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Jobs are booming in healthcare and transportation. Here are the 15 top jobs companies are hiring for amid the pandemic.

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Jobs for drivers of CDL flatbed trucks increased by 976% in March. AP

The job marketplace ZipRecruiter used listings on its website to identify four industries with increased hiring amid the coronavirus outbreak: transportation, tutoring, warehousing, and healthcare.

As businesses close to try to slow the spread of the [novel coronavirus](#), many workers have already lost jobs and hours.

Some [experts](#) estimate the unemployment rate, which [hit record lows in December](#), might jump to 20% during the likely impending recession.

Demand for nursing jobs, including registered nurses and nurse practitioners, is up by 49%, ZipRecruiter said.

Here are 15 job titles with increased demand amid the coronavirus outbreak.

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Millions of US workers have [either lost jobs or hours](#) as the [coronavirus](#) outbreak continues to upend American life.

But some jobs have grown over the past month.

The job marketplace ZipRecruiter tracked month-over-month changes in demand for job titles and industries between February and March. The company connects millions of job seekers to businesses on its marketplace.

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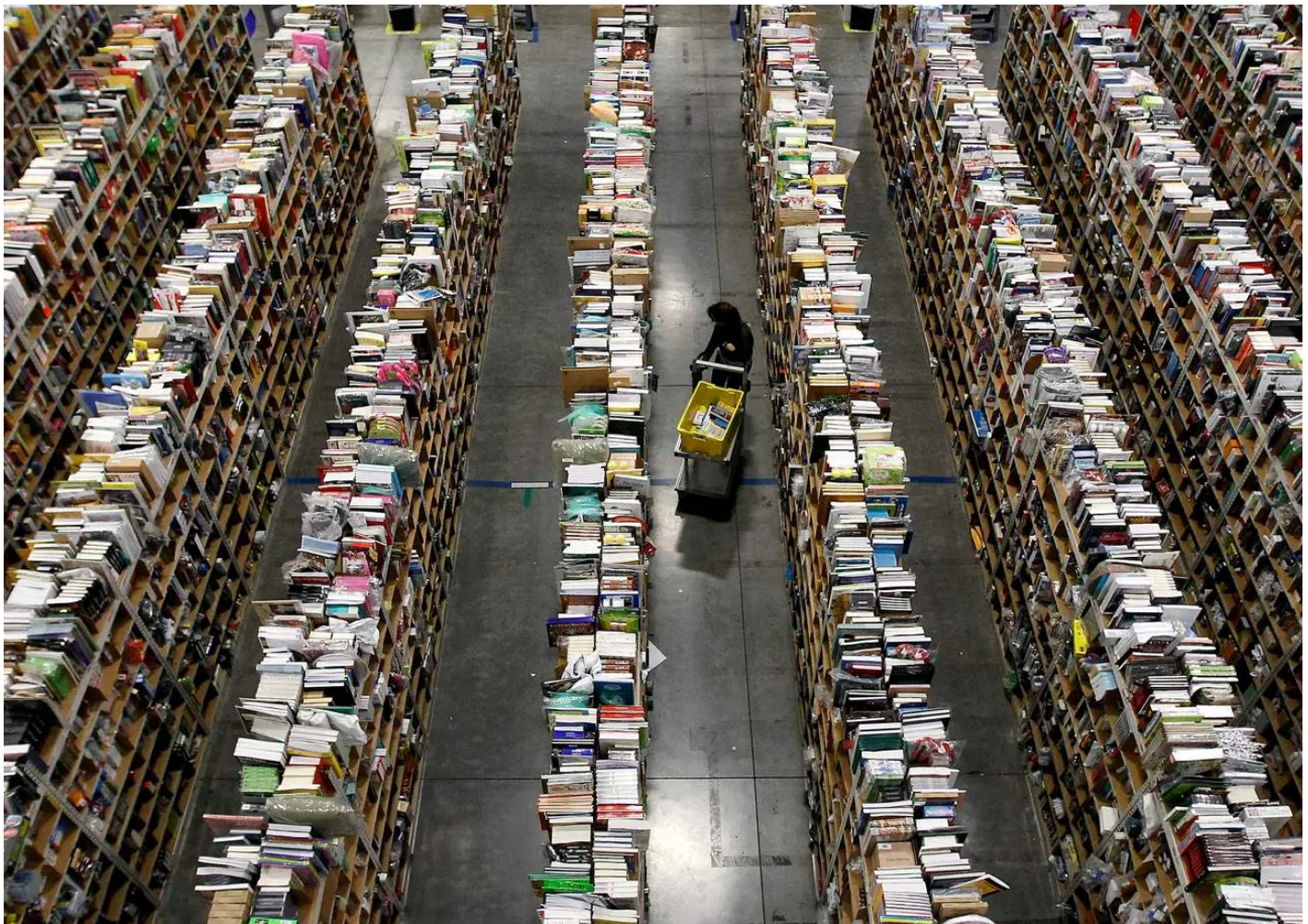
during the US coronavirus outbreak: manufacturing, tutoring, healthcare, and

