

Williamson County, Tennessee

Business Activity 2014

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1,162



Announcement Date	Company Name	City of Location	County	Expansion or Relocation	New Jobs	Square footage	Description of Operation	Type of Operation
1/8/14	Healthways	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	90		With new government contracts, Healthways will create an estimated 90 new, high quality Tennessee jobs at their headquarters in Franklin, TN.	Headquarters, health care
2/11/14	ASOCIA	Franklin	Williamson	Relocation			ASOCIA is a leading information technology consulting solutions provider and preferred vendor to corporations, government agencies and healthcare institutions throughout the United States.	Consulting
2/12/14	College Book Renter	Brentwood	Williamson	Relocation	25	3,300	An online college textbook rental and buyback company has moved its headquarters from Murray, Ky., to Brentwood, TN. CollegeBookRenter has nearly a dozen employees working in 3,300 square feet of leased space at the Brentwood Commons office park in Maryland Farms. The company plans to add eight employees in inventory management, information technology development and finance by June.	IT
3/7/14	TechnologyAdvice	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion	30	6,000	TechnologyAdvice, an IT marketing company that connects buyers and sellers of business technology, plans to double its staff to 60 by the end of 2014. The company, formerly Thrive Marketing Group, is currently constructing a second level in its custom-built office at 9017 Overlook Blvd in Brentwood. The company is hiring web developers, IT consultants, support staff and interns after experiencing revenue growth of more than 50% last year. More information can be found at TechnologyAdvice.com.	Headquarters, consulting
3/27/14	Aptera Software, Inc.	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	15	3000	Indiana-based software development and technology firm Aptera Software, Inc., announced today plans to expand its local operations, creating up to 15 new jobs in its Franklin office by year's end. Relatedly and during the next five years, the Fort Wayne-headquartered company plans to increase its employee count in Tennessee to 75. Aptera Software recently opened its satellite office in Franklin to support a growing client base in Tennessee as well as to continue strengthening its relationship with Microsoft, the company said in a release.	Technology
3/27/14	UnitedHealthcare	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion	200		UnitedHealthcare is hiring 200 customer service representatives in Tennessee to manage TennCare Medicaid enrollees, with 113 positions to be filled immediately. The UnitedHealth Group company is hiring representatives responsible for customer service and claims processing. The 200 hires will add to United Healthcare's more than 2,000 employees in Tennessee. They will work at the company's central offices in Maryland Farms' Creekside Crossing II.	Health care
3/27/14	Video Gaming Technologies	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	100		Video Gaming Technologies Inc. is planning to add around 100 employees as it expands its headquarters in Franklin, Doug Edwards, the company's chief administrative officer, said Thursday. The maker of casino games currently employs around 200 people in Franklin, including those in software engineering, development, design and management. Edwards said the additional employees will primarily be product managers and software engineers. "We built this building to house about 300 people and we have aspirations to get upwards of about 300 this year," Edwards said. VGT is also investing roughly \$3 million to renovate and expand its footprint in Franklin, according to Edwards. That renovation is meant to "modernize and better fit our needs," Edwards said. He added that VGT expects that expansion to be completed in July.	Headquarters
4/14/14	IngagePatient	Franklin	Williamson	Relocation	10	3000	Cloud-based patient engagement platform IngagePatient, founded in 2007 as RegisterPatient in Gainesville, Fla., is moving its corporate headquarters to Franklin and plans to double the size of its team with new hires. The company plans to hire between six and 10 employees locally in the next year, "easily doubling in size" its current five-person team at its Franklin office, Neece said. Although the company's corporate headquarters are moving to the Nashville area, it will maintain a client support center at its former home in Gainesville, he added. IngagePatient uses its cloud-based platform to link providers and patients via a mobile application that can aid patients in a variety of ways, ranging from reminding them of appointment times to giving them access to digitized clinical records from their office visits and more.	Headquarters, Health care IT
