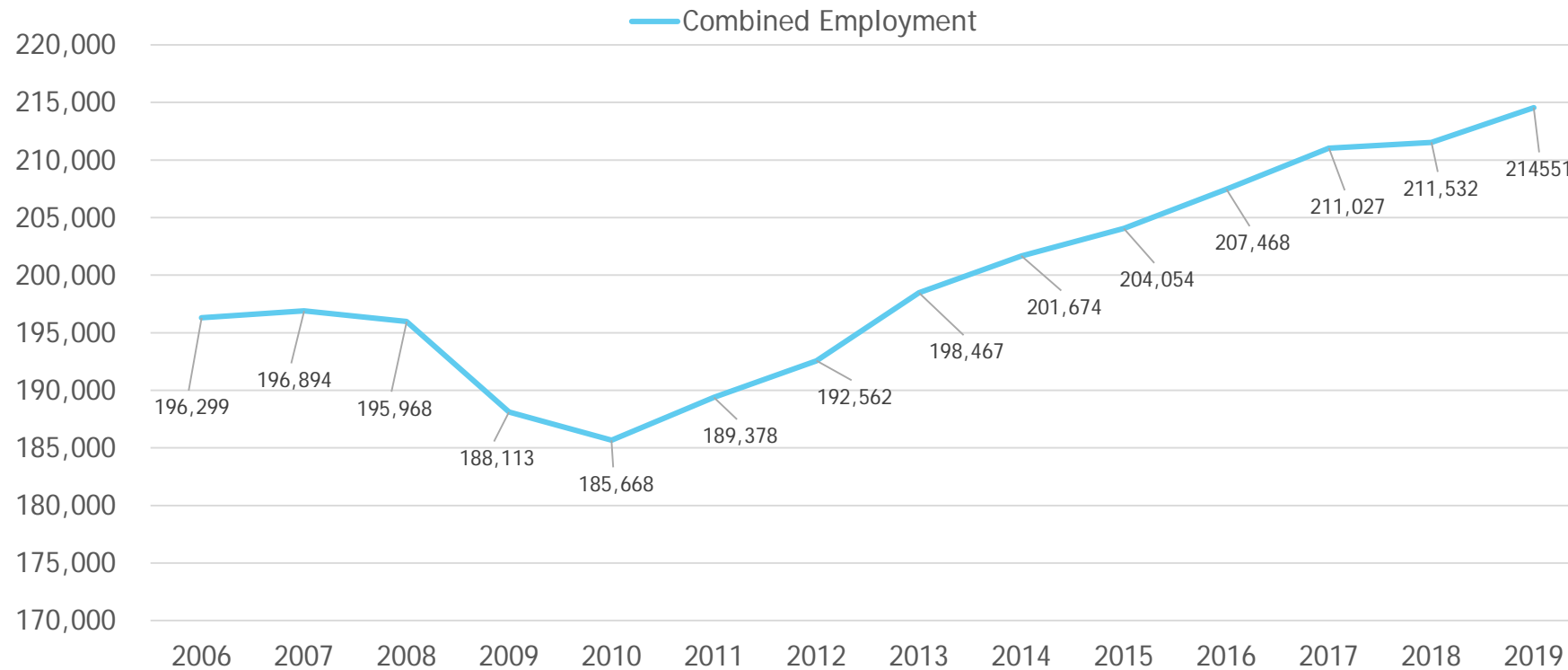
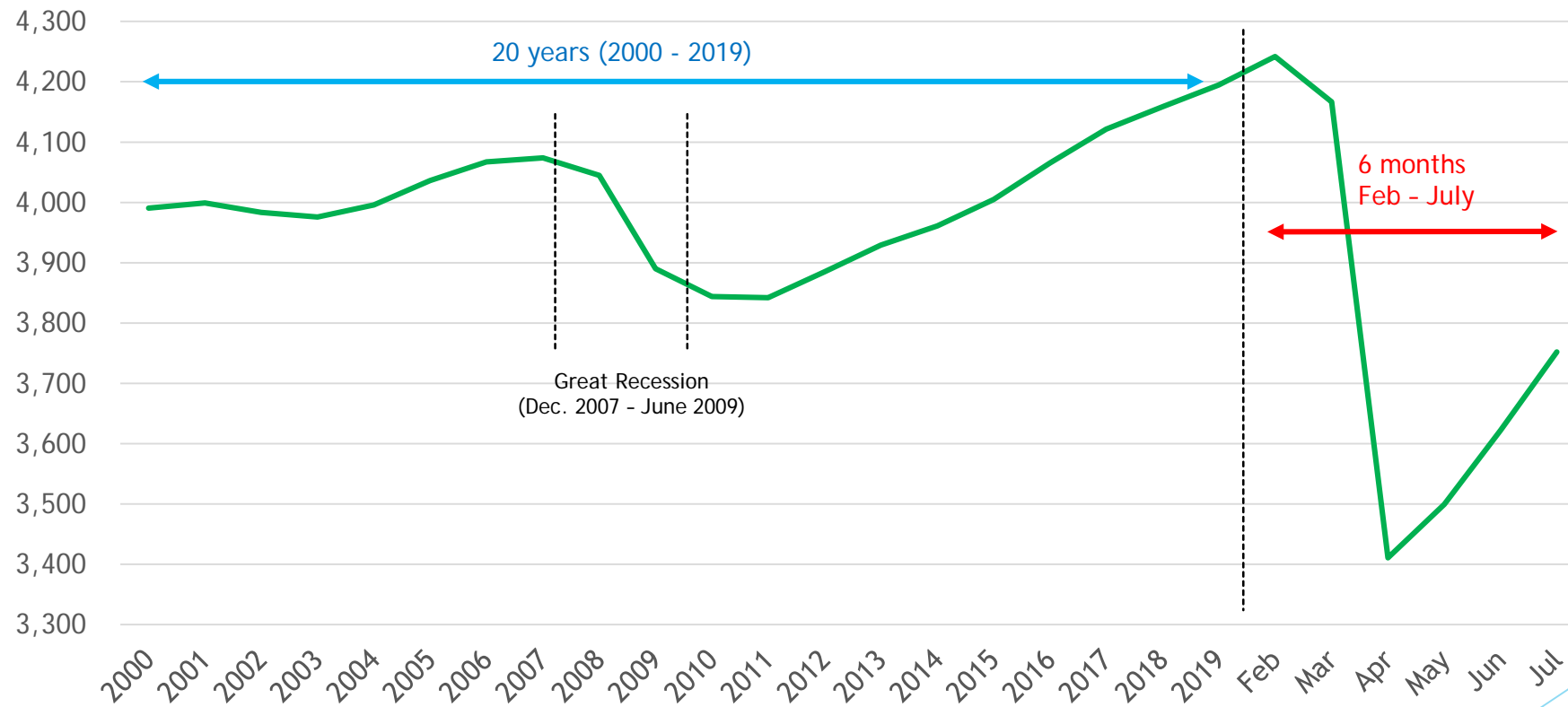


# Hunterdon and Somerset County Combined Employment 2006-2019



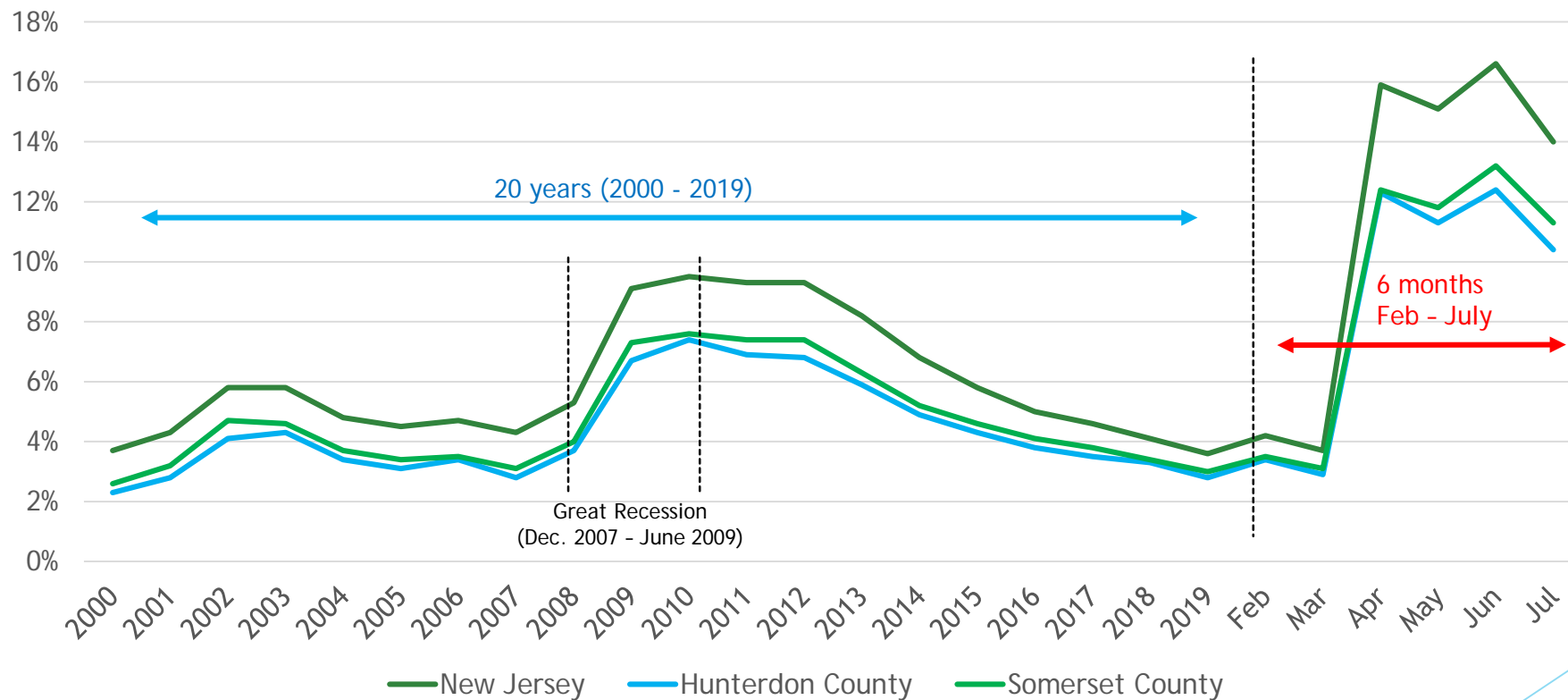
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Prepared by: NJ Department of Labor and Workforce, Bureau of Labor Market Information, September 2020

