

# Normal Heights employment center

# Tier 4 employment centers in the San Diego region<sup>1</sup>:

An analysis of where people live and work

## Highlight 1

Characteristics of this employment center

4,317 employees

67th
largest
employment
center of the 79

1.20 square miles

3,598
employees
per square mile

5.7% of employees in this employment center also live in this employment center

Sources: SANDAG Employment Estimates, 2016; LEHD LODES OD, 7.3, 2015

Highlight 2 Industries in this employment center and the region overall

	Normal Heights employment center		Region	
	Number of jobs	Percentage/ rank	Number of jobs	Percentage/ rank
Health care and social assistance	860	20% (1)	199,700	13% (1)
Retail trade	689	16% (3)	156,612	10% (2)
Professional, scientific, technical	160	4% (8)	148,766	10% (3)
Food services	554	13% (4)	131,594	9% (4)
Manufacturing	15	<1% (15)	109,234	7% (5)
Administrative, support, waste services	73	2% (11)	91,519	6% (6)
Construction	219	5% (6)	83,498	5% (7)
Local government education	503	12% (5)	80,300	5% (8)
Other services	745	17% (2)	69,124	5% (9)
Finance and insurance	139	3% (9)	47,848	3% (10)
Wholesale trade	61	1% (12)	46,625	3% (11)
Arts, entertainment, recreation	8	<1% (16)	45,639	3% (12)
Real estate, rental, leasing	79	2% (10)	38,582	3% (13)
Local government	0	0% (17)	37,429	2% (14)
Transportation and warehousing	18	<1% (14)	36,183	2% (15)
Accommodation	0	0% (18)	33,094	2% (16)
Educational services	163	4% (7)	32,892	2% (17)
State government education	0	0% (19)	31,600	2% (18)
Information	31	1% (13)	26,262	2% (19)
Department of Defense	0	0% (20)	22,500	1% (20)
Management of companies/enterprises	0	0% (21)	21,500	1% (21)
Federal government	0	0% (22)	11,454	1% (22)
Farm	0	0% (23)	9,000	1% (23)
Utilities	0	0% (24)	7,208	<1% (24)
State government	0	0% (25)	7,037	<1% (25)
Mining and logging	0	0% (26)	300	<1% (26)
Total	4,317		1,525,500	

Source: SANDAG Employment Estimates, 2016

This data summary was prepared by SANDAG and is part of an evolving analysis of where people live and work in the San Diego region. Tier 4 employment centers are those between 2,000 and 14,999 employees. For data notes, sources, and qualifications, please visit: sandag.org\employmentcenters. Suggested reference: SANDAG (2019, May). Tier 4 employment centers in the San Diego region: Normal Heights employment center. San Diego, CA: Author.

18% have Bachelor's degree or higher (24% region)

\$28,746 mean employee salary (\$55,801 region)

these jobs represent

of the region's jobs

these incomes represent

of regional labor income

Sources: SANDAG Employment Estimates, 2016; LEHD LODES OD, 7.3, 2015

Highlight 4

#### What mode of transportation these employment center employees use to get to work during peak period?

	Drive alone	Transit	Carpool	Bike	Walk
Normal Heights employment center	76%	4%	11%	5%	3%
Region	20%	10%	12%	2%	1 %

Source: SANDAG Activity Based Model, 2016

### Highlight 5

How far employees drive on average to get to this employment center during peak period and how long it takes them on average, by transportation mode

	Normal Heights employment center		Region	
	Mean number of miles	Mean length of time (Minutes)	Mean number of miles	Mean length of time (Minutes)
Vehicles	10.2	20.5	12.0	25.1
Transit	7.2	58.9	10.7	62.8
Bike	4.7	23.4	4.3	21.6
Walk	.9	18.3	1.2	23.2

Note: Peak period includes 6:00 a.m. to 8:59 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. to 6:59 p.m.

Source: SANDAG Activity Based Model, 2016

#### Highlight 6

# What jurisdictions these employment center employees travel from

Jurisdiction	Number of workers in the employment center	Percent
San Diego	1,450	66%
Unincorporated	219	10%
Chula Vista	147	7%
El Cajon	86	4%
La Mesa	58	3%
Santee	53	2%
National City	33	2%
Lemon Grove	29	1%
Escondido	27	1%
Imperial Beach	18	1%
Poway	16	1%
Oceanside	16	1%
Coronado	14	1%
Vista	11	1%
Carlsbad	11	1%
Encinitas	8	<1%
San Marcos	7	<1%
Solana Beach	2	<1%
Del Mar	1	<1%
Total	2,206	

Note: The total number of employees shown here is lower than presented elsewhere because employees who travel from outside the region or have an unknown origin location are excluded and only primary jobs are included.

Source: SANDAG Employment Estimates, 2016; LEHD LODES OD, 7.3, 2015

Map 1
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