

**Fastest Growing Occupations In United States, 2000 To 2010
(Numbers In Thousands Of Jobs)**

Occupation	Employment		Change	
	2000	2010	Number	Percent
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	380	760	380	100
Computer Support Specialists	506	996	490	97
Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	317	601	284	90
Network & Computer Systems Administrators	229	416	187	82
Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts	119	211	92	77
Desktop Publishers	38	63	25	67
Database Administrators	106	176	70	66
Personal & Home Care Aides	414	672	258	62
Computer Systems Analysts	431	689	258	60
Medical Assistants	329	516	187	57
Social & Human Service Assistants	271	418	147	54
Physician Assistants	58	89	31	53
Medical Records & Health Information Technicians	136	202	66	49
Computer & Information Systems Managers	313	463	150	48
Home Health Aides	615	907	291	47
Physical Therapist Aides	36	53	17	46
Occupational Therapist Aides	9	12	4	45
Physical Therapist Assistants	44	64	20	45
Audiologists	13	19	6	45
Fitness Trainers & Aerobics Instructors	158	222	64	40
Computer & Information Scientists, Research	28	39	11	40
Veterinary Assistants & Laboratory Animal Caretakers	55	77	22	40
Occupational Therapist Assistants	17	23	7	40
Veterinary Technologists & Technicians	49	69	19	39
Speech - Language Pathologists	88	122	34	39
Mental Health & Substance Abuse Social Workers	83	116	33	39
Dental Assistants	247	339	92	37
Dental Hygienists	147	201	54	37
Special Education Teachers, Preschool, Kindergarten & Elementary	234	320	86	37
Pharmacy Technicians	190	259	69	36

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**Occupations With The Largest Job Growth In United States, 2000 To 2010
(Numbers In Thousands Of Jobs)**

Occupation	Employment		Change	
	2000	2010	Number	Percent
Combined Food Preparation & Serving Workers, including Fast Food	2,206	2,879	673	30
Customer Service Representatives	1,946	2,577	631	32
Registered Nurses	2,194	2,755	561	26
Retail Salespersons	4,109	4,619	510	12
Computer Support Specialists	506	996	490	97
Cashiers, except Gaming	3,325	3,799	474	14
Office Clerks, General	2,705	3,135	430	16
Security Guards	1,106	1,497	391	35
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	380	760	380	100
Waiters & Waitresses	1,983	2,347	364	18

<http://stats.bls.gov/news.release/ecopro.t07.htm>

**Industries With The Fastest Wage And Salary Employment Growth
In United States, 2000 To 2010**

Industry Description	Employment		Change	Average Annual Rate Of Change
	2000	2010	2000-2010	2000-2010
Computer & Data Processing Services	2,095	3,900	1,805	6.4
Residential Care	806	1,318	512	5.0
Health Services, N.E.C.	1,210	1,900	690	4.6
Cable & Pay Television Services	216	325	109	4.2
Personnel Supply Services	3,887	5,800	1,913	4.1
Warehousing & Storage	206	300	94	3.8
Water & Sanitation	214	310	96	3.8
Miscellaneous Business Services	2,301	3,305	1,004	3.7
Miscellaneous Equipment Rental & Leasing	279	397	118	3.6
Management & Public Relations	1,090	1,550	460	3.6

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Employment By Major Industry In United States, Actual And Projected, 1990 To 2010

Industry	Thousands Of Jobs			Change		Average Annual Rate Of Change	
	1990	2000	2010	1990-2000	2000-2010	1990-2000	2000-2010
Nonfarm Wage & Salary	108,760	130,639	152,447	21,879	21,807	1.8	1.6
Goods Producing	24,906	25,709	27,057	803	1,347	0.3	0.5
Mining	709	543	488	-167	-55	-2.6	-1.1
Construction	5,120	6,698	7,522	1,578	825	2.7	1.2
Manufacturing	19,077	18,469	19,047	-607	577	-0.3	0.3
Durable	11,109	11,138	11,780	29	642	0.0	0.6
Nondurable	7,968	7,331	7,267	-637	-64	-0.8	-0.1
Service Producing	83,854	104,930	125,390	21,076	20,461	2.3	1.8
Transportation, Communications, Utilities	5,776	7,019	8,274	1,243	1,255	2.0	1.7
Wholesale Trade	6,173	7,024	7,800	851	776	1.3	1.1
Retail Trade	19,601	23,307	26,400	3,706	3,093	1.7	1.3
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	6,709	7,560	8,247	851	687	1.2	0.9
Services	27,291	39,340	52,233	12,049	12,893	3.7	2.9
Government	18,304	20,680	22,436	2,376	1,757	1.2	0.8
Federal Government	3,085	2,777	2,622	-308	-154	-1.0	-0.6
State & Local Government	15,219	17,903	19,814	2,684	1,911	1.6	1.0
Agriculture	3,340	3,526	3,849	186	323	0.5	0.9
Private Household Wage & Salary	1,014	890	664	-124	-226	-1.3	-2.9
Nonagriculture Self-Employed & Unpaid Family Workers	8,921	8,731	9,062	-190	331	-0.2	0.4