# Statewide Nonfarm Employment 2000-2019 + Last 6 Months



Source: NJLWD, Current Employment Statistics, 2000-2019 Annual Averages Plus Last 6 Months  
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# Unemployment Rates 2000-2019 + Last 6 Months Hunterdon & Somerset vs. Statewide NJ



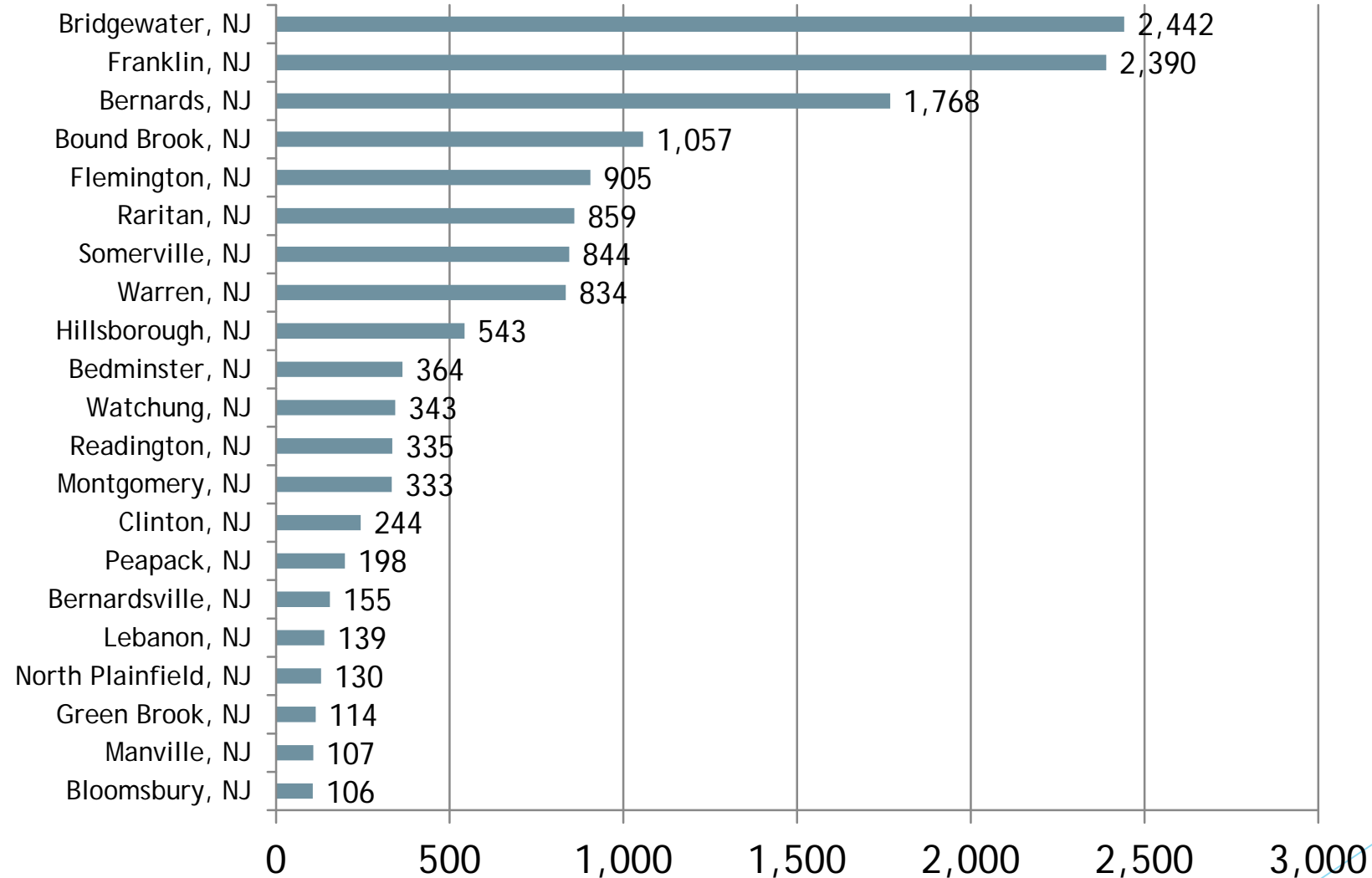
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# Claimants Most Affected (Statewide)

- ▶ Almost 1.6 million initial claims have been filed due to the pandemic since March 21, 2020
- ▶ Almost 54% of new claimants were women as compared to being only 52% of the total workforce
- ▶ By race and ethnicity, those classified as Black and/or Hispanic were slightly more affected by the pandemic in terms of filing claims
- ▶ At the statewide level, about half of all claimants had achieved no more than a high school diploma.
