



All Top Jobs Occupations

Listed According to Median Annual Wage

Listed below are all 281 Top Jobs across the state of Ohio, sorted by the occupation’s total annual job openings. Entry into these occupations requires varying levels of education, on-the-job-training and relevant work experience. Discuss these options with your OhioMeansJobs Center’s workforce specialist.

Occupation Title	Starting Wage	Median Annual Wage	Education Level	On-the-Job Training	Relevant Work Experience	Annual Job Openings*
Pathologists	\$91,560	\$206,920	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	534
Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation Physicians	\$91,560	\$206,920	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	534
Physicians and Surgeons, All Other ²	\$91,560	\$206,920	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	534
Preventive Medicine Physicians	\$91,560	\$206,920	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	534
Psychiatrists	\$93,300	\$195,933	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	50
Internists, General	\$93,130	\$194,500	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	100
Family/General Practitioners	\$94,500	\$192,944	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	154
Dentists, General	\$94,910	\$192,811	Doctoral/ Professional degree	None	None	158
Nurse Anesthetists	\$120,030	\$162,629	Master’s degree	None	None	153
Pediatricians, General	\$104,360	\$155,976	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	49

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Architectural and Engineering Managers	\$93,980	\$132,125	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	503
Computer and Information Systems Managers	\$84,570	\$128,189	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	1,058
Marketing Managers	\$76,580	\$125,610	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	532
Pharmacists	\$82,460	\$124,628	Doctoral/ Professional degree	None	None	628
Sales Managers	\$74,180	\$124,459	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	1,072
Natural Sciences Managers	\$81,150	\$124,048	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	113
Financial Managers	\$73,450	\$121,356	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	2,052
Purchasing Managers	\$78,330	\$120,041	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	220
Aerospace Engineers	\$79,350	\$112,970	Bachelor's degree	None	None	330
Physician Assistants	\$78,810	\$108,426	Master's degree	None	None	294
Psychologists, All Other		\$104,166	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	35
Nurse Practitioners	\$86,580	\$103,380	Master's degree	None	None	574
Industrial Production Managers	\$64,770	\$102,510	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	738
Software Developers, Systems Software	\$68,820	\$101,149	Bachelor's degree	None	None	378
Lawyers	\$57,470	\$100,842	Doctoral/ Professional degree	None	None	862
Managers, All Other ¹	\$63,160	\$100,277	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	1,896
Computer Network Architects	\$62,560	\$98,795	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	339
General and Operations Managers	\$50,180	\$98,760	Bachelor's degree	None	5 years or more	5,791
Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	\$59,560	\$97,936	Bachelor's degree	None	None	258
Actuaries	\$62,670	\$96,206	Bachelor's degree	Long-term on-the-job training	None	99

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Chemical Engineers	\$59,970	\$96,196	Bachelor's degree	None	None	102
Medical and Health Services Managers	\$65,100	\$93,817	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	1,570
Construction Managers	\$63,620	\$93,643	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,204
Software Developers, Applications	\$58,530	\$93,422	Bachelor's degree	None	None	3,011
Database Administrators	\$52,810	\$92,092	Bachelor's degree	None	None	309
Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers	\$60,350	\$91,577	High school diploma	None	5 years or more	460
Engineers, All Other ¹	\$52,550	\$91,478	Bachelor's degree	None	None	527
Manufacturing Engineers ¹	\$52,550	\$91,478	Bachelor's degree	None	None	527
Robotics Engineers ¹	\$52,550	\$91,478	Bachelor's degree	None	None	527
Solar Energy Systems Engineers ¹	\$52,550	\$91,478	Bachelor's degree	None	None	527
Information Security Analysts	\$59,300	\$91,467	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	292
Health & Safety Engineers, ex. Mining Safety	\$63,010	\$90,034	Bachelor's degree	None	None	36
Industrial Safety and Health Engineers	\$63,010	\$90,034	Bachelor's degree	None	None	36
Sales Engineers	\$57,640	\$89,646	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	377
Physical Therapists	\$65,800	\$89,011	Doctoral/ Professional degree	None	None	537
Administrative Services Managers	\$58,950	\$87,292	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	884
Environmental Engineers	\$64,140	\$86,780	Bachelor's degree	None	None	86
Occupational Therapists	\$62,350	\$86,299	Master's degree	None	None	367
Computer Systems Analysts	\$60,630	\$86,074	Bachelor's degree	None	None	1,867
Electrical Engineers	\$56,130	\$85,756	Bachelor's degree	None	None	446