<http://www.bls.gov/opub/mlr/2001/11/art3full.pdf>

**Percent Distribution Of Wage And Salary Employment
By Major Industry Division In United States, 1990 To 2010**

Industry	1990	2000	2010
Nonfarm Wage & Salary	87.5	89.7	90.9
Goods Producing	20.0	17.7	16.1
Mining	0.6	0.4	0.3
Construction	4.1	4.6	4.5
Manufacturing	15.3	12.7	11.4
Durable	8.9	7.7	7.0
Nondurable	6.4	5.0	4.3
Service Producing	67.4	72.1	74.7
Transportation, Communications, Utilities	4.6	4.8	4.9
Wholesale Trade	5.0	4.8	4.6
Retail Trade	15.8	16.0	15.7
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	5.4	5.2	4.9
Services	22.0	27.0	31.1
Government	14.7	14.2	13.4
Federal Government	2.5	1.9	1.6
State & Local Government	12.2	12.3	11.8
Agriculture	2.7	2.4	2.3
Private Household Wage & Salary	0.8	0.6	0.4
Nonagriculture Self-Employed & Unpaid Family Workers	7.2	6.0	5.4

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**Employment By Major Occupational Group In United States, 2000 And Projected 2010
(Numbers In Thousand Of Jobs)**

Occupational Group	Employment				Change	
	Number		Percent Distribution		Number	Percent
	2000	2010	2000	2010	2000-2010	2000-2010
Total, All Occupations	145,594	167,754	100.00	100.00	22,160	15.20
Management, Business & Financial Occupations	15,519	17,635	10.70	10.50	2,115	13.60
Professional & Related Occupations	26,758	33,709	18.40	20.10	6,952	26.00
Service Occupations	26,075	31,163	17.90	18.60	5,088	19.50
Sales & Related Occupations	15,513	17,365	10.70	10.40	1,852	11.90
Office & Administrative Support Occupations	23,882	26,053	16.40	15.50	2,171	9.10
Farming, Fishing & Forestry Occupations	1,429	1,480	1.00	0.90	51	3.60
Construction & Extraction Occupations	7,451	8,439	5.10	5.00	989	13.30
Installation, Maintenance & Repair Occupations	5,820	6,482	4.00	3.90	662	11.40
Production Occupations	13,060	13,811	9.00	8.20	750	5.70
Transportation & Material Moving Occupations	10,088	11,618	6.90	6.90	1,530	15.20

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Fastest Growing Occupations In West Virginia, 2002 To 2012

Occupation	Employment		Average Annual Openings		
	2002	2012	Growth	Replacement	Total
Medical Assistants	1,492	2,204	71	28	99
Social & Human Service Assistants	2,765	3,894	113	49	162
Physical Therapist Assistants	441	620	18	7	25
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	852	1,188	34	8	42
Cardiovascular Technologists & Technicians	404	559	16	8	23
Respiratory Therapy Technicians	190	263	7	3	10
Physical Therapist Aides	345	475	13	6	19
Respiratory Therapists	952	1,310	36	31	67
Physician Assistants	472	646	17	7	25
Medical Records & Health Information Technicians	993	1,339	35	14	49
Computer Software Engineers, Systems Software	317	424	11	3	14
Personal & Home Care Aides	4,937	6,592	166	79	245
Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts	643	838	20	8	27
Physical Therapists	1,045	1,357	31	10	42
Radiation Therapists	91	118	3	2	5
Surgical Technologists	489	631	14	6	21
Veterinary Technologists & Technicians	258	332	7	3	11
Dental Hygienists	656	841	19	6	24
Home Health Aides	4,999	6,399	140	66	206
Occupational Therapists	273	349	8	4	11
Personal Financial Advisors	253	323	7	3	10
Dental Assistants	628	801	17	18	35
Medical & Public Health Social Workers	978	1,243	27	17	43
Audiologists	56	71	2	1	3
Hazardous Materials Removal Workers	188	238	5	5	10

