

## The Best Big Cities For Jobs



### Methodology

We ranked all 398 current metropolitan statistical areas based on employment data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics from November 2000 through January 2012. Rankings are based on recent growth trends, mid-term growth, long-term growth and the region's momentum. We also broke down rankings by size since regional economies differ markedly due to their scale. For our big cities list, we ranked the 65 MSAs that each have more than 450,000 jobs.

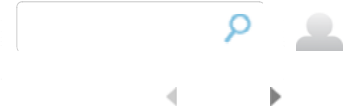


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2011 Rank: 22nd

2012 Overall Rank: 48th

Employment Growth (year-on-year): 1.7%