

This report provides key demographic and economic data for Illinois Congressional District 11. It is made available by the Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership, DuPage Workforce Board, River Valley Workforce Investment Board, and Workforce Investment Board of Will County.<sup>1</sup>

**At A Glance**

- The Congressional District’s current **population** of 1,195,963 is expected to increase by 87,834 over the next ten years.
- By 2017, this Congressional District is projected to create 39,440 **new jobs** with positions in sales and related occupations and business and financial operations representing the largest numbers of new jobs.
- The Congressional District’s **largest industry sector** of employment is retail trade followed by the healthcare and social assistance industry.

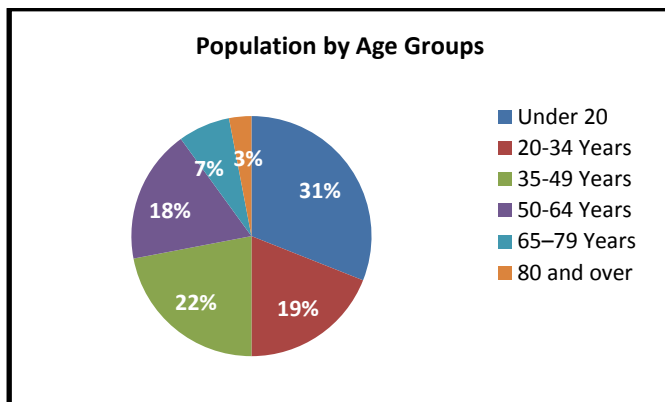
**Population**

- The Congressional District’s current population of 1,195,963 is expected to increase at a much faster rate than the State over the next ten years.

Projected Population Growth							
	2012	2017	2012 - 2017 Change	% Change	2022	2012 - 2022 Change	% Change
Congressional District 11	1,195,963	1,255,904	59,941	5.0%	1,283,797	87,834	7.3%
Illinois	12,945,165	13,152,478	207,313	1.6%	13,274,295	329,130	2.5%

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- While the distribution of the Congressional District’s population is similar to the State’s population, the District’s under 20 years age group is a much higher than representation of this age group statewide. Also, the older population (65 years and over) is underrepresented when compared to representation statewide.



2012 Population by Age Group				
Age Group	District	% of District	State	% of State
Under 20	364908	31%	3,465,611	27%
20-34 Years	225117	19%	2,694,879	21%
35-49 Years	268824	22%	2,592,123	20%
50-64 Years	216139	18%	2,505,057	19%
65-79 Years	90027	7%	1,208,477	9%
80 and over	30948	3%	479,018	4%
Total	1195963	100	12,945,165	100%

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<sup>1</sup>Data in this report has been compiled at the zip code level. In an effort not to skew district data, zip code areas representing less than 10,000 acres in the Congressional District have been excluded from the district’s data. Exceptions include data for zip codes 60604, 60602, and 60301 which were included in Congressional District 7 and zip code 60537 which was included in both Congressional District 14 and 16 data.

**Industry Sector Employment**

**Between 2007 and 2012**

- The Congressional District gained 4,455 jobs during the past 5 years while the State lost 106,433 jobs overall.
- The industry sectors gaining the most jobs over the past 5 years were healthcare and social assistance (10,177) and finance and insurance (3,762).
- Industry sectors with the largest job loss between 2007 and 2012 were construction (-11,814) and administrative/support/waste management/remediation services (-5,005).

Jobs				
Year	District	5 Year Net Change	District % Change	State % Change
2007	585,259			
2012	589,715	4,456	0.8%	-1.4%
2017	629,155	39,440	6.7%	5.3%

