Health Care in Orange County: Industry and Worker Trends

Health care is one of the largest industries in Orange County.

- 70% of the 20 fastest-growing health professions in the region may be accessed with less than a Bachelor’s degree. Further education supports career advancement in many fields.

Employers are facing a shortage of workers with **cultural competence** and **linguistic skills**.

Hispanic residents make up one-third of the Orange County population...but hold only 8% of health care jobs.

Health care is the fastest-growing sector of the local economy.

- **+104%** growth in number of employees from 1997-2017
- **+20%** growth projected from 2014-2024

33,600 new jobs

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