

# LIFE SCIENCES WORKFORCE INITIATIVE

\$7M ONGOING FOR SYSTEM-WIDE EXPANSIONS

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Utah has the third-highest concentration of LS jobs in US

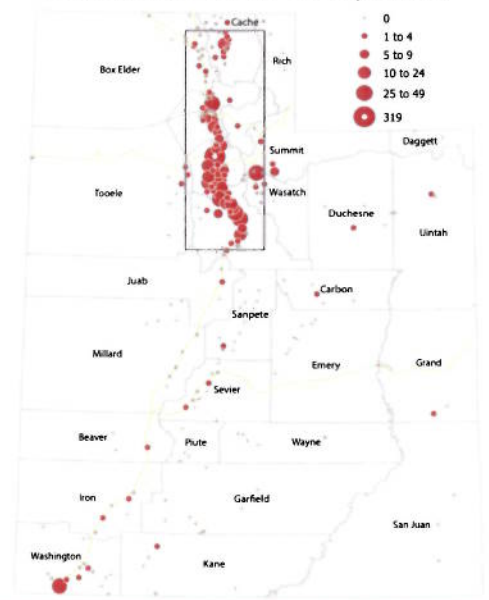
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10-Year DWS growth projections in LS Occupations

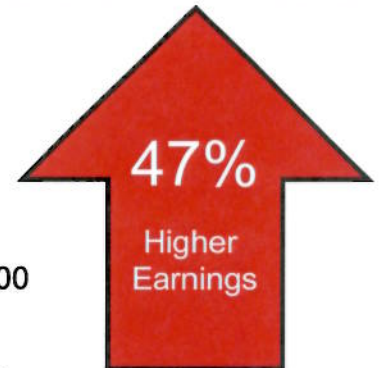
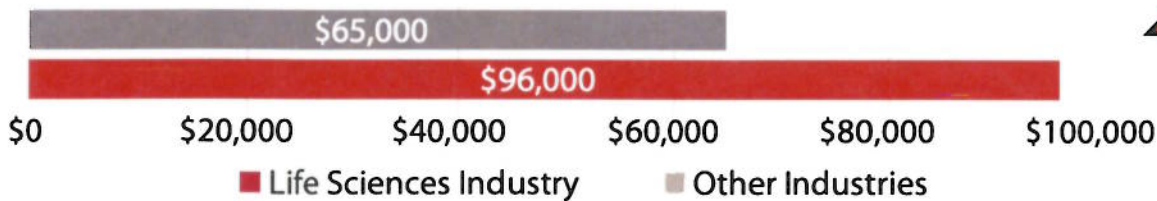
79%

New job growth from 2001 – 2021. 8% National Average

Distribution of LS Companies



## Average Annual Earnings per Worker in Utah's Life Sciences Industry, 2022



Note: Amounts rounded to the nearest \$100. Earnings estimates include both employees and self-employed workers.

Source: Utah Department of Workforce Services, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages,

Compared To Other Industries

## INVESTMENTS WILL:

1

**Increase Life Science Offerings:** Create and expand Life Sciences certificates, apprenticeships, and degrees aligned to regional demand. Funding will add 1000+ seats across the Utah System of Higher Education.

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**Increase Professionals in the Workforce:** 1000 additional professionals annually in the workforce. The median wage is \$96K and could add \$96,000,000 in annual earnings to Utah.