transportation.

Demand for nursing jobs, including registered nurses and nurse practitioners, rose by 49%, for instance. Jobs for truck drivers who can operate CDL flatbed vehicles rose by a whopping 976%. And warehouse workers are the big winners — warehouse-handler roles saw a 1,677% increase in March.

Here are 15 jobs that have seen rapid increases in hiring over the past month:

Warehouse-handler roles saw a 1,677% increase in March.



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Industry: Warehousing

Job description: Material handlers unload product deliveries, maintain stock in the warehouse, and move stock and other materials to fulfill orders.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$27,916

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Industry: Transportation

Job description: CDL truck driver job duties include fully understanding how to operate and safely drive your assigned vehicle, driving vehicles with a gross vehicle weight over 26,000 pounds, and picking up and safely transporting goods, livestock, etc., to the intended destination.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$50,954

Roles for certified home health aide saw a 170% increase in March.



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Industry: Healthcare

Job description: Home health aides are trained healthcare professionals who assist patients with personal tasks, such as taking medication, eating, bathing, dressing, cleaning, and other care activities.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$25,098

Medical-transporter roles saw a 124% increase in March.



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Job description: A patient transporter moves patients and equipment from one place to another within a hospital or healthcare facility.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$13 an hour

Medical-equipment-technician roles saw a 106% increase in March.



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Industry: Healthcare

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Job description: A biomedical equipment technician repairs and maintains biomedical equipment used by hospitals and clinics.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$46,964

Picker-packer roles saw a 67% increase in March.



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Industry: Warehousing

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and prepare the items for shipment to customers.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$12 an hour

Registered-nurse (ambulatory) roles saw a 47% increase in March.



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Industry: Healthcare

Job description: An ambulatory care nurse is a registered nurse (RN) works primarily in outpatient settings, providing a range of services to those in need.

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Intensive-care-nurse roles saw a 34% increase since March.



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Industry: Healthcare

Job description: An ICU nurse provides patients who have life-threatening conditions with medical care. They operate out of the critical-care wing of a hospital or medical facility.

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Statistics-tutor roles saw a 17% increase in March.

