

# THE LIST

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1 (1)	<b>General Atomics Aeronautical Systems, Inc.</b> 14200 Kirkham Way, Poway 92064 www.ga-asi.com 858-312-2810		5,423	5,401	22	Remotely piloted aircraft systems, radars & electro-optic & related missions systems solutions	San Diego Linden P. Blue 1986	
2 (2)	<b>Palomar Health</b> 456 E. Grand Ave., Escondido 92025 www.palomarhealth.org 760-740-6300		4,410	2,650	1,760	Inpatient hospital services, outpatient services, home care, health education	Escondido Diane Hansen 1933	
3 (3)	<b>Viasat, Inc.</b> 6155 El Camino Real, Carlsbad 92009 www.viasat.com 760-476-2200		2,563	2,515	48	Viasat is a global communications company that believes everyone and everything in the world can be connected.	Carlsbad Rick Baldrige 1986	
4 (NR)	<b>Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.</b> 5791 Van Allen Way, Carlsbad 92008 www.thermofisher.com 760-603-7200		2,400	2,400	0	Global biotechnology company	Waltham, Mass. Mark Stevenson 1987	
5 (5)	<b>California State University San Marcos</b> 333 S. Twin Oaks Valley Road, San Marcos 92096 www.csusm.edu 760-750-4000		2,213	1,192	1,021	Four-year public university	San Marcos Ellen Neufeldt 1989	
6 (4)	<b>Tri-City Medical Center</b> 4002 Vista Way, Oceanside 92056 www.tricitymed.org 760-724-8411		1,831	1,306	525	Gold Seal-approved, full-service, general acute-care hospital serving coastal North County.	Oceanside Steve Dietlin 1961	
7 (NR)	<b>MiraCosta College</b> 1 Barnard Drive, Oceanside 92056 www.miracosta.edu 760-757-2121		1,269	1,269	0	MiraCosta College offers hundreds of classes in 70+ disciplines. In our credit program, you can earn a degree or certificate, complete your first two years of college and transfer to a four-year university, or take classes to advance your career	Oceanside Sunita Cooke 1934	
8 (NR)	<b>Harrah's Resort Southern California</b> 777 Harrah's Rincon Way, Funnar 92082 www.HarrahsSoCal.com 760-751-3100		1,162	1,107	55	Resort hotel with eight restaurants, events center, conference facilities, casino, & spa	Valley Center Robert Livingston 2002	
9 (6)	<b>Sony Electronics Inc.</b> 16535 Via Esprillo, San Diego 92127 www.sony.com 858-942-4700		1,106	1,101	5	Televisions, audio, video, digital imaging products, professional solutions, medical, semiconductors	Tokyo Neal Manowitz 1972	
10 (NR)	<b>San Diego Zoo Safari Park</b> 15500 San Pasqual Valley Rd., Escondido 92027 www.sdzsafari.com 619-231-1515		968	439	529	San Diego Zoo Wildlife Alliance is an international, nonprofit conservation organization with two front doors: the San Diego Zoo and the San Diego Zoo Safari Park. We integrate wildlife health and care, science, and education to develop sustainable conservation solutions	San Diego Lisa Peterson 1972	
11 (9)	<b>Kaiser Permanente San Diego</b> 9455 Clairemont Mesa Blvd., <sup>(1)</sup> San Diego 92123 www.kp.org/sandiego 858-266-5000		966	542	424	Nonprofit health maintenance hospital, outpatient medical, urgent care, medical offices	Oakland Jane Finley 1967	

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12 (NR)	<b>Hunter Industries Inc.</b> 1940 Diamond St., San Marcos 92078 www.corporate.hunterindustries.com 760-304-7297		800	800	0	A global leader in the irrigation, outdoor lighting, dispensing technology, and custom manufacturing industries.	San Marcos	Greg Hunter 1981	
13 (8)	<b>Petco Animal Supplies Inc.</b> 10850 Via Frontera, San Diego 92127 www.petco.com 858-453-7845		720	714	6	Petco is a category-defining health and wellness company focused on improving the lives of pets, pet parents and our own Petco partners	San Diego	Ron Coughlin 1965	
14 (13)	<b>AMN Healthcare</b> 12400 High Bluff Drive, San Diego 92130 www.amnhealthcare.com 866-871-8519		696	675	21	Healthcare total talent solutions	San Diego	Susan Salka 1985	
15 (NR)	<b>GenMark Diagnostics Inc.</b> 5964 La Place Court, Carlsbad 92008 www.genmarkdx.com 760-448-4300		662	657	5	Molecular diagnostics company	Carlsbad	Scott Mendel 2010	
16 (NR)	<b>Arch Health Medical Group</b> 15611 Pomerado Road, Suite 400, Poway 92064 www.archhealth.org 858-675-3100		613	580	33	Growing Multispecialty Medical Group with main locations in Escondido and Poway and surrounding areas in North County San Diego	Escondido	Ryan Olsen 2010	
17 (NR)	<b>TrueCare</b> <sup>(1)</sup> 150 Valpreda Road, San Marcos 92069 www.truecare.org (760) 736-6767		612	501	111	Nonprofit FQHC: medical, dental, behavioral & women's health w/ 12 locations in SD & Riverside county	San Diego	Michelle D. Gonzalez, MPA 1971	
18 (NR)	<b>Callaway Golf Co.</b> 2180 Rutherford Road, Carlsbad 92008 www.callawaygolf.com 760-931-1771		590	590	0	Manufacturer of golf clubs, golf balls and golf accessories	Carlsbad	Oliver Brewer 1982	
19 (15)	<b>Ionis Pharmaceuticals Inc.</b> 2855 Gazelle Court, Carlsbad 92010 www.ionispharma.com 760-931-9200		586	580	6	For more than 30 years, Ionis has been the leader in RNA-targeted therapy, pioneering new markets and changing the standard of care with its novel antisense technology. Ionis currently has three approved medicines and a premier late-stage pipeline highlighted by industry-leading neurological and cardiometabolic franchises	Carlsbad	Brett Monia, Ph.D. 1989	
20 (NR)	<b>Neighborhood Healthcare</b> 425 N. Date St, Suite 203, Escondido 92025 www.nhcare.org 760-520-8372		517	461	56	At Neighborhood, we believe community health is about more than just vaccines and checkups. It's about giving people the resources they need to live their best lives. We are better together	Escondido	Rakesh Patel, MD 1969	
21 (NR)	<b>Park Hyatt Aviara</b> 7100 Aviara Resort Drive, Carlsbad 92011 www.parkhyattaviara.com 760-448-1234		398	350	48	Luxury resort featuring award-winning golf, dining, tennis and spa	Carlsbad	Geoff Gray 2010	
22 (NR)	<b>TERI Inc.</b> 251 Airport Road, Oceanside 92058 www.teriinc.org 760-721-1706		359	359	0	TERI operates 2 special education schools, a day program for adult education, 13 homes, and offers respite, vocational training, therapeutic services (ABA and speech-language pathology). TERI operates Inspired Resale in Oceanside.	Oceanside	Cheryl Kilmer 1980	
23 (16)	<b>Millennium Health</b> 16981 Via Tazon, San Diego 92127 www.millenniumhealth.com 877-451-3534		331	326	5	Specialty laboratory providing clinicians with drug testing and medication monitoring services	San Diego	Andrew A. Lukowiak, Ph.D. 2007	

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