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Business Intelligence Analysts ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
Computer Occupations, All Other ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
Computer Systems Engineers/Architects ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
Information Technology Project Managers ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
Search Marketing Strategists ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
Software Quality Assurance Engineers and Testers ¹	\$45,130	\$84,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	489
First-Line Superv./Mgrs of police & Detectives	\$58,180	\$84,039	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	Less than 5 years	159
Industrial Engineers	\$58,460	\$82,573	Bachelor's degree	None	None	1,102
Operations Research Analysts	\$55,870	\$81,437	Bachelor's degree	None	None	346
Civil Engineers	\$53,870	\$80,219	Bachelor's degree	None	None	653
Management Analysts	\$46,500	\$79,873	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	2,219
Mechanical Engineers	\$56,120	\$79,268	Bachelor's degree	None	None	1,165
Sales Rep., Wholesale & Mfg, Tech./Sci. Prod.	\$41,320	\$77,948	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,999
Financial Quantitative Analysts ¹	\$49,110	\$77,750	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	567
Financial Specialists, All Other ¹	\$49,110	\$77,750	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	567
Social Scientists and Related Workers, All Other		\$77,314	Bachelor's degree	None	None	185
Network and Comp. Systems Admins	\$51,350	\$76,954	Bachelor's degree	None	None	861
Environmental Scientists/Specialists, inc. Health	\$49,380	\$76,647	Bachelor's degree	None	None	331
Personal Financial Advisors	\$43,300	\$76,441	Bachelor's degree	Long-term on-the-job	None	780
Speech-Language Pathologists	\$50,080	\$76,136	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	375

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Clinical Psychologists	\$45,750	\$74,641	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	326
Clinical, Counseling, and School Psychologists	\$45,750	\$74,641	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	326
Counseling Psychologists	\$45,750	\$74,641	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	326
School Psychologists	\$45,750	\$74,641	Doctoral/ Professional degree	Internship/residency	None	326
Occupational Health and Safety Specialists	\$47,540	\$74,641	Bachelor's degree	None	None	228
Logisticians	\$50,900	\$74,519	Bachelor's degree	None	None	614
Computer Programmers	\$43,610	\$74,488	Bachelor's degree	None	None	241
Financial Examiners	\$49,370	\$74,139	Bachelor's degree	Long-term on-the-job training	None	317
Farmers, Ranchers, and Other Agricultural Managers	\$51,380	\$74,057	High school diploma	None	5 years or more	5,852
Financial Analysts	\$51,430	\$73,903	Bachelor's degree	None	None	914
First-Line Sup./Mgrs of Non-Retail Sales Workers	\$41,780	\$71,996	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	1,242
Dental Hygienists	\$54,320	\$70,763	Associate's degree	None	None	578
Social and Community Service Managers	\$47,010	\$69,875	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	505
Therapists, All Other	NA	\$69,722	Bachelor's degree	None	None	95
First-Line Supervisors/Mgrs of Correctional Officers	\$47,390	\$69,464	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	30
Medical Scientists, Except Epidemiologists	\$49,060	\$69,442	Doctoral/ Professional degree	None	None	426
Chemists	\$46,780	\$69,084	Bachelor's degree	None	None	390
Business Operations Specialists, All Other ¹	\$40,610	\$67,746	Bachelor's degree	None	None	3,401
Energy Auditors ¹	\$40,610	\$67,746	Bachelor's degree	None	None	3,401
Claims Adjusters, Examiners, and Investigators	\$41,980	\$66,792	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job training	None	881