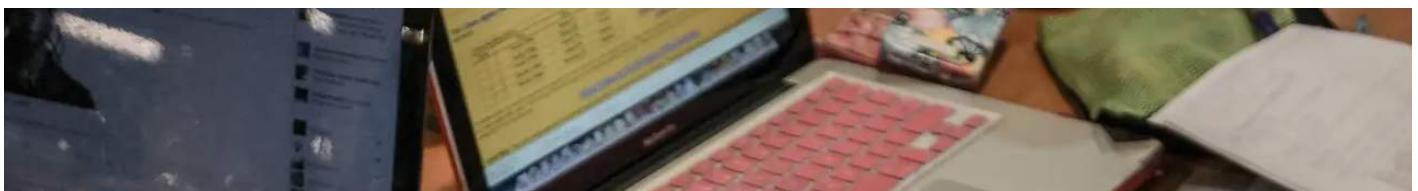


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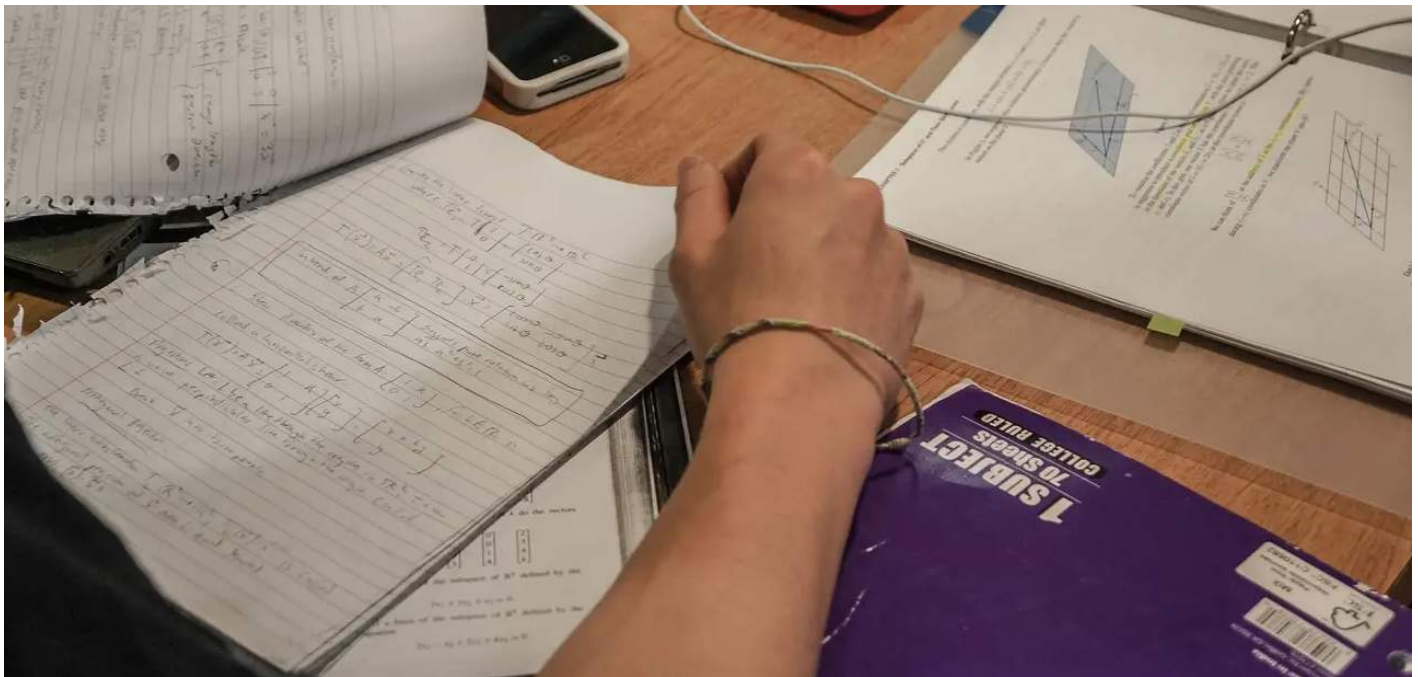
Industry: Tutoring

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$57,617

Calculus-tutor roles saw a 15% increase in March.



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Industry: Tutoring

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$26 an hour

GMAT-tutor roles saw an 11% increase in March.



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Industry: Tutoring

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$42 an hour

Certified-medical-assistant roles saw an 11% increase in March.