- ▶ The top five Occupational Groups accounted for over 50% of all claimants. All five groups (Office & Administrative, Sales, Transportation & Material Moving, Food Services and Personal Services) require close interaction with others.
- ▶ Accommodations & Food Services, Health Care & Social Assistance and Retail Trade were the three industry sectors hit hardest by the pandemic. Again, all three industries require close contact with others.

# Greater Raritan Cities With The Most Listings

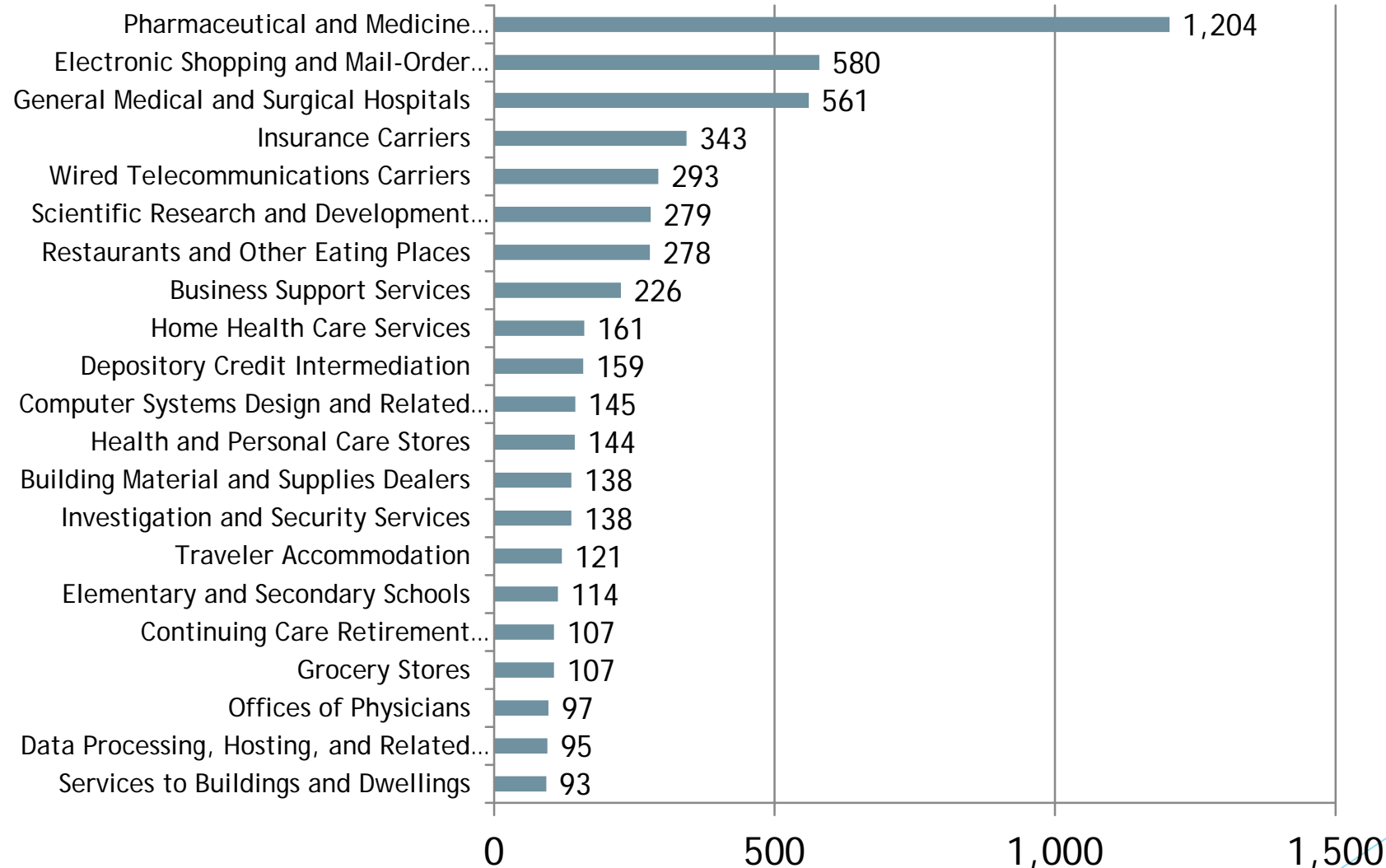