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Loan Officers	\$37,250	\$66,556	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,158
First-Line Sup/Mgrs of Con. Trades/Extract. Work	\$43,180	\$66,489	High school diploma	None	5 years or more	1,748
Accountants and Auditors	\$45,290	\$66,412	Bachelor's degree	None	None	4,493
Diagnostic Medical Sonographers	\$52,100	\$65,922	Associate's degree	None	None	165
Forensic Science Technicians	\$49,360	\$65,922	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	50
Acute Care Nurses	\$52,780	\$65,707	Bachelor's degree	None	None	8,848
Advanced Practice Psychiatric Nurses	\$52,780	\$65,707	Bachelor's degree	None	None	8,848
Clinical Nurse Specialists	\$52,780	\$65,707	Bachelor's degree	None	None	8,848
Critical Care Nurses	\$52,780	\$65,707	Bachelor's degree	None	None	8,848
Registered Nurses	\$52,780	\$65,707	Bachelor's degree	None	None	8,848
Special Education Teachers, Preschool	\$37,100	\$65,451	Bachelor's degree	None	None	76
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All		\$64,750	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	46
FL Sup/Mgrs of Mechanics/Installers/Repairers	\$41,110	\$64,666	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	1,499
Compl. Off., ex. Agric, Con, Hlth/Safety, & Trans.	\$38,850	\$63,699	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	645
Web Developers	\$36,100	\$63,608	Associate's degree	None	§	294
Chemical Plant and System Operators	\$41,410	\$63,434	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	224
Elementary School Teachers, ex. Special Ed.	\$39,600	\$63,404	Bachelor's degree	None	None	3,511
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technicians	\$39,150	\$62,984	Associate's degree	None	None	203
Cost Estimators	\$39,580	\$62,312	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,211
Purchasing Agents, ex. Whole., Retail, & Farm ²	‡	\$62,120	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,013

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Structural Iron and Steel Workers	\$44,950	\$62,048	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	383
Market Research Analysts and Marketing Specialists	\$38,110	\$61,593	Bachelor's degree	None	None	2,766
Occupational Therapy Assistants	\$47,770	\$61,583	Associate's degree	None	None	576
FL Sup/Mgrs of Production/Operating Workers	\$40,100	\$61,517	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	2,898
Aircraft Mechanics and Service Technicians	\$38,820	\$61,073	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	372
Physical Therapist Assistants	\$45,850	\$60,676	Associate's degree	None	None	1,005
Millwrights	\$42,180	\$60,388	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	245
Public Relations Specialists	\$36,870	\$60,272	Bachelor's degree	None	None	764
Compensation, Benefits, and Job Analysis Specialists	\$39,280	\$60,051	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	314
Kindergarten Teachers, Except Special Education	\$37,570	\$59,873	Bachelor's degree	None	None	625
Construction and Building Inspectors	\$38,220	\$59,643	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	5 years or more	334
Securities/Commodities/Fin. Serv. Sales Agents	\$34,530	\$59,554	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,103
Human Resource Specialists	\$38,200	\$59,424	Bachelor's degree	None	None	2,079
Sales Rep., Wholesale/Mfg, ex. Tech./Sci. Prod.	\$34,440	\$59,327	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	5,121
Electrical/Electronics Repair, Comm/Indus Equip.	\$39,990	\$59,098	Certificate/ Some college	Long-term on-the-job	None	200
Computer Network Support Specialists	\$38,350	\$58,747	Associate's degree	None	None	776
Training and Development Specialists	\$34,990	\$57,976	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	1,007
Appraisers and Assessors of Real Estate	\$29,300	\$57,924	Bachelor's degree	Long-term on-the-job	None	198
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants	\$39,700	\$57,916	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	1,659
Radiologic Technologists	\$43,220	\$57,795	Associate's degree	None	None	552

