

Cost of Living Comparisons- based on annual salary of \$70,000

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How far will my salary go in another city?

Boston to Atlanta, Georgia

Comparable salary in

Atlanta, GA

\$50,979

Groceries will cost: 15% less

Housing will cost: 41% less

Utilities will cost: 40% less

Transportation will cost: 4% less

Healthcare will cost: 22% less

Boston to San Francisco

Comparable salary in

San Francisco, CA

\$90,018

Groceries will cost: 9% more

Housing will cost: 88% more

Utilities will cost: 33% less

Transportation will cost: 7% more

Healthcare will cost: 10% less

Boston to Los Angeles

Comparable salary in

Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA

\$77,343

Groceries will cost: 5% less

Housing will cost: 61% more

Utilities will cost: 39% less

Transportation will cost: 6% more

Healthcare will cost: 17% less

Boston to Rhode Island

Comparable salary in

Providence, RI

\$63,670

Groceries will cost: 6% less

Housing will cost: 15% less

Utilities will cost: 11% less

Transportation will cost: 4% less

Healthcare will cost: 8% less

Boston to New York City

Comparable salary

(if living in Manhattan): \$116,012

Groceries will cost: 24% more

Housing will cost: 165% more

Utilities will cost: 15% more

Transportation will cost: 14% more

Healthcare will cost: 0% less

Comparable salary in

(if living in Brooklyn): \$64,282

Groceries will cost: 4% less

Housing will cost: 2% less

Utilities will cost: 7% less

Transportation will cost: 7% less

Healthcare will cost: 21% less

Boston to Miami/South Florida

Comparable salary in

Miami-Dade County, FL

\$60,803

Groceries will cost: 7% less

Housing will cost: 9% less

Utilities will cost: 34% less

Transportation will cost: 2% more

Healthcare will cost: 19% less

Boston to New Hampshire

Comparable salary in

Manchester, NH

\$62,197

Groceries will cost: 12% less

Housing will cost: 19% less

Utilities will cost: 17% less

Transportation will cost: 1% less

Healthcare will cost: 4% less

Boston to Washington, DC

Comparable salary in

Washington-Arlington-Alexandria, DC-VA

\$72,729

Groceries will cost: 6% less

Housing will cost: 43% more

Utilities will cost: 34% less

Transportation will cost: 0% less

Healthcare will cost: 20% less

Other areas:

Boston to Hartford, Connecticut

Comparable salary in

Hartford, CT

\$64,420

If you move from Boston, MA to

Groceries will cost: 0% less

Housing will cost: 9% less

Utilities will cost: 10% less

Transportation will cost: 2% more

Healthcare will cost: 13% less

Boston to Bergen/Passaic New Jersey

Comparable salary in

Bergen-Passaic, NJ

\$69,746

Groceries will cost: 1% less

Housing will cost: 15% more

Utilities will cost: 20% less

Transportation will cost: 3% less

Healthcare will cost: 16% less

Boston to Middlesex/Monmouth New Jersey

Comparable salary in

Middlesex-Monmouth, NJ

\$65,998

Groceries will cost: 5% less

Housing will cost: 1% more

Utilities will cost: 20% less

Transportation will cost: 3% less

Healthcare will cost: 16% less

Boston to Philadelphia, PA

Comparable salary in

Philadelphia, PA

\$65,238

Groceries will cost: 8% more

Housing will cost: 6% less

Utilities will cost: 18% less

Transportation will cost: 3% less

Healthcare will cost: 17% less

Boston to Charlotte, North Carolina

Comparable salary in

Charlotte, NC

\$49,432

Groceries will cost: 12% less

Housing will cost: 48% less

Utilities will cost: 36% less

Transportation will cost: 9% less

Healthcare will cost: 18% less

Boston to Charleston, South Carolina

Comparable salary in

Charleston-N Charleston, SC

\$51,095

Groceries will cost: 11% less

Housing will cost: 42% less

Utilities will cost: 33% less

Transportation will cost: 8% less

Healthcare will cost: 20% less

Boston to Dallas, Texas

Comparable salary in

Dallas, TX

\$48,688

Groceries will cost: 14% less

Housing will cost: 54% less

Utilities will cost: 27% less

Transportation will cost: 3% less

Healthcare will cost: 21% less

Boston to Austin, Texas

Comparable salary in

Austin, TX

\$50,351

Groceries will cost: 20% less

Housing will cost: 45% less

Utilities will cost: 39% less

Transportation will cost: 9% less

Healthcare will cost: 27% less

Boston to Phoenix, Arizona

Comparable salary in

Phoenix, AZ

\$53,397

Groceries will cost: 11% less

Housing will cost: 35% less

Utilities will cost: 38% less

Transportation will cost: 6% less

Healthcare will cost: 25% less

Boston to Denver, Colorado

Comparable salary in

Denver, CO

\$55,039

Groceries will cost: 7% less

Housing will cost: 29% less

Utilities will cost: 33% less

Transportation will cost: 10% less

Healthcare will cost: 20% less

Boston to Seattle, Washington

Comparable salary in

Seattle, WA

\$65,190

Groceries will cost: 0% less

Housing will cost: 1% less

Utilities will cost: 43% less

Transportation will cost: 5% more

Healthcare will cost: 8% less

Boston to Chicago

Comparable salary in

Chicago, IL

\$59,431

Groceries will cost: 9% less

Housing will cost: 15% less

Utilities will cost: 19% less

Transportation will cost: 4% more

Healthcare will cost: 21% less