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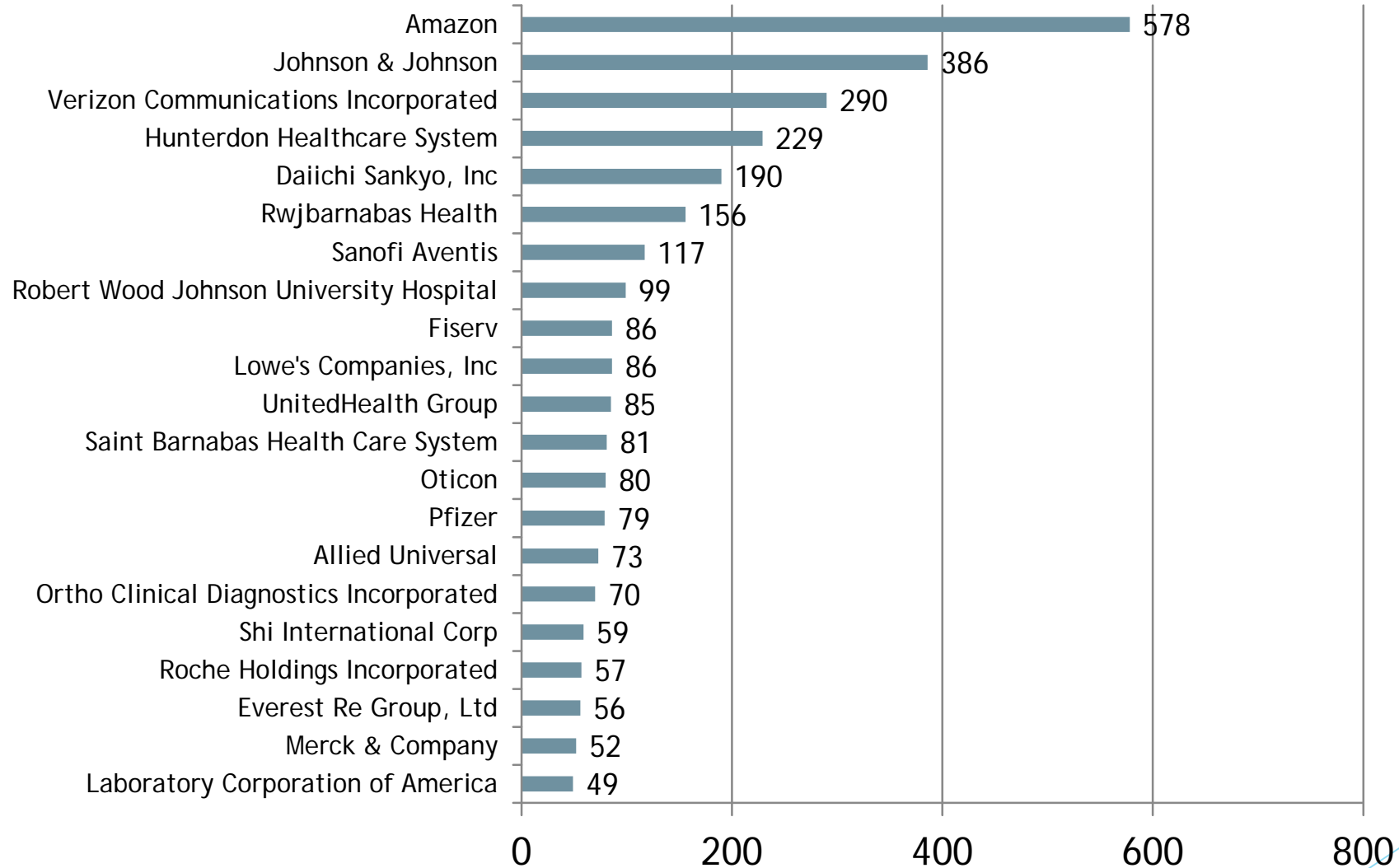
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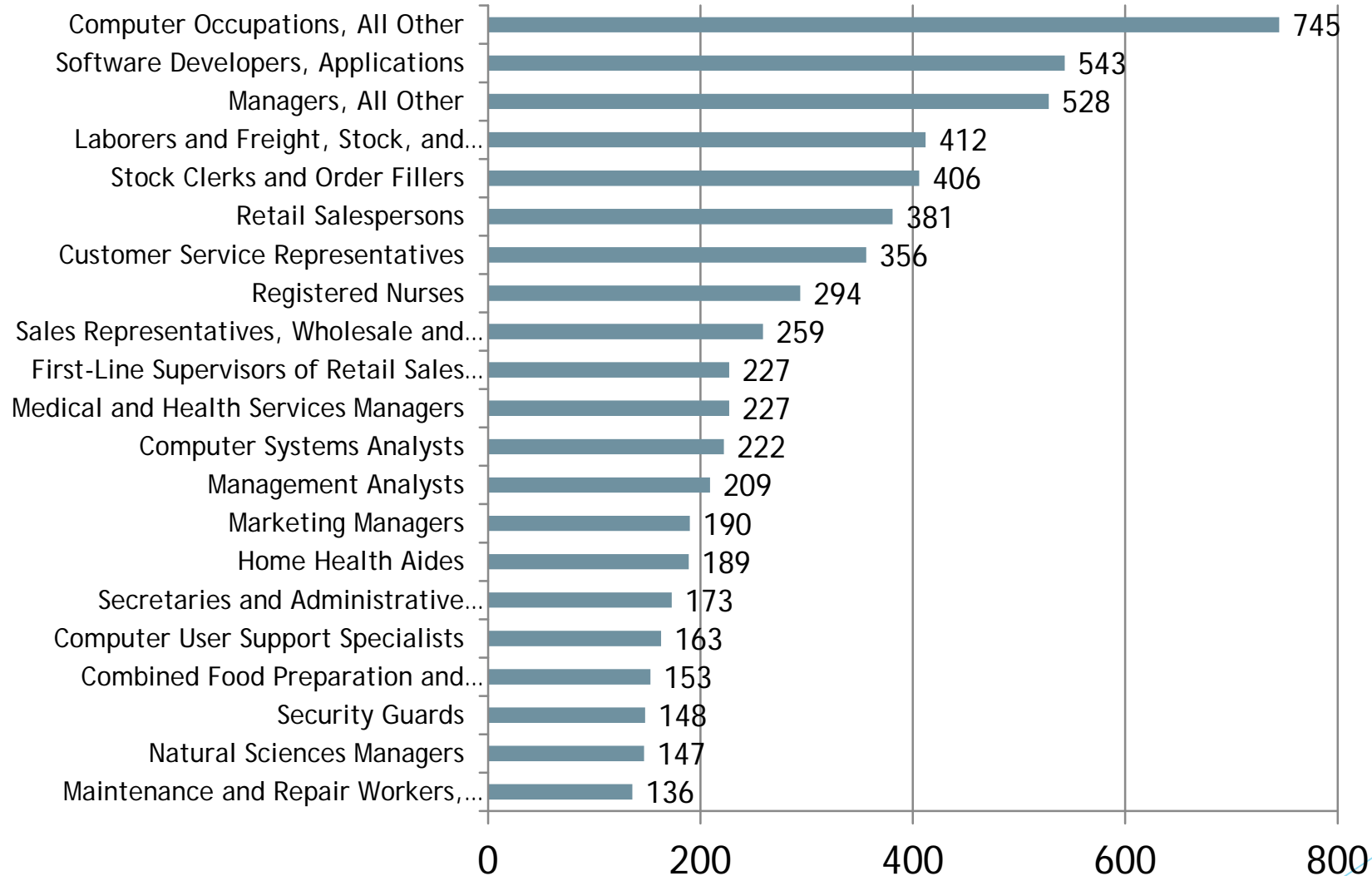
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# Greater