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Respiratory Therapists	\$44,680	\$57,754	Associate's degree	None	None	504
Electro-Mechanical Technicians	\$39,800	\$57,550	Associate's degree	None	None	35
Brickmasons and Blockmasons	\$38,780	\$56,939	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	398
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	\$34,190	\$56,877	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	2,019
Special Education Teachers, Kindergarten/ Elementary	\$37,770	\$56,373	Bachelor's degree	None	None	599
Industrial Engineering Technicians	\$38,840	\$56,096	Associate's degree	None	None	275
First-Line Sup/Mgrs of Office & Admin. Support	\$37,200	\$55,636	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	4,529
Fundraisers	\$31,710	\$55,458	Bachelor's degree	None	None	521
Mechanical Engineering Technicians	\$40,570	\$55,185	Associate's degree	None	None	218
Medical and Public Health Social Workers	\$38,520	\$54,786	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	1,174
Educational, Vocational, and School Counselors	\$36,580	\$54,715	Master's degree	None	None	1,125
Operating Engineers & Other Con. Equip. Op.	\$38,810	\$54,544	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	1,780
FL Sup/Mgr of Trans/Mat.-Mov. Mach & Veh Op ²	‡	\$53,810	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	777
FL Sup/Mgrs of Help/Labor/Mat. Movers, Hand ²	‡	\$53,810	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	782
Electricians	\$31,870	\$53,629	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	2,983
Property, Real Estate & Community Assn Mgrs	\$34,690	\$53,167	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	799
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$35,520	\$52,865	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job training	None	1,861
Occupational Health and Safety Technicians	\$37,120	\$52,668	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	47
Sales Representatives, Services, All Other ¹	\$27,850	\$52,437	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	4,263
Telecomm. Equip. Install/Repair, ex. Line Install	\$33,680	\$52,394	Certificate/ Some college	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	856

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Food Service Managers	\$32,630	\$52,005	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	1,266
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technicians ²	‡	\$51,770	Associate's degree	None	None	464
Medical and Clinical Laboratory Technologists ²	‡	\$51,770	Bachelor's degree	None	None	504
Tool and Die Makers	\$36,640	\$51,357	Certificate/ Some college	Long-term on-the-job	None	653
Numerical Tool and Process Control Programmers	\$36,170	\$50,512	Certificate/ Some college	Moderate-term on-the-	None	247
Probation Officers & Correct. Treatment Spec.	\$36,230	\$50,314	Bachelor's degree	Short-term on-the-job	None	253
Musicians and Singers ¹	‡	\$49,629	No formal educational credential	Long-term on-the-job training	None	629
Insurance Sales Agents	\$28,440	\$49,303	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,281
Chemical Equipment Operators/Tenders	\$30,460	\$48,853	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	554
Computer User Support Specialists	\$31,180	\$48,246	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	1,440
Production, Planning, and Expediting Clerks	\$31,600	\$48,240	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,485
Heating, AC, & Refrigeration Mechanics/Installers	\$30,970	\$47,972	Certificate/ Some college	Long-term on-the-job	None	1,377
Firefighters	\$25,670	\$47,863	Certificate/ Some college	Long-term on-the-job	None	1,290
Graphic Designers	\$30,260	\$47,837	Bachelor's degree	None	None	837
Marriage and Family Therapists	\$36,110	\$47,704	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	67
Cement Masons and Concrete Finishers	\$31,350	\$47,574	Less than high school	Moderate-term on-the-	None	579
Carpenters	\$31,690	\$47,533	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	2,805
Construction Carpenters	\$31,690	\$47,533	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	2,805
Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	\$27,990	\$47,461	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	295
Bus & Truck Mechanics & Diesel Engine Spec.	\$32,200	\$47,430	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job	None	1,186

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Surgical Technologists	\$32,090	\$46,987	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	363
Maintenance Workers, Machinery	\$30,430	\$46,836	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job	None	278
FL Sup/Mgrs of Lndscap./Lawn Ser/Groundskp	\$31,960	\$46,612	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	673
Paralegals and Legal Assistants	\$31,400	\$46,384	Associate's degree	None	None	872
Chemical Technicians	\$31,480	\$46,210	Associate's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	376
Clergy	\$29,320	\$46,025	Bachelor's degree	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,168
Police, Fire, and Ambulance Dispatchers	\$31,250	\$45,918	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	404
Environ. Science & Protection Tech., inc. Health	\$28,590	\$45,278	Associate's degree	None	None	203
Education Admin., Pre & Child Care Center/Prog.	\$29,950	\$45,151	Bachelor's degree	None	Less than 5 years	258
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	\$31,310	\$44,717	Certificate/ Some college	Short-term on-the-job	None	8,465
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	\$34,220	\$44,285	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	3,334
Social Science Research Assistants	\$28,100	\$44,193	Bachelor's degree	None	None	40
Glaziers	\$30,360	\$43,904	High school diploma	Apprenticeship	None	183
Child, Family, and School Social Workers	\$31,100	\$43,723	Bachelor's degree	None	None	1,222
Mental Health Counselors ²	‡	\$43,300	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	700
Substance Abuse & Behavioral Dis. Counselors ²	‡	\$43,300	Bachelor's degree	None	None	395
Machinists	\$29,610	\$42,650	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job	None	2,854
FL Sup/Mgrs of Housekping & Janitorial Workers	\$28,310	\$42,463	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	843
Dispatchers, Except Police, Fire, and Ambulance	\$25,410	\$42,297	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	644
Chefs and Head Cooks	\$23,050	\$41,983	High school diploma	None	5 years or more	601

