Metadata Codebook

This data dictionary details the categories of the metadata found in the [metadata log](#) that the project team created to document important information about each record in the overall dataset.

UID: Numerical location in the selected salary database [here](#)

Name: The name of the dataset as listed in the overall database.

Link to dataset: Link to the dataset as listed in the overall database.

Salary Data: The amount of salary data the dataset contains
- all: all of the data in the dataset is salary data
- contains: some of the data within the set is salary data
- none: the dataset contains no salary data

Data types: What type of data the database has
- structured: data in a CSV, XML, JSON, XLSX or other structured data format
- database: Multiple pieces of data stored in one central system (ex: cube data, sql database)
- collection: Multiple structured data documents on one page

File format: The available format(s) the file is in, including but not limited to
- CSV
- JSON
- XML
- RDF
- HTML
- TEXT
- API
- GeoJSON
- XLSX/XLS
- Shapefile
- KML

Dates: Years that the dataset covers

Date classification: How the years covered are classified in the dataset
- Fiscal Year
- Monthly

- Quarterly
- Calendar Year
- Academic Year

Government type: What level of government the dataset comes from.
- federal
- state
- county
- city

Location county: If the government level is county, what county the data is from.

Location city: If the government level is city, what city the data is from.

Location state: If the government level is state, state abbreviation for where the data is from.

Publisher: The organization that the dataset was scraped from and/or came from.

Data dictionary: Whether we found a data dictionary for the dataset through the website or another source.
- yes
- no

Public access level: If the dataset is accessible without extra steps.
- yes: public access
- login: requires a login or account
- no: not accessible

Salary type: What kinds of salaries are available within the dataset, can have multiple answers.
- hourly wage
- wage range
- annual salary
- quarterly salary
- salary range
- overtime wage
- collective wages
- collective salaries
- na

Point of contact: Name, phone number and/or email address for who should be contacted with questions about the dataset.

Data first published: If available on the dataset website, the date that the data was first made. Otherwise, mark as unavailable.

Data last updated: If available on the dataset website, the date that the data was last updated. Otherwise, mark as unavailable.