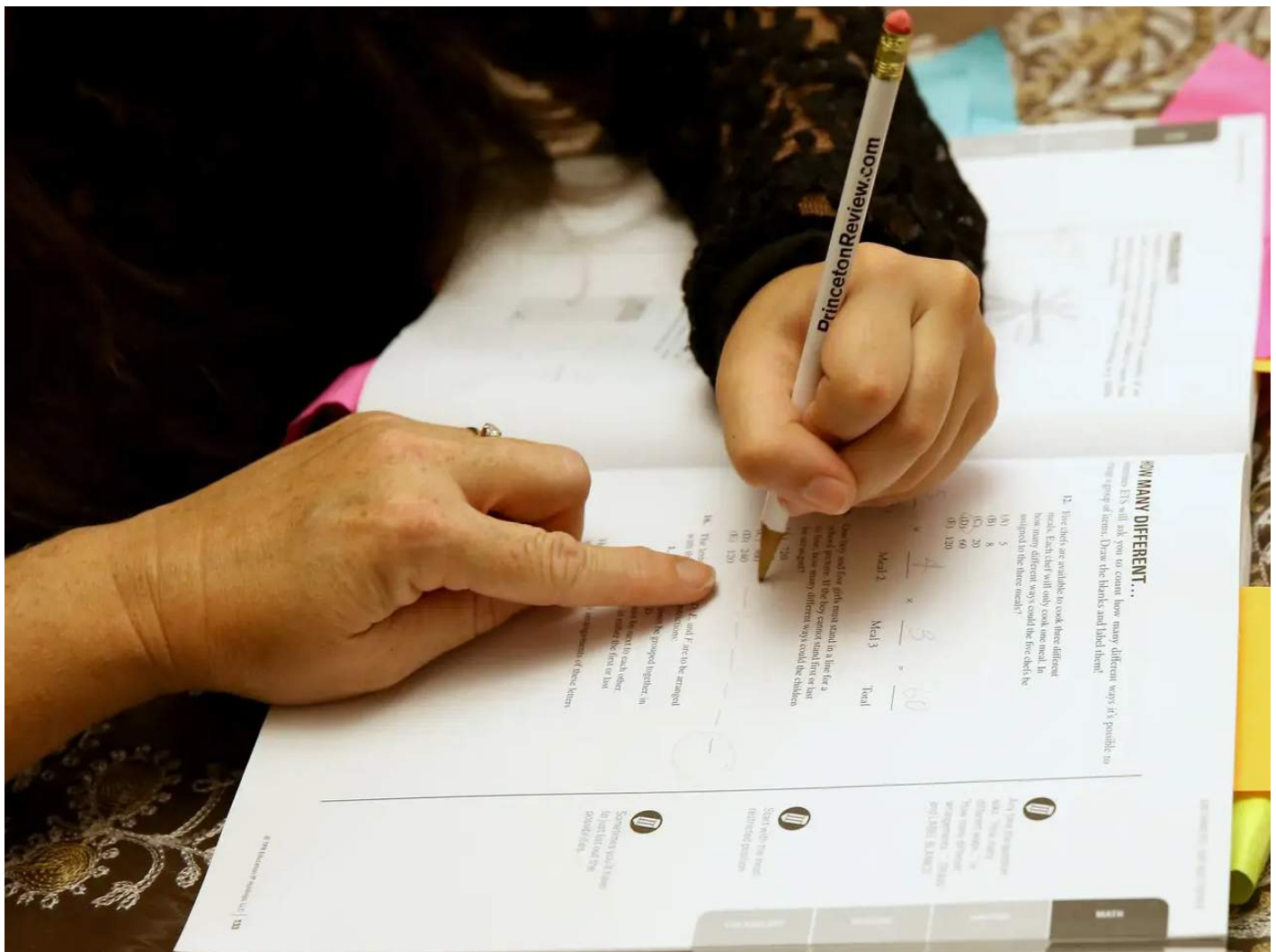
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Industry: Healthcare

Job description: A medical assistant provides direct and immediate support to physicians in clinical settings or private practices, taking care of many administrative and clinical tasks to streamline treatment.

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$30,656

MCAT-tutor roles saw a 10% increase in March.



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Industry: Tutoring

Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$28 an hour

Merchandise-associate roles saw a 6% increase in March.



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Industry: Warehousing

Job description: Merchandise associate's responsibilities include stocking storefront shelves, entering products into the store inventory system, applying

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Salary on ZipRecruiter: \$28,924

Delivery-driver roles saw a 2% monthly increase in March.



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Industry: Transportation

Job description: A delivery driver is a transportation professional who delivers over short or long distances.

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