

TABLE 16.B
Median Salaries Adjusted for
Cost of Living in Selected Metropolitan Areas: 2001

Metropolitan Area	Cost of Living Index	Faculty Positions			Independent Practice		
		Median Salary	Adjusted Salary	N	Median Salary	Adjusted Salary	N
Boston, MA	154.0	62,318	40,466	16	*	*	4
Champaign, IL	105.3	75,273	71,484	13	*	*	2
Dallas, TX	97.1	*	*	2	86,000	88,568	13
Dayton-Springfield, OH	96.3	*	*	4	60,000	62,305	12
Denver, CO	109.5	*	*	5	70,000	63,927	12
Hartford, CT	115.3	65,000	56,375	15	*	*	3
Houston, TX	94.8	*	*	2	120,000	126,582	13
New York, NY	232.5	57,318	24,653	26	122,500	52,688	20
Philadelphia, PA	121.1	58,000	47,855	19	102,000	84,228	19
Pittsburgh, PA	105.1	94,091	89,525	14	*	*	8
Phoenix, AZ	99.1	57,000	57,518	12	95,000	95,863	10
Raleigh, NC	101.5	77,000	75,862	14	*	*	6
Salt Lake City, UT	99.8	50,000	50,100	11	*	*	2
San Bernadino, CA	111.4	69,545	62,428	14	*	*	0
Sacramento, CA	118.6	63,000	53,120	11	*	*	6
Seattle, WA	117.0	58,818	50,272	12	87,500	74,786	20

Source: 2001 Salaries in Psychology. Research Office. American Psychological Association. 2003.

Note: Salaries for faculty and independent practice are reported on a 9-10-month and 11-12-month basis, respectively. Conversion from a 9-10-month to 11-12-month period can be accomplished by multiplying by 11/9. Conversion from 11-12-month salaries to 9-10-month salaries can be done by multiplying by 9/11.

Adjusted salaries are the result of dividing the median salaries by the cost of living index, and then multiplying by 100.

* Indicates insufficient N size.