Raritan Top Detailed Occupational Listings

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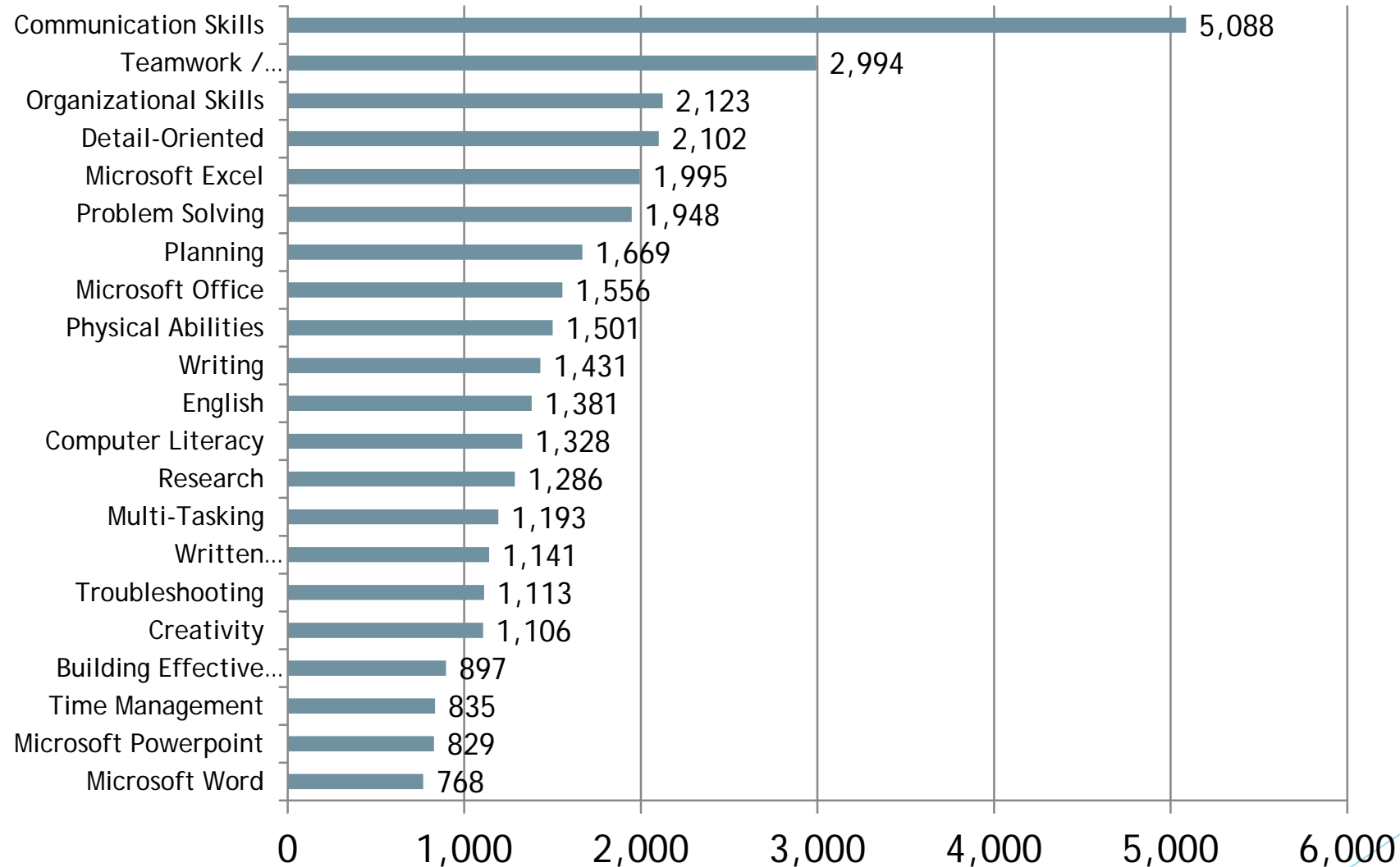


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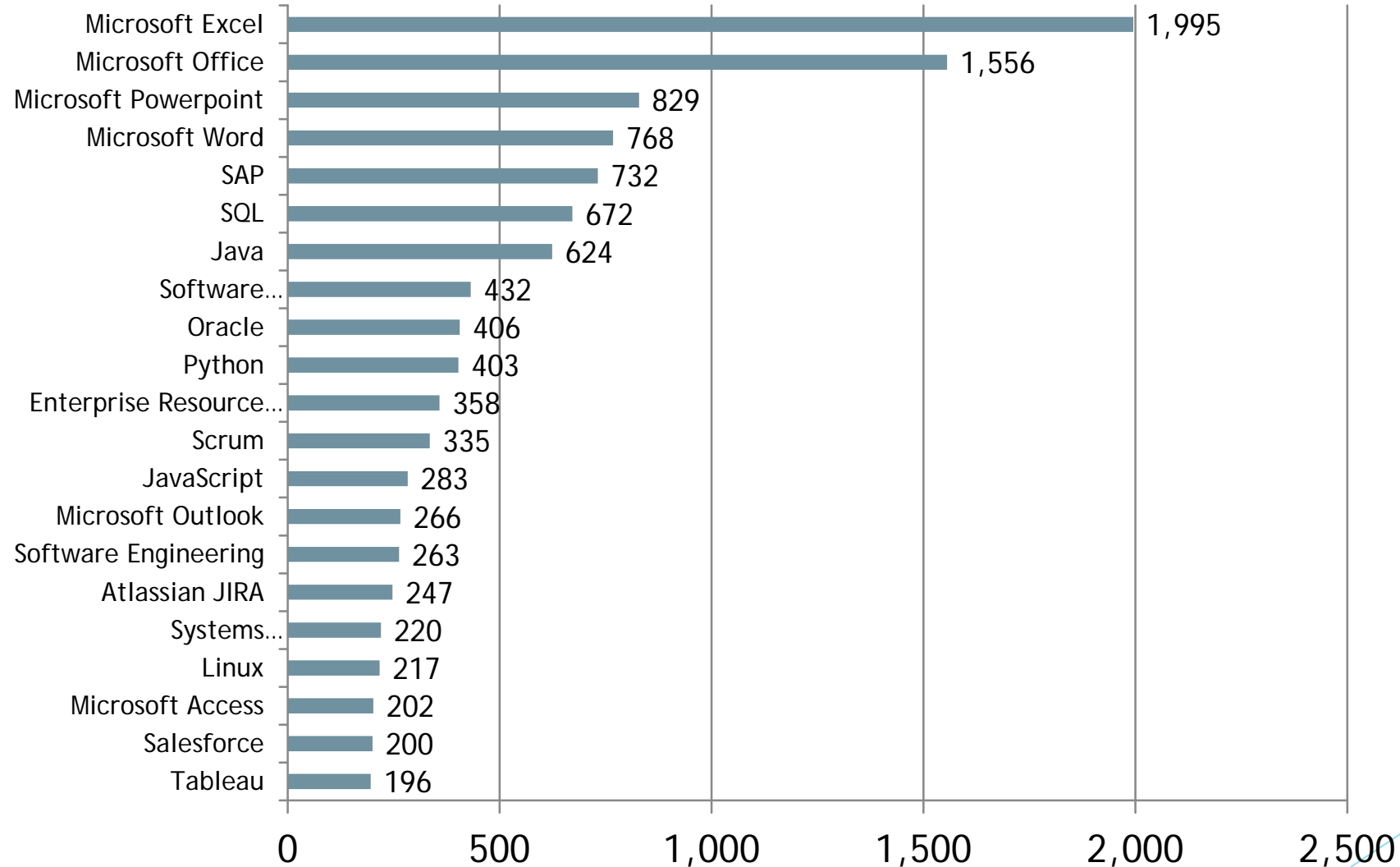