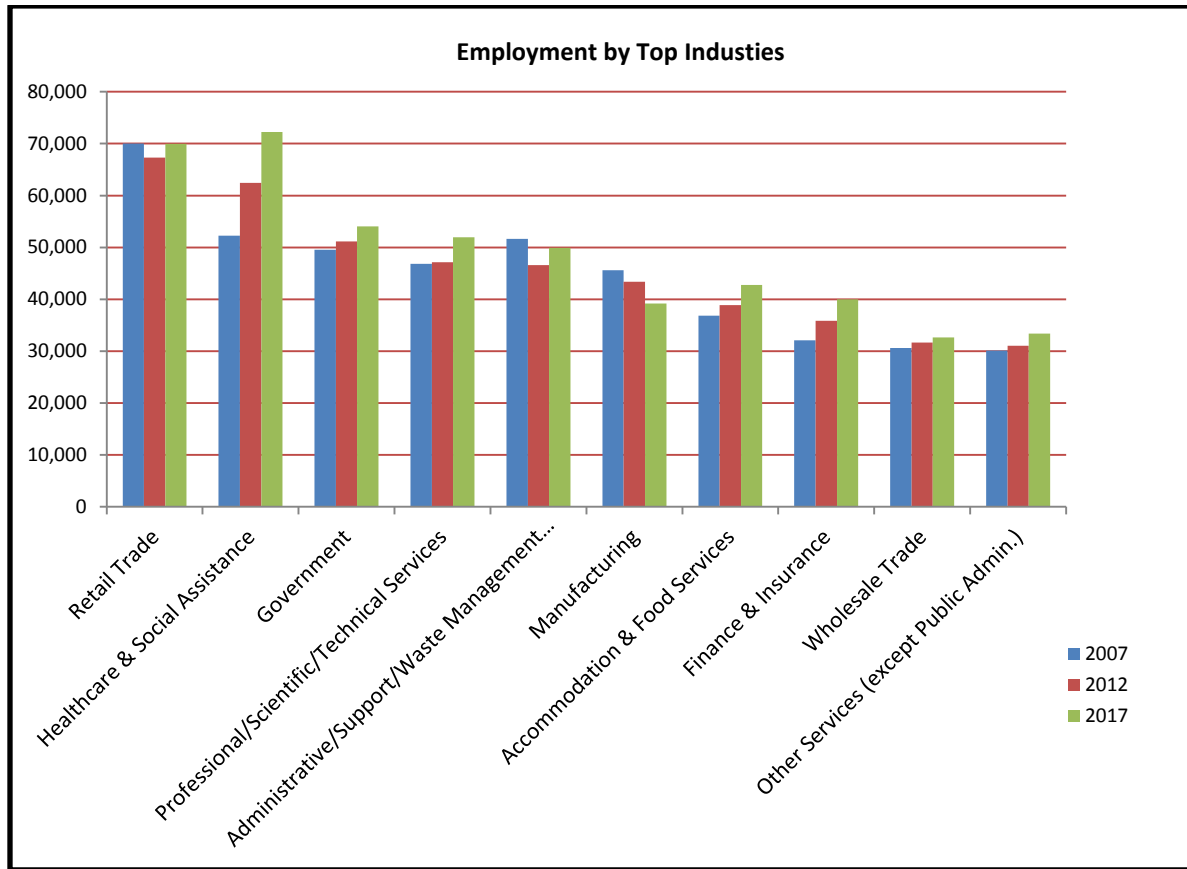
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**Looking Forward to 2017**

- Over the next five years the 11th Congressional District is expected to gain 39,440 jobs with jobs projected to grow at a higher rate than the State. The healthcare and social assistance sector is projected to add the largest number of jobs (9,826) followed by profession, scientific and technical services (4,285). Manufacturing is expected to have the greatest job loss (-4,197).
- Retail trade is currently the largest industry sector, with 67,313 jobs and average earnings per worker, with benefits, of \$32,977. It is projected that healthcare and social assistance will become the largest industry of employment by 2017.
- In Congressional District 11, the average earnings per worker, including benefits, is \$51,861, which is lower than the State average of \$53,157.

Employment by Top Industries				
Industry	2007	2012	2017	2007 – 2017 Change
Retail Trade	70,036	67,313	69,952	(84)
Healthcare and Social Assistance	52,243	62,420	72,246	20,003
Government	49,528	51,136	54,056	4,528
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	46,847	47,154	51,979	5,132
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	51,621	46,616	49,904	(1,717)
Manufacturing	45,603	43,365	39,168	(6,435)
Accommodation and Food Services	36,857	38,891	42,751	5,894
Finance and Insurance	32,070	35,832	40,006	7,936
Wholesale Trade	30,606	31,635	32,643	2,037
Other Services (except Public Administration)	30,127	31,071	33,413	3,286

