



Q2 2022

Wage Report – Atlanta, GA

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Find out how much workers are getting paid

The Q2 Wage Report was created to give an overview of the labor market in Atlanta, GA. On the next pages, we are presenting data from industries and various job types.

Inside the report, you will find detailed information about average and median hourly wages for the most popular positions in the Atlanta market, as well as a high-level view of the employee wages in different industries.

We present the data to help businesses make informed decisions on setting employee wages, which in turn helps attract potential job candidates.

How have we collected this data?

Thanks to **our partnership with Upshift**, a leading labor marketplace, **we are able to collect real-time, supporting data for workers in various industries and positions**. These are verified rates being paid today to Upshift workers in a wide variety of positions.

Offering accurate and attractive wages helps fill the applicant pool

As companies begin to compete for a scarce pool of labor, wages are rising quickly and many hourly workers are aware of this and are no longer wary of changing jobs for a better-paid position.

With more transparency on the current market rates, offering **competitive wages and accurate data** is one of the best ways to make sure you can attract enough job candidates.





Overview of industries

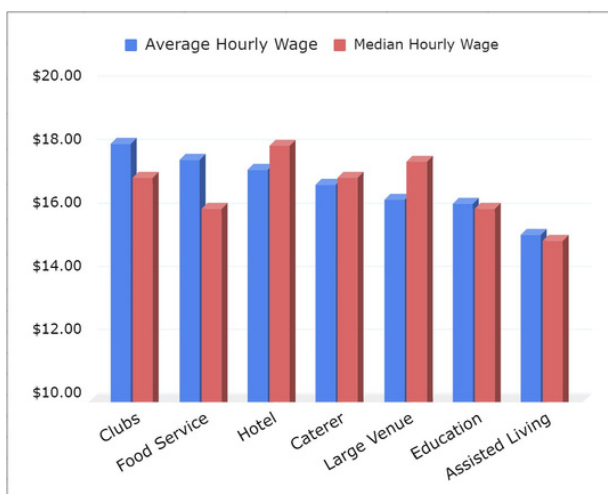
Industry	Average Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
Clubs	\$18.07	\$17.00
Food Service	\$17.55	\$16.00
Hotel	\$17.25	\$18.00
Caterer	\$16.78	\$17.00
Large Venue	\$16.30	\$17.50
Education	\$16.16	\$16.00
Assisted Living	\$15.19	\$15.00

Industries we collected data for

We were able to collect data on the following industries: Clubs, Food Service, Hotel, Catering, Large Venue, Education and Assisted Living.

Highest and lowest wages

Average Hourly Wages range between \$15.19 and \$18.07, with the lowest wages being paid in the Assisted Living sector and the highest wages in Clubs.



Average and median differences

Average and Median Hourly Wages had moderately high discrepancies in most of the industries, which indicates significant differences between positions in the given industry. The highest discrepancies could be observed in Clubs and Food Service industries.