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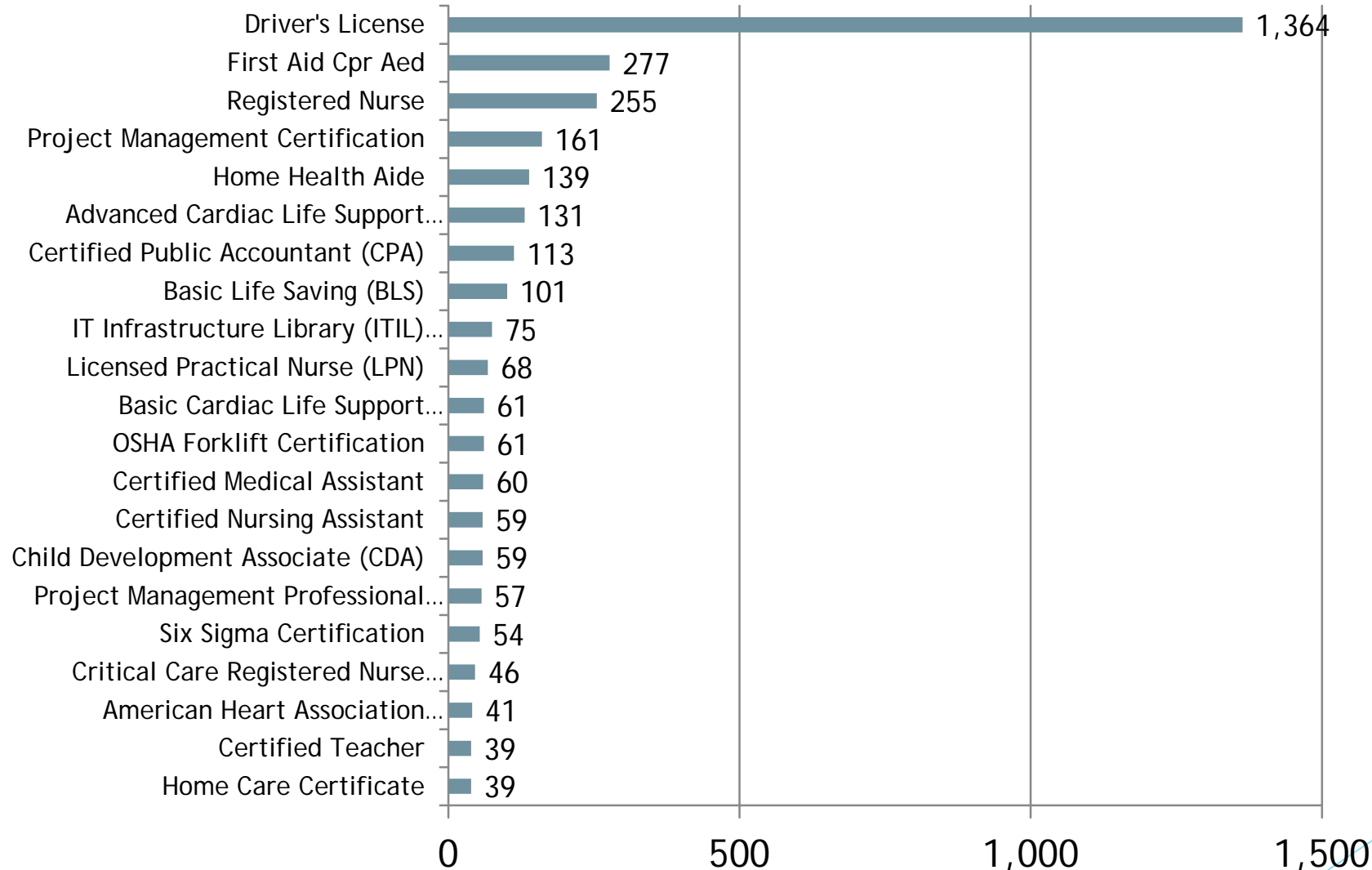
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# Greater Raritan Certifications in Greatest Demand

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