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## Occupations

### Between 2007 and 2012

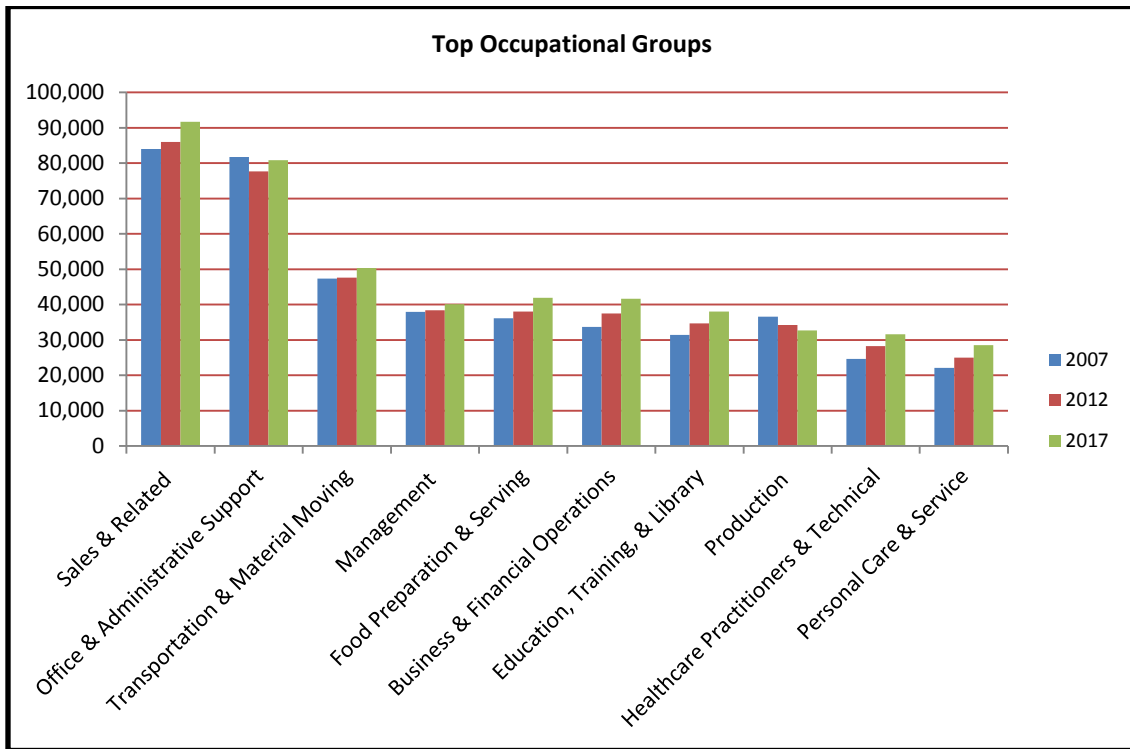
- Over the past 5 years, business and financial operations occupations grew the most adding 3,792 jobs at a rate of 11%. The second largest growth was in healthcare practitioners and technical occupations which added 3,635 jobs at a rate of 15%.
- Construction and extraction occupations (-8,838) lost the most jobs during the 5 year period followed by office and administrative support occupations (-4,112) and production occupations (-2,299).
- The largest occupational group in the 11th Congressional District is sales and related occupations with 85,981 jobs followed by office and administrative support occupations with 77,682 jobs.

Largest Occupational Groups				
Occupational Group	2007	2012	2017	2007-2017 Change
Sales and Related Occupations	83,992	85,981	91,669	7,677
Office and Administrative Support Occupations	81,794	77,682	80,893	(901)
Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	47,349	47,672	50,332	2,983
Management Occupations	37,996	38,416	40,140	2,144
Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	36,098	38,059	41,919	5,821
Business and Financial Operations Occupations	33,741	37,533	41,630	7,889
Education, Training, and Library Occupations	31,403	34,687	38,081	6,678
Production Occupations	36,553	34,254	32,738	(3,815)
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	24,604	28,239	31,622	7,018
Personal Care and Service Occupations	22,094	24,986	28,517	6,423

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**Looking Forward to 2017**

- Over the next 5 years, sales and related occupations are expected to have the largest job growth, adding 5,688 jobs. Business and financial operations occupations are expected to have the second largest gain with 4,097 additional jobs.
- Legal occupations earn the highest average hourly wage of \$43.99 followed by management occupations averaging \$40.31 per hour.
- The highest proportional growth is projected for healthcare support occupations with a 17% increase.
- The largest job loss is expected in production occupations (-1,516) followed by architecture and engineering occupations (-118).



