

## 2025 Target Occupations List

|                                                 | SOC     | Description                                                                 | 2024<br>Jobs | 2034<br>Jobs | Annual<br>Openings | Median<br>Wage | Typical Entry<br>Level Education     |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Healthcare Practitioners &amp; Technical</b> |         |                                                                             |              |              |                    |                |                                      |
| 1                                               | 29-1141 | Registered Nurses                                                           | 5791         | 7221         | 496                | \$36.42        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| 2                                               | 29-2034 | Radiologic Technologists and Technicians                                    | 438          | 507          | 32                 | \$27.40        | Associate's degree                   |
| 3                                               | 29-2042 | Emergency Medical Technicians                                               | 575          | 515          | 38                 | \$14.10        | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 4                                               | 29-2043 | Paramedics                                                                  | 286          | 266          | 13                 | \$20.64        | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 5                                               | 29-2052 | Pharmacy Technicians                                                        | 1138         | 1368         | 135                | \$17.17        | High school diploma<br>or equivalent |
| 6                                               | 29-2055 | Surgical Technologists                                                      | 209          | 243          | 17                 | \$25.32        | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 7                                               | 29-2061 | Licensed Practical and Licensed<br>Vocational Nurses                        | 2286         | 2791         | 245                | \$22.93        | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 8                                               | 29-2099 | Health Technologist and Technicians, all<br>other                           | 362          | 410          | 30                 | 17.6           | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 9                                               | 31-1131 | Nursing Assistants                                                          | 2448         | 3157         | 470                | 13.76          | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 10                                              | 31-2021 | Physical Therapist Assistants                                               | 337          | 433          | 62                 | \$33.14        | Associate's degree                   |
| 11                                              | 31-9091 | Dental Assistants                                                           | 751          | 886          | 126                | 16.47          | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| 12                                              | 31-9092 | Medical Assistants                                                          | 2859         | 3449         | 461                | \$13.82        | Postsecondary<br>nondegree award     |
| <b>Education, Training &amp; Library</b>        |         |                                                                             |              |              |                    |                |                                      |
| 13                                              | 25-2021 | Elementary School Teachers, Except<br>Special Education                     | 5415         | 5704         | 398                | \$29.77        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| 14                                              | 25-2022 | Middle School Teachers, Except Special<br>and Career/Technical Education    | 2896         | 3038         | 211                | \$29.31        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| 15                                              | 25-2031 | Secondary School Teachers, Except<br>Special and Career/Technical Education | 5112         | 5370         | 347                | \$29.69        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| <b>Business &amp; Financial Operations</b>      |         |                                                                             |              |              |                    |                |                                      |
| 16                                              | 13-1199 | Business Operations Specialists, All Other                                  | 983          | 1149         | 108                | \$30.83        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| 17                                              | 13-2011 | Accountants and Auditors                                                    | 1284         | 1462         | 123                | \$30.52        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| <b>Office &amp; Administrative Support</b>      |         |                                                                             |              |              |                    |                |                                      |
| 18                                              | 13-1071 | Human Resources Specialists                                                 | 951          | 1116         | 102                | \$22.71        | Bachelor's degree                    |
| 19                                              | 23-2011 | Paralegals and Legal Assistants                                             | 783          | 870          | 92                 | \$17.91        | Associate's degree                   |
| 20                                              | 43-3031 | Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing<br>Clerks                             | 2660         | 2689         | 317                | \$18.29        | Some college, no<br>degree           |
| 21                                              | 43-4051 | Customer Service Representatives                                            | 7778         | 8397         | 1151               | \$17.54        | High school diploma<br>or equivalent |
| 22                                              | 43-6013 | Medical Secretaries and Administrative<br>Assistants                        | 1697         | 2011         | 225                | \$14.94        | High school diploma<br>or equivalent |
| 23                                              | 43-9061 | Office Clerks, General                                                      | 4886         | 4992         | 603                | \$14.85        | High school diploma<br>or equivalent |

| Computer & Mathematical            |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
|------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|------|-----|---------|-----------------------------------|
| 24                                 | 15-1212 | Information Security Analysts                                                 | 86   | 130  | 11  | \$42.80 | Bachelor's degree                 |
| 25                                 | 15-1231 | Computer Network Support Specialists                                          | 172  | 213  | 17  | \$28.50 | Associate's degree                |
| 26                                 | 15-1232 | Computer User Support Specialists                                             | 1090 | 1198 | 87  | \$20.79 | Some college, no degree           |
| 27                                 | 15-1252 | Software Developers                                                           | 403  | 601  | 47  | \$47.06 | Bachelor's degree                 |
| 28                                 | 15-1299 | Computer Occupations, All Other                                               | 290  | 356  | 27  | \$38.33 | Bachelor's degree                 |
| Transportation & Material Moving   |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
| 29                                 | 49-3023 | Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics *Dealer-Authorized Programs Only | 1626 | 1908 | 178 | \$18.19 | Postsecondary nondegree award     |
| 30                                 | 49-3031 | Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists                         | 561  | 602  | 52  | \$22.37 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| 31                                 | 53-3032 | Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers                                       | 4850 | 5246 | 568 | \$21.60 | Postsecondary nondegree award     |
| Construction & Extraction          |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
| 32                                 | 17-2141 | Mechanical Engineers                                                          | 135  | 177  | 13  | \$42.24 | Bachelor's degree                 |
| 33                                 | 17-3023 | Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and Technicians           | 48   | 62   | 7   | \$30.05 | Associate's degree                |
| 34                                 | 47-2111 | Electricians                                                                  | 724  | 858  | 83  | \$21.17 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| 35                                 | 47-2152 | Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters                                       | 394  | 412  | 36  | \$21.56 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| Installation, Maintenance & Repair |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
| 36                                 | 49-9021 | Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers         | 421  | 454  | 40  | \$21.16 | Postsecondary nondegree award     |
| 37                                 | 49-9071 | Maintenance and Repair Workers, General                                       | 2398 | 2604 | 247 | \$15.19 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| Production                         |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
| 38                                 | 51-4041 | Machinists                                                                    | 128  | 145  | 15  | \$16.93 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| 39                                 | 51-4121 | Welders, Cutters, Solderers, and Brazers                                      | 409  | 431  | 43  | \$18.38 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| Protective Services                |         |                                                                               |      |      |     |         |                                   |
| 40                                 | 33-3012 | Correctional Officers and Jailers                                             | 1274 | 1324 | 118 | \$22.21 | High school diploma or equivalent |
| 41                                 | 33-3051 | Police and Sheriffs Patrol Officers                                           | 2055 | 2277 | 187 | \$28.71 | High school diploma or equivalent |

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