

Living Wage Calculation for Orange County, Florida

The living wage shown is the hourly rate that an **individual** in a household must earn to support themselves and/or their family, working full-time, or 2080 hours per year. The tables below provide living wage estimates for individuals and households with one or two working adults and zero to three children. In households with two working adults, all hourly values reflect what one working adult requires to earn to meet their families' basic needs, assuming the other adult also earns the same.

The poverty wage and state minimum wage are for reference purposes. Poverty wage estimates come from the Department of Health and Human Services' [Poverty Guidelines](https://aspe.hhs.gov/topics/poverty-economic-mobility/poverty-guidelines) (<https://aspe.hhs.gov/topics/poverty-economic-mobility/poverty-guidelines>) for 2025 and have been converted from an annual value to an hourly wage for ease of comparison. The state minimum wage data is sourced from the [Labor Law Center](https://www.laborlawcenter.com/state-minimum-wage-rates) (<https://www.laborlawcenter.com/state-minimum-wage-rates>) and includes the minimum wage in a given state as of January of that year.

For further detail, please reference the [Methodology](#) ([/pages/methodology](#)) page. The data on this page was last updated on February 10, 2025.

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Living Wage	\$24.91	\$39.35	\$48.03	\$59.90	\$33.24	\$38.64
Poverty Wage	\$7.52	\$10.17	\$12.81	\$15.46	\$10.17	\$12.81
Minimum Wage	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$13.00	\$13.00

Typical Expenses

The table below shows the costs of each basic need that go into estimating the living wage. Like with the living wage, their values vary by location and family size.

	1 ADULT			2 ADULTS		
	0 Children	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	0 Children	1 Child
Food	\$4,576	\$6,729	\$10,079	\$13,410	\$8,389	\$10,410
Child Care	\$0	\$10,263	\$19,386	\$24,946	\$0	\$0
Medical	\$2,644	\$7,347	\$7,419	\$7,495	\$6,213	\$8,300
Housing	\$20,104	\$24,061	\$24,061	\$30,549	\$21,222	\$24,061

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Transportation	\$9,398	\$10,876	\$13,701	\$15,764	\$10,876	\$13,701
Civic	\$2,589	\$4,557	\$5,031	\$6,450	\$4,557	\$5,031
Internet & Mobile	\$1,577	\$1,577	\$1,577	\$1,577	\$2,159	\$2,159
Other	\$3,770	\$7,242	\$7,587	\$9,120	\$7,242	\$8,031
Required annual income after taxes	\$44,657	\$72,652	\$88,841	\$109,312	\$60,659	\$71,703
Annual taxes	\$7,155	\$9,205	\$11,065	\$15,280	\$8,477	\$8,655
Required annual income before taxes	\$51,812	\$81,857	\$99,906	\$124,592	\$69,136	\$80,348

Typical Annual Salaries

The average annual salaries for various occupations in the table below comes from the latest state-level data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics' [Occupational Employment and Wage Estimates](https://www.bls.gov/oes/tables.htm) (<https://www.bls.gov/oes/tables.htm>). When available, this data is specific to a given metro area.

Occupational Area	Typical Annual Salary
Management	\$129,870
Business & Financial Operations	\$84,010
Computer & Mathematical	\$100,180
Architecture & Engineering	\$91,010
Life, Physical, & Social Science	\$74,690
Community & Social Service	\$53,100
Legal	\$111,450
Education, Training, & Library	\$57,350
Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, & Media	\$62,550
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$96,700
Healthcare Support	\$38,790
Protective Service	\$55,160
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$34,160

Occupational Area	Typical Annual Salary
Building & Grounds Cleaning & Maintenance	\$35,560
Personal Care & Service	\$35,980
Sales & Related	\$51,290
Office & Administrative Support	\$45,260
Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	\$34,490
Construction & Extraction	\$51,280
Installation, Maintenance, & Repair	\$52,770
Production	\$43,170
Transportation & Material Moving	\$44,530

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