2015 IOWA INDUSTRY PROFILE OTHER SERVICES

IOWA WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



Executive Summary

In 2014, the **other services** sector comprised 3.0 percent of all employment (both public and private sector) in Iowa, providing the state 44,879 jobs, with an average annual wage of \$28,770. This wage was 32.4 percent lower than the statewide average of \$42,536 for all industries. This wage rate is pretty on par for the region, although it is 15.2 percent lower than the national average for this sector.

Employment has grown fairly steadily since 2006, even adding jobs during the deepest recession years of 2009 and 2010. Some of the growth was offset between 2012 and 2013 when some establishments providing home health care to individuals was reclassified from **private households** in this sector to **individual and family services sub-sector** in the **health care and social assistance** industries, classified under the health care sector.

Since 2006, this sector has added 3,113 jobs, growing by 7.5 percent. Wages have also been steadily increasing, up 24.6 percent over the same period. Keep in mind, however that these numbers are somewhat distorted by the reclassification outlined above.

Women somewhat outnumber men in this sector, especially amongst workers under age 35. Women hold 52.9 percent of this sector's jobs.



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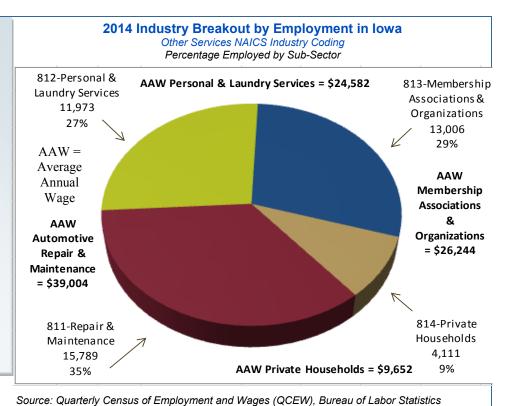
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What is Other Services?

The **other services** (except public administration) sector comprises establishments engaged in providing services not specifically provided for elsewhere in the classification system.

Establishments in this sector are primarily engaged in activities such as equipment and machinery repairing, promoting or administering religious activities, grant-making, advocacy, and providing dry cleaning and laundry services, personal care services, death care services, pet care services, photofinishing, temporary parking services and dating services.

Source: www.census.gov/naics



2006-2014 Employment in Other Services in Iowa \$30,000 45,500 \$28,770 45,000 Employment \$29,000 Average Annual Wage \$27.943 44,500 \$27,199 \$28,000 44,000 \$26,476 43,500 \$27,000 \$25,817 43,000 \$25,367 \$26,000 \$25,144 42,500 \$24,357 \$25,000 42,000 41,500 \$23,083 \$24,000 41,000 \$23,000 40,500 42,480 43,939 41,766 42,277 42,573 42,636 42,936 44,045 44,879 \$22,000 40,000 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 Source: Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW), Bureau of Labor Statistics

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Examples of Major Other Services Industry Employers

| Name of Company | Industry |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Comprehensive Systems, Inc. | Social Advocacy Organizations |
| First Fleet | Automotive Repair and Maintenance |
| General Dynamics Info Technology | Electronic & Precision Equipment & Maintenance |
| J&P Cycles | Commercial & Industrial Machinery Repair & Maintenance |
| Mid-Step Services, Inc. | Social Advocacy Organizations |
| Respite Connection | Social Advocacy Organizations |
| Ruffalo Cody | Grantmaking & Giving Services |
| Sisters of Charity, BVM-MT | Civic & Social Organizations |
| Sam's Club Photo Center | Photofinishing |
| VGM Group | Business, Professional, Labor, Political & Similar Organizations |

Employers

In March 2014, there were 9,037 locations in Iowa classified in the other services, which employ 44,879 people. This sector consist of lots of small companies, averaging less than 5 employees per establishment.

There are a variety of services represented in this sector, including things like barber shops, auto mechanics, political parties, and nannies. The largest sub-sector is automotive repair and maintenance, representing 35.2 per cent of the employment in this industry. The smallest sub-sector is private households, which represent 9.2 percent of employment.

Sector Statewide:

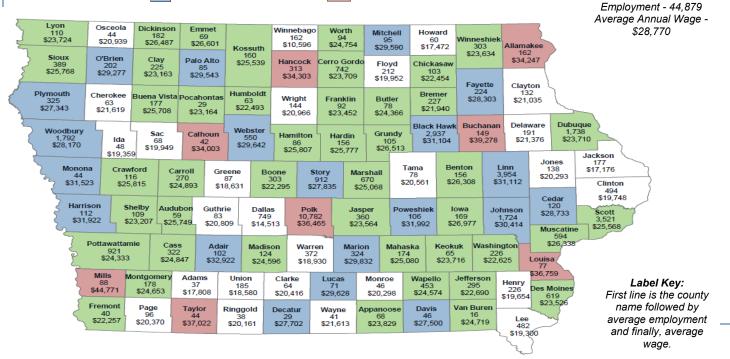
Source: Infogroup USA

2014 Covered Employment in Other Services by County

Average Annual Wage: Less than \$21,619

\$26,978 to \$32,922

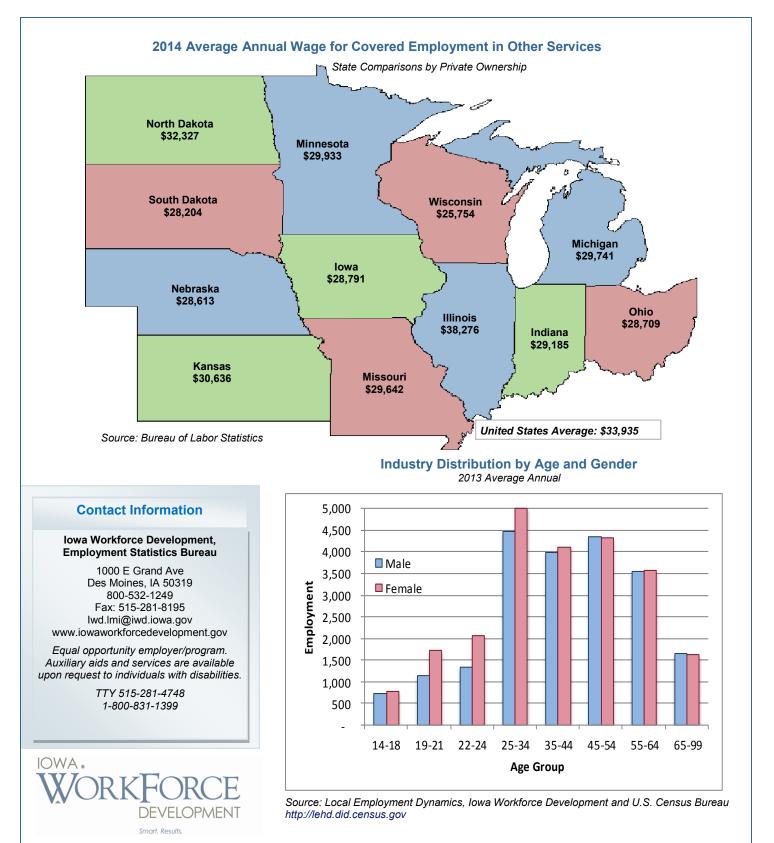
\$21,620 to \$26,977 Greater than \$32,923



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