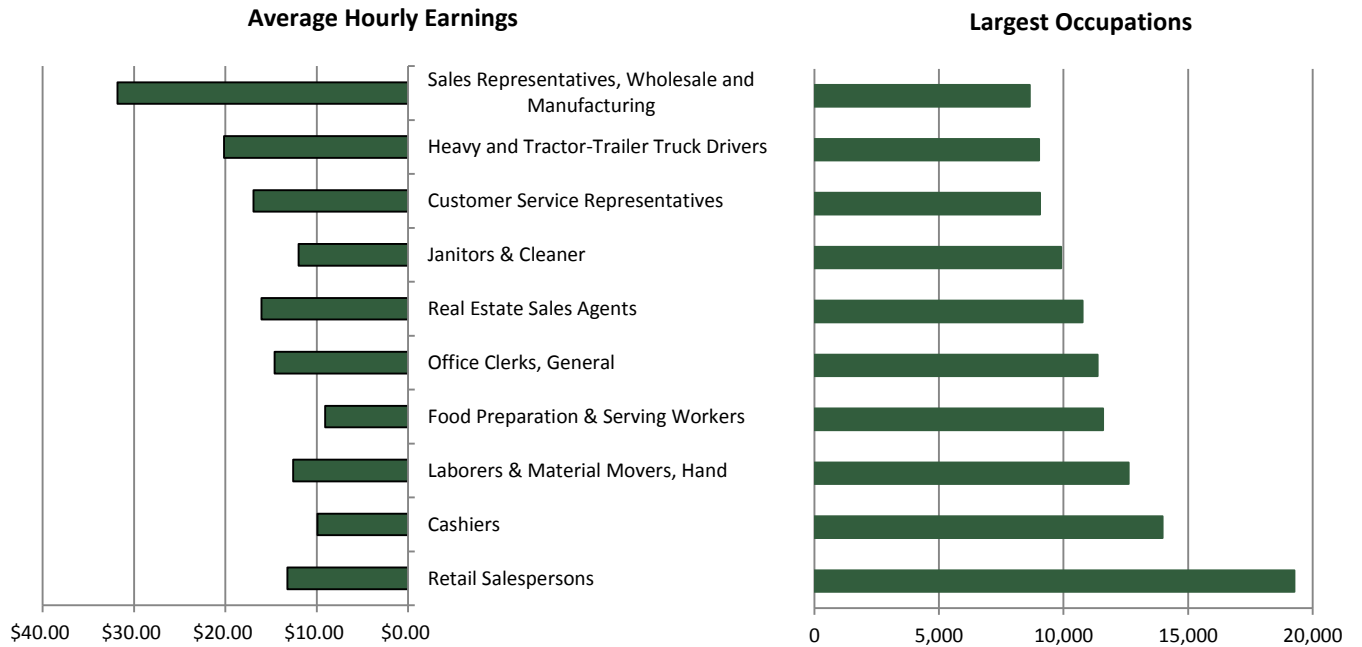
**Occupations Poised for Growth in 2017**

- Retail salespersons and cashier occupations are the two largest occupations in the Congressional District.