4/16/14	Corizon Health Inc.	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion	199	32,000	Corizon, a health care provider for prison systems, announced it would be adding jobs to its headquarters in Brentwood, moving some from St. Louis, and expanding office space in LifePoint's old headquarters in Brentwood.	Headquarters, Health care
4/17/14	DHG Healthcare	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion	30	6,000	DHG Healthcare, the national healthcare practice of Dixon Hughes Goodman LLP, announces the opening of its new 6,000 square foot office located at 5201 Virginia Way, Brentwood, Tennessee. Fifteen DHG Healthcare professionals currently serve from this new location; the space allows for growth of up to 30 people to support DHG Healthcare's rapidly growing presence as an advisor to the Nashville healthcare community.	Health care
4/21/14	Kirkland's	Brentwood	Williamson	Relocation	140	38000	Home goods retailer Kirkland's will move its headquarters to Maryland Farms from the Opry Mills area this summer. The relocation affects about 140 people. Kirkland's officials last month said they would move from their corporate home in Two Rivers Corporate Centre since 2007 when their lease expires in August. Last Thursday, they signed up to lease all 76,615 square feet of 5310 Maryland Way, which sits three blocks east of Granny White Pike, for 10 years. That's about twice as much space as the company now occupies in at Two Rivers.	Retail, Headquarters
4/30/14	Crestlight Venture Productions	Franklin	Williamson	Relocation			Palo Alto, Calif.-based firm, Crestlight Venture Productions, is establishing a regional headquarters through a partnership with Fivestone Corporate Ventures in Franklin that will focus on building tech startups for corporate clients.	Finance
5/28/14	NextGxDx	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion		2,700	The new lease is the latest sign of growth for the up-and-coming company, founded four years ago. NextGxDx, coming off another successful round of fundraising, is pioneering a one-stop-shop online where doctors and hospitals can order and assess any of some 19,000 types of genetic tests for their patients. NextGxDx has signed a five-year lease at Four Corporate Centre in Cool Springs, a building owned by the company Spectruml Emery, which has been the driving developer in that part of Franklin (the building happens to also house Spectrum I Emery's offices). NextGxDx is occupying 4,700 square feet, more than double the 2,000 square feet the company took two years ago when it moved into the Cool Springs Life Sciences Center, after graduating from the NashvilleEntrepreneur Center and Jumpstart Foundry.	Headquarters, health care
6/1/14	Lattimore Black Morgan & Cain	Brentwood	Williamson	Relocation		65,000	LBMC announced they would be keeping their headquarters in Brentwood, moving to the new HG Hill Brentwood development Streets of Brentwood, upon completion of the project.	Headquarters, consulting
6/10/14	Brookdale Senior Living	Brentwood	Williamson	Expansion	162	28,000	Company and government officials today confirmed that Brookdale Senior LivingInc. will invest \$2.1 million to expand its headquarters in Brentwood. As part of the expansion, Brookdale will add 162 new jobs over the next five years. Brookdale is set to merge with Emeritus Corp. in the third quarter, creating the first national senior living solutions company. After the merger, Brookdale will have more than 1,100 senior-living communities in 46 states, including each of the country's 30 largest metro areas.	Headquarters, health care
6/30/14	Peak Health Solutions	Franklin	Williamson	Relocation			Medical coding company Peak Health Solutions is moving its headquarters from San Diego to Franklin. The medical coding company has two divisions, Bailey said: a remote medical coding division based in San Diego that works primarily with health systems, and one based in Atlanta focused on insurance plans. The remote medical coding division is the one moving to Franklin, in order to be closer to the headquarters of several of the nation's largest hospital systems, Bailey said. This division has 350 employees in 49 states, according to an e-mail from Kris Powell, director of marketing for Peak. It was not immediately clear how many employees will be based at the Franklin headquarters.	Headquarters

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7/17/14	Verizon Wireless	Franklin	Williamson	Expansion	155		Verizon Wireless has announced this morning plans to bring more than 300 new jobs to the Nashville area. Positions include retail sales representatives, call center representatives in Franklin and Murfreesboro and sales support.	State Headquarters/Communications
8/12/14	Mizzouri	Franklin	Williamson	Relocation	6		Mizzouri, a global market research firm formed at the beginning of 2014, has selected Franklin for its headquarters, according to a news release. The firm will operate a six-person team from ElSpaces co-working locations in both Cool Springs and Belle Meade. Its global network includes roughly 150 senior consultants and technologists, the release says.	