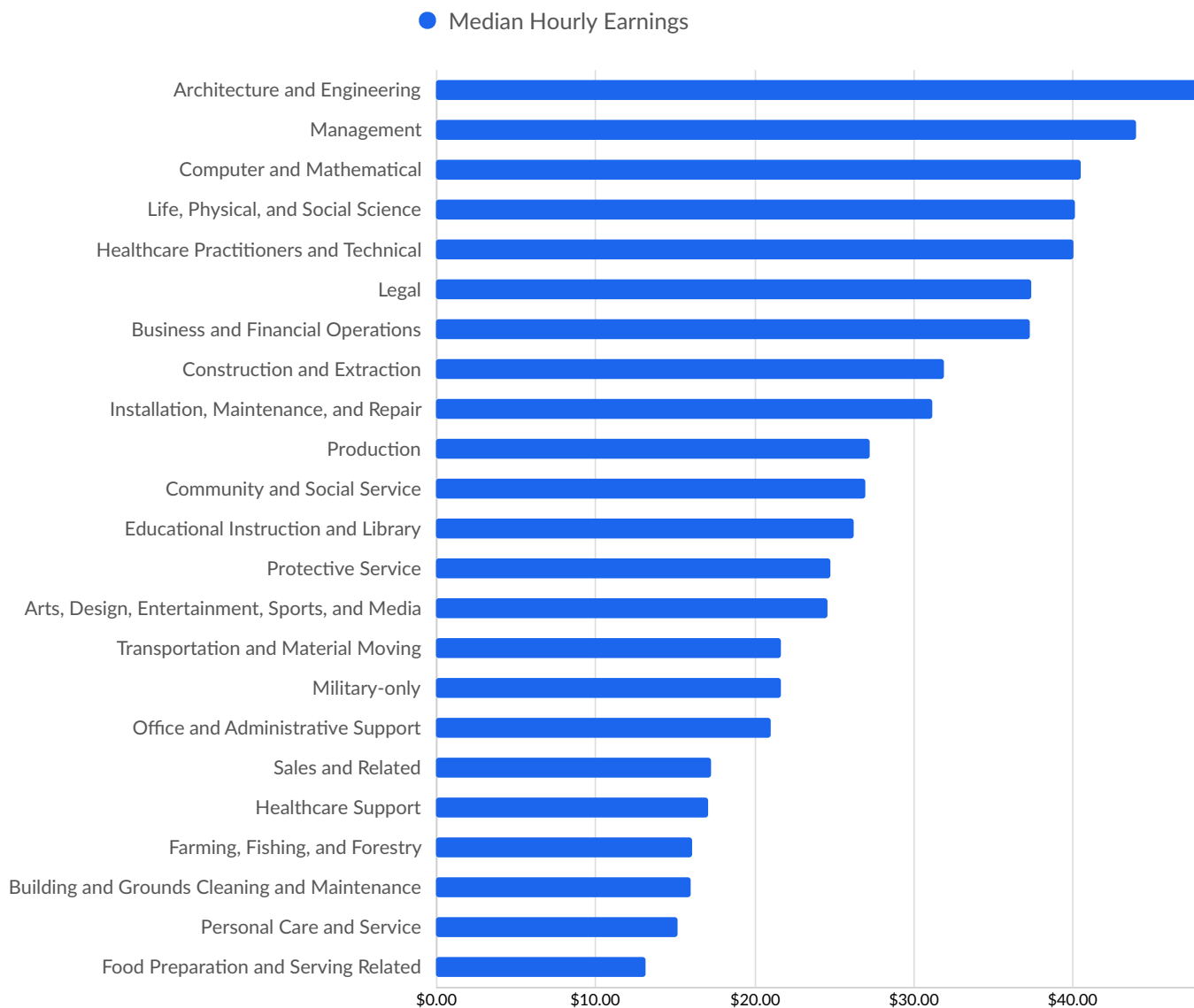
Top Growing Occupations



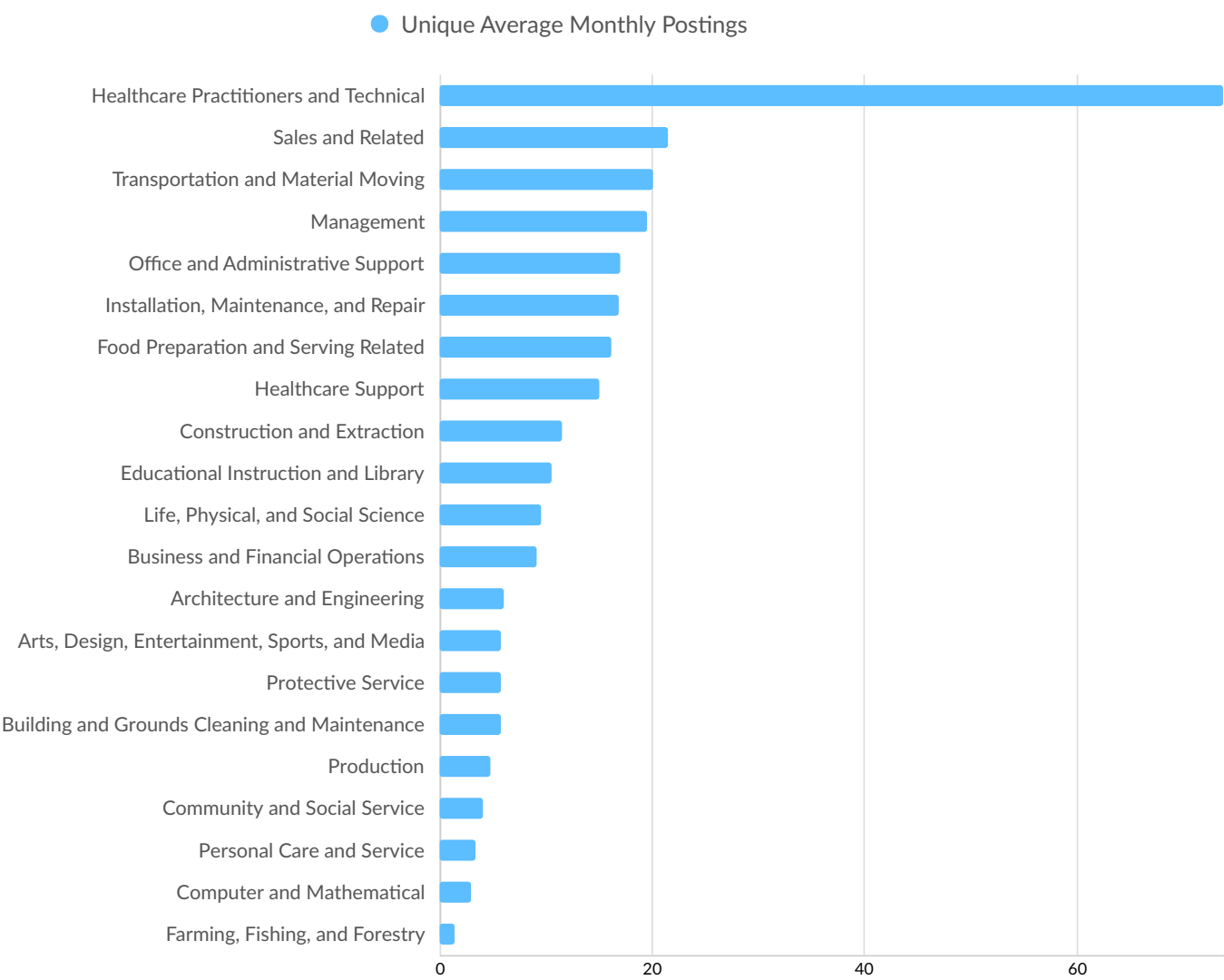
Top Occupation Employment Concentration



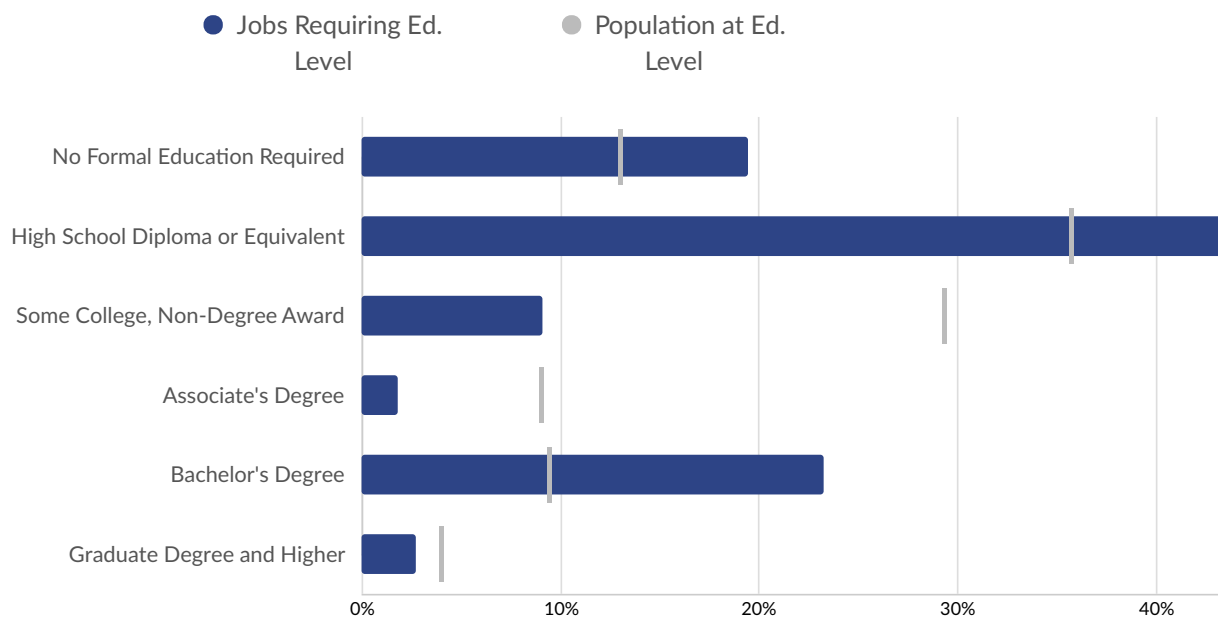
Top Occupation Earnings



Top Posted Occupations



Underemployment



Educational Pipeline

Over the last 5 years, no schools in Nye County, NV produced graduates.

In-Demand Skills

