

GAO employees will receive the 2009 GS locality increase as their across-the-board increase.

See the table below.

2009 GS Locality Increases by GAO Office Location									
Zone 1	Increase	Zone 2	Increase	Zone 3	Increase	Zone 4	Increase	Zone 5	Increase
Huntsville	4.01%	Atlanta	4.0%	D.C.	4.78%	Boston	4.13%	San Francisco	4.31%
Norfolk	3.52%	Dayton	3.47%	Dallas	3.95%	Los Angeles	3.93%		
Richland	3.52%			Denver	3.75%				
				Chicago	3.99%				
				Seattle	4.03%				

The salary range maximums, speed bumps, and competitive rates, will be increased by 4.78% for all offices.

The salary range minimums will be adjusted for each zone according to the average locality increase for the GAO offices in each zone. See the table below for the salary minimum adjustment per zone.

Zone	Adjustment to Salary Range Minimums
1	3.68%
2	3.74%
3	4.1%
4	4.03%
5	4.31%