

## Personal Income 2003

Personal income in New Hampshire climbed to \$44.7 billion in 2003, an over-the-year increase of 3.2 percent. Nationally, personal income grew 3.4 percent from 2002 to 2003.

Personal income is the income from residents within a state that is available for spending. It is the sum of 1) Net earnings, 2) Transfer payments, and 3) Dividends, interest, and rent.

When divided among the state's population, New Hampshire's personal income breaks down to \$34,702 per person. This per capita personal income ranked the Granite State as third highest in New England and sixth highest nationally in 2003.

Connecticut's per capita personal income of \$42,706 was the highest in the nation (excluding D.C.). Mississippi, with \$23,448, had the lowest.

*Elisabeth Picard*

## Employment SECURITY

**NH Employment Security**  
Economic and Labor Market  
Information Bureau:

**General Information**

(603) 228-4124  
elmi@nhes.state.nh.us  
<www.nhes.state.nh.us/elmi/>

**Research Unit**

228-4173

**Economist**

228-4122

**Covered Employment & Wages**

228-4177

**Current Employment Statistics**

228-4127

**Local Area Unemployment**

Statistics

228-4175

**Occupational Employment**

Statistics

229-4315

### Per Capita Personal Income

	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
United States	\$27,939	\$29,847	\$30,527	\$30,906	\$31,632
New England	\$33,126	\$36,121	\$37,183	\$37,413	\$38,171
Connecticut	\$38,332	\$41,495	\$42,550	\$42,468	\$43,173
Maine	\$24,484	\$25,972	\$27,157	\$28,038	\$28,831
Massachusetts	\$34,227	\$37,756	\$38,945	\$39,085	\$39,815
New Hampshire	\$30,380	\$33,398	\$33,771	\$33,985	\$34,702
Rhode Island	\$27,459	\$29,216	\$30,103	\$30,859	\$31,916
Vermont	\$25,881	\$27,680	\$28,988	\$29,764	\$30,740

Source: US Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis

*Economic Conditions in New Hampshire* is published monthly in coordination with the Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Employment and Training Administration of the U.S. Department of Labor.

**To Order Publications:** Visit our Web site at <[www.nhes.state.nh.us/elmi/](http://www.nhes.state.nh.us/elmi/)> ; call **(603) 228-4124** ; or send a written request to the following address:

**ELMI Publications, NH Employment Security**  
**32 South Main Street**  
**Concord, NH 03301-4857**

NH Employment Security is a proud member of America's Workforce Network and NH WORKS. NHES is an Equal Opportunity Employer and complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. TDD ACCESS: RELAY NH 1-800-735-2964.

NH EMPLOYMENT SECURITY  
32 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
CONCORD NH 03301-4857

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