Highest paid industries



Clubs
\$18.07/hr on average



Food Service
\$17.55/hr on average



Hotel
\$17.25/hr on average

Overview of hourly wages per job type

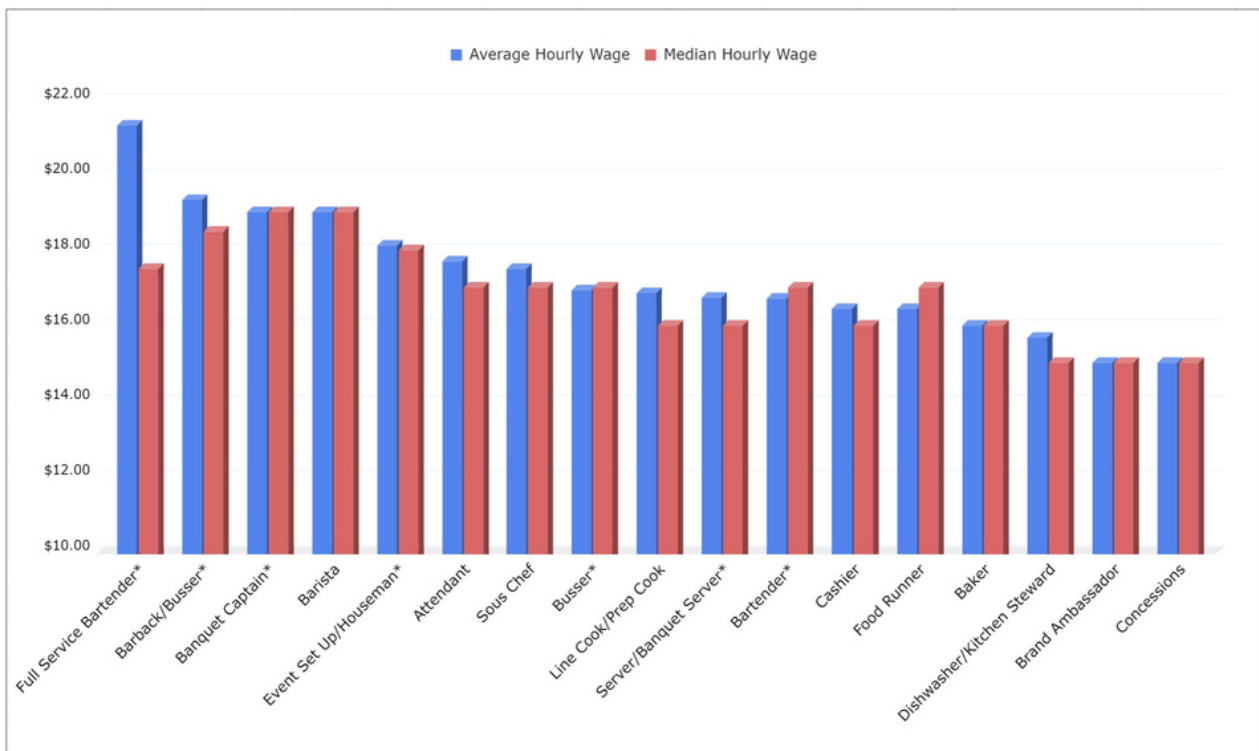
Job Type	Average Hourly Wage	Median Hourly Wage
Full Service Bartender*	\$21.30	\$17.50
Barback/Busser*	\$19.33	\$18.50
Banquet Captain*	\$19.00	\$19.00
Barista	\$19.00	\$19.00
Event Set Up/Houseman*	\$18.13	\$18.00
Attendant	\$17.69	\$17.00
Sous Chef	\$17.50	\$17.00
Busser*	\$16.92	\$17.00
Line Cook/Prep Cook	\$16.87	\$16.00
Server/Banquet Server*	\$16.74	\$16.00
Bartender*	\$16.71	\$17.00
Cashier	\$16.44	\$16.00
Food Runner	\$16.44	\$17.00
Baker	\$16.00	\$16.00
Dishwasher/Kitchen Steward	\$15.68	\$15.00
Brand Ambassador	\$15.00	\$15.00
Concessions	\$15.00	\$15.00

Positions we collected data for

We were able to collect data on a wide array of positions, with Concessions being the lowest paid position with an average of \$15.00 paid per hour of work, and the Full-Service Bartender position being the highest paid, with \$21.30 on average.

Average and Median differences

Average Hourly Wages and Median Hourly Wages were close in most of the positions except for Full-Service Bartender and Barback/Busser. A very high discrepancy between Average and Median Hourly wage signifies, that the position was highly overpaid in at least one case.



Highest paid jobs



Full Service Bartender
\$21.30/hr on average*



Barback/Busser
\$19.33/hr on average*



Banquet Captain
\$19.00/hr on average*

* presented wages are non-tipped

Conclusions

After viewing the Industry and Job Type Average and Median Hourly Wages, we can conclude the following for the Atlanta, GA market in Q2 2022:

- The industry with the **highest hourly wages was Clubs**, with Median Hourly Wages sitting at \$18.
- The industry with the **lowest hourly wages is Assisted Living**, with Median Hourly Wages sitting at \$15.
- The **highest-paid job** in the market was Full-Service Bartender, with a \$21.30 dollar average being paid per hour
- The **lowest-paid jobs** in the market were Concessions and Brand Ambassador, with a median wage of \$15/hr.

Summary

The best-paid jobs in Q2 2022 were in the Clubs and Food Service sectors, with Full-Service Bartender, Barback/Busser, and Banquet Captain being the highest-paid positions.

The labor market in Atlanta, based on our gathered data, was averaging \$17.28 per hour of work, with Full-Service Bartender as a significantly highest-paid position.

Average Hourly Wage and Median Hourly Wage were very similar across all job types but highly disproportionate in Industry breakdown. What these exceptions indicate is that **certain job types are either highly overpaid or underpaid due to either lack of information or other differentiating factors.**

What we hope to achieve with this report is to **help employers make informed and accurate decisions** on setting wages for hiring workers.