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Community and Social Service Specialists, All Other	NA	\$41,704	Bachelor's degree	None	None	534
Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Oper., M/P	\$30,010	\$41,630	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,325
Painters, Construction and Maintenance	\$27,740	\$41,396	Less than high school	Moderate-term on-the-	None	848
Mental Health and Substance Abuse Social Workers	\$30,400	\$41,184	Master's degree	Internship/residency	None	641
Construction Laborers	\$27,040	\$41,088	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	5,142
Opticians, Dispensing	\$28,970	\$40,795	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job	None	263
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	\$27,040	\$40,767	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	5,895
Medical Records and Health Information Technicians	\$28,530	\$40,754	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	718
Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers	\$29,950	\$40,589	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,972
Health Technologists and Technicians, All Other ¹	\$29,720	\$40,269	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	343
Ophthalmic Medical Technologists ¹	\$29,720	\$40,269	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	343
Radiologic Technicians ¹	\$29,720	\$40,269	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	343
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other ¹	\$25,110	\$40,144	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job training	None	690
Human Resources Assis., ex. Payroll & Timekp	\$29,590	\$39,955	Associate's degree	None	None	485
Roofers	\$27,840	\$39,875	Less than high school	Moderate-term on-the-	None	644
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks	\$26,750	\$39,687	Certificate/ Some college	Moderate-term on-the-	None	6,928
Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers	\$26,370	\$39,672	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	3,014
Insurance Claims and Policy Processing Clerks	\$28,290	\$39,543	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,304
Healthcare Support Workers, All Other ¹	\$22,960	\$39,520	High school diploma	None	None	581
Automotive Body and Related Repairers	\$28,780	\$39,487	High school diploma	Long-term on-the-job	None	646

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First-Line Superv./Mgrs of Retail Sales Workers	\$24,910	\$39,424	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	5,793
Welding/Soldering/Brazing Machine Setters, O/T	\$28,710	\$39,383	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	287
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Workers, All Other ¹	\$25,430	\$39,333	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	592
Refuse and Recyclable Material Collectors	\$23,950	\$38,827	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,009
Loan Interviewers and Clerks	\$25,560	\$38,769	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,257
Dental Assistants	\$27,730	\$38,532	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	1,326
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	\$23,620	\$38,515	Certificate/ Some college	Short-term on-the-job	None	2,655
Mixing/Blending Machine Setters/Operators/Tenders	\$26,640	\$38,394	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	791
Special Education Teachers, All Other	\$37,100	\$65,451	Bachelor's degree	None	None	76
Massage Therapists	\$20,730	\$38,230	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	450
Audio and Video Equipment Technicians	\$21,960	\$38,134	Certificate/ Some college	Short-term on-the-job	None	137
Billing and Posting Clerks	\$28,280	\$37,810	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,475
Community Health Workers	\$27,110	\$37,305	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	220
Ophthalmic Medical Technicians	\$27,060	\$37,275	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	156
First-Line Sup/Mgrs, Protective Serv. Work., AO		\$37,066	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	267
Printing Press Operators	\$24,490	\$36,818	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	793
First-Line Sup/Mgrs of Personal Serv. Workers	\$24,590	\$36,708	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	911
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$24,260	\$36,675	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job training	None	7,758
Psychiatric Aides	\$25,650	\$36,614	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	170
Real Estate Sales Agents	\$23,450	\$36,365	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,581

