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Wages & Employment Trends

Median wages (2017) \$57.33 hourly, \$119,250 annual

State wages



Employment (2016) 793,000 employees

Projected growth (2016-2026) ■■■ Average (5% to 9%)

Projected job openings (2016-2026) 40,700

State trends



Top industries (2016) [Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services](#) (50% employed in this sector)
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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics [2017 wage data](#) and [2016-2026 employment projections](#). "Projected growth" represents the estimated change in total employment over the projections period (2016-2026). "Projected job openings" represent openings due to growth and replacement.