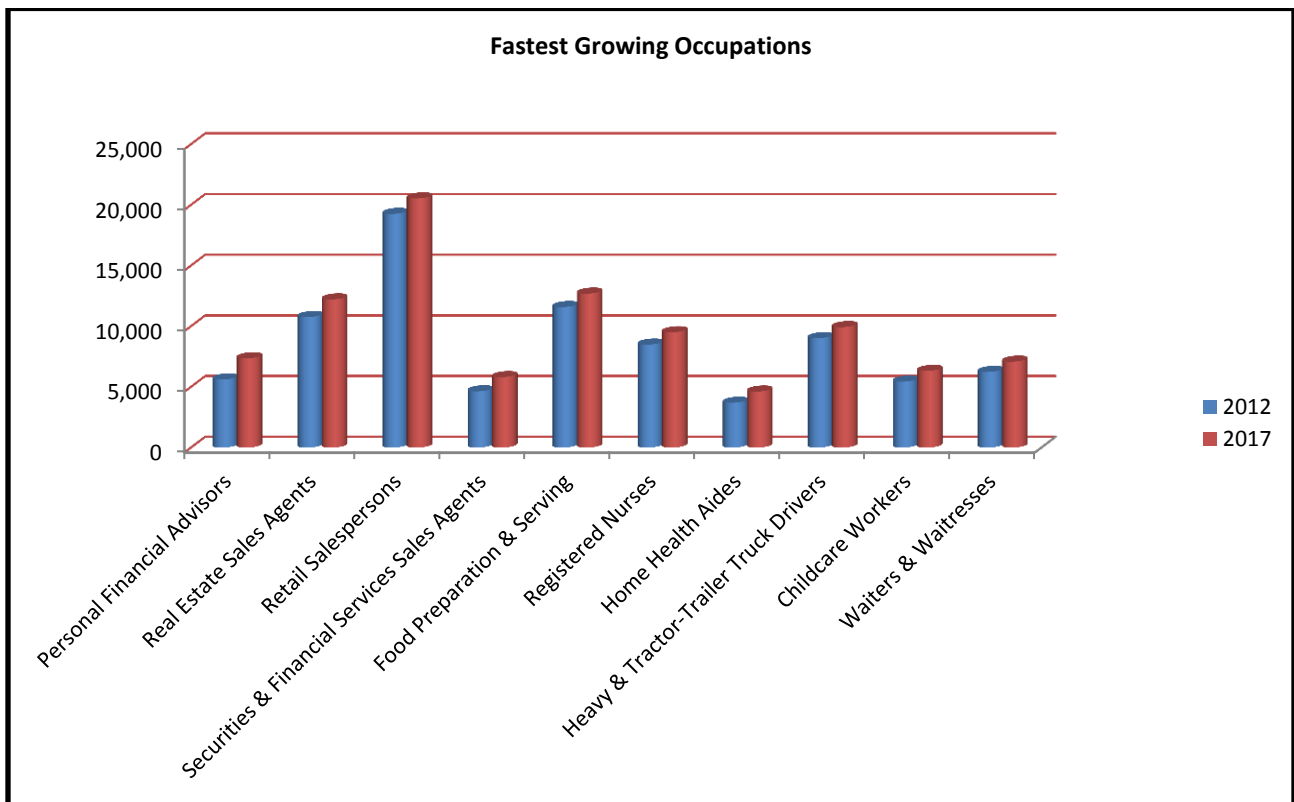
Largest Occupations		
Occupation	2012	Average Hourly Wage
Retail Salespersons	19,266	\$13.21
Cashiers	13,979	\$9.92
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	12,617	\$12.57
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	11,588	\$9.09
Office Clerks, General	11,368	\$14.61
Real Estate Sales Agents	10,763	\$16.03
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	9,905	\$11.99
Customer Service Representatives	9,053	\$16.92
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	9,021	\$20.13
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	8,640	\$31.82

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- In the top ten largest occupations, sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing (except technical and scientific products) have the highest average hourly wage of \$31.82 followed by heavy and tractor-trailer truck drives at \$20.13 per hour.



- Personal financial advisors and real estate sales agents are expected to be the fastest growing occupations in the Congressional District.



**Occupations Requiring Educational Attainment**

- In the 11<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, the largest occupation requiring a postsecondary vocational award or higher is real estate sales agents.
- Four of the largest occupations requiring an educational attainment beyond high school completion are also among the fastest growing occupations: real estate sales agents; registered nurses; personal financial advisors; and securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents.

<b>Largest Occupations Requiring an Education Attainment Level</b>		
<b>Occupations</b>	<b>2012 Jobs</b>	<b>Educational Attainment Level</b>
Real Estate Sales Agents	10,763	Postsecondary non-degree award
Registered Nurses	8,494	Associate's degree
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	7,235	Bachelor's degree
General and Operations Managers	6,942	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience
Personal Financial Advisors	5,622	Bachelor's degree
Teachers and Instructors, All Other	5,239	Bachelor's degree
Accountants and Auditors	4,766	Bachelor's degree
Securities, Commodities, and Financial Services Sales Agents	4,645	Bachelor's degree
Management Analysts	4,513	Bachelor's or higher degree, plus work experience
Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	4,428	Postsecondary non-degree award

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