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Coating/Painting/Spraying Machine Setters, O/T	\$26,020	\$36,354	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	675
Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters	\$25,040	\$36,241	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	511
Butchers and Meat Cutters	\$24,900	\$36,230	Less than high school	Long-term on-the-job	None	640
Multiple Machine Tool Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Metal and Plastic	\$25,370	\$35,828	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-job training	None	1,427
Self-Enrichment Education Teachers	\$21,960	\$35,647	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	1,371
Bill and Account Collectors	\$25,710	\$35,437	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,356
Phlebotomists	\$26,500	\$35,311	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	722
Rehabilitation Counselors	\$24,240	\$35,289	Master's degree	None	None	618
Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators	\$25,790	\$35,257	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	2,532
Medical Secretaries	\$25,390	\$34,962	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	5,278
Cutting/Punching/Press Machine S/O/T, M/P	\$24,690	\$34,953	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,773
Customer Service Representatives	\$23,680	\$34,715	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	11,757
Grind/Lapping/Polish/Buff Mach.Tool S/O/T, M/P	\$23,910	\$34,303	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	621
Food Batchmakers	\$23,810	\$33,922	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	868
Office Clerks, General	\$21,410	\$33,766	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	10,498
Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	\$24,210	\$33,642	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	3,323
Psychiatric Technicians	\$26,140	\$33,631	Certificate/ Some college	Short-term on-the-job	Less than 5 years	112
Extrud/Form/Pressing/Compacting Mach. S/O/T	\$25,640	\$33,582	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	723
Production Workers, All Other ¹	\$21,060	\$33,384	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,168
Social and Human Service Assistants	\$22,840	\$33,099	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	2,233

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Medical Assistants	\$25,160	\$33,028	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	3,146
Electrical and Electronic Equipment Assemblers ²	‡	\$32,530	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	847
Machine Feeders and Offbearers	\$20,240	\$32,468	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	520
Interviewers, Except Eligibility and Loan	\$25,220	\$32,383	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,060
Order Clerks	\$23,450	\$32,208	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,073
Packaging and Filling Machine Operators/Tenders	\$22,760	\$32,016	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,089
FL Sup/Mgrs of Food Prep. & Serving Workers	\$22,520	\$31,276	High school diploma	None	Less than 5 years	5,036
Truck Drivers, Light or Delivery Services	\$20,010	\$31,001	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	4,232
Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	\$22,010	\$30,909	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	818
Helpers--Production Workers	\$21,760	\$30,882	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	2,974
Molding/Coremaking/Casting Mach. S/O/T, M/P	\$23,730	\$30,759	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,411
Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other ²	‡	\$30,690	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	2,726
Team Assemblers ²	‡	\$30,690	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	4,125
Bus Drivers, School or Special Client	\$21,440	\$30,689	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,464
Protective Service Workers, All Other		\$30,514	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,193
Pharmacy Technicians	\$21,710	\$29,998	High school diploma	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,516
Laborers/Freight/Stock/Material Movers, Hand	\$20,850	\$29,596	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	16,347
Tellers	\$21,970	\$29,237	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	1,939
Parts Salespersons	\$19,650	\$29,100	Less than high school	Moderate-term on-the-	None	1,320
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	\$20,250	\$28,670	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	5,908

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Residential Advisors	\$21,420	\$28,274	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	616
Nursing Assistants	\$22,010	\$28,190	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	8,184
Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$20,170	\$27,473	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	3,394
Cooks, Institution and Cafeteria	\$20,350	\$27,398	Less than high school	Short-term on-the-job	None	2,591
Security Guards	\$20,060	\$27,314	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	4,474
Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	\$19,800	\$26,897	Associate's degree	None	None	1,572
Teacher Assistants	\$19,550	\$26,559	Certificate/ Some college	None	None	3,996
Bakers	\$20,620	\$26,513	Less than high school	Long-term on-the-job	None	906
Personal and Home Care Aides	\$19,410	\$23,718	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	6,241
Home Health Aides	\$18,930	\$23,144	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	12,020
Child Care Workers	\$18,430	\$21,706	High school diploma	Short-term on-the-job	None	6,386

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§ - "Relevant Work Experience" data unavailable | ‡ - "Starting Wage" data unavailable

¹ - Wage was calculated by multiplying the hourly wage by 2,080 to approximate an annual wage | ² - National wage is displayed as the state wage data is unavailable