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Growth Rate
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Occupations With The Largest Job Growth In West Virginia, 2002 To 2012

Occupation	2002	2012	Average Annual Openings			Growth
			Growth	Replacement	Total	Rate
Cashiers	21,430	22,438	101	1,043	1,143	0.47%
Combined Food Preparation & Serving Workers, including Fast Food	15,685	18,898	321	680	1,001	2.05%
Retail Salespersons	20,272	21,499	123	737	860	0.61%
Registered Nurses	16,852	21,087	424	353	776	2.51%
Waiters & Waitresses	11,242	12,936	169	578	748	1.51%
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Hand Material Movers	13,283	12,035	0	434	434	-0.94%
Office Clerks, General	17,365	17,395	3	385	388	0.02%
Janitors & Cleaners, except Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	12,798	13,657	86	243	329	0.67%
General & Operations Managers	12,368	13,287	92	233	325	0.74%
Nursing Aides, Orderlies, & Attendants	10,312	12,163	185	135	320	1.80%
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	7,701	6,823	0	285	285	-1.14%
Secretaries, except Legal, Medical, & Executive	14,168	12,841	0	271	271	-0.94%
Truck Drivers, Heavy & Tractor-Trailer	11,453	12,181	73	187	260	0.64%
Personal & Home Care Aides	4,937	6,592	166	79	245	3.35%
Customer Service Representatives	7,454	8,661	121	111	232	1.62%
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	7,036	7,779	74	153	228	1.06%
Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	7,383	8,105	72	155	227	0.98%
Receptionists & Information Clerks	5,258	6,105	85	129	214	1.61%
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	8,127	8,670	54	156	210	0.67%
Home Health Aides	4,999	6,399	140	66	206	2.80%
First-Line Supervisors/ Managers of Retail Sales Workers	10,669	10,747	8	192	200	0.07%
Sales Representatives, Wholesale & Manufacturing, except Technical & Scientific Products	5,195	5,808	61	136	198	1.18%
Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks	10,479	10,005	0	196	196	-0.45%
Tellers	3,877	3,891	1	191	192	0.04%
Child Care Workers	5,653	6,024	37	154	191	0.66%

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Fastest Growing Occupations In Workforce Investment Area 5, 2002 To 2012

(Includes Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Ohio, Tyler and Wetzel Counties)

Occupation	Employment		Average Annual Openings			Growth Rate
	2002	2012	Growth	Replacement	Total	
Medical Assistants	113	166	5	2	7	4.69%
Social & Human Service Assistants	566	798	23	10	33	4.10%
Cardiovascular Technologists & Technicians	36	50	1	1	2	3.89%
Respiratory Therapy Technicians	44	61	2	1	2	3.86%
Home Health Aides	451	623	17	6	23	3.81%
Respiratory Therapists	121	166	5	4	9	3.72%
Dental Assistants	111	148	4	3	7	3.33%
Dental Hygienists	137	180	4	1	6	3.14%
Medical Records & Health Information Technicians	101	132	3	1	5	3.07%
Network Systems & Data Communications Analysts	49	64	2	1	2	3.06%
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	71	92	2	1	3	2.96%
Pharmacists	111	143	3	2	5	2.88%
Life, Physical & Social Science Technicians, All Other	42	54	1	1	2	2.86%
Pharmacy Technicians	99	127	3	1	4	2.83%
Surgical Technologists	54	69	2	1	2	2.78%
Personal & Home Care Aides	234	296	6	4	10	2.65%
Medical & Health Services Managers	117	147	3	2	5	2.56%
Database Administrators	41	51	1	0	1	2.44%
Teachers, Primary, Secondary & Adult, All Other (OES Only)	62	77	2	1	2	2.42%
Registered Nurses	2,175	2,698	52	46	98	2.40%
Physical Therapists	62	76	1	1	2	2.26%
Business Teachers, Postsecondary	40	49	1	1	2	2.25%
Network & Computer Systems Administrators	76	93	2	1	3	2.24%
Interviewers, except Eligibility & Loan	49	60	1	1	2	2.24%
English Language & Literature Teachers, Postsecondary	41	50	1	1	2	2.20%

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Occupations With The Largest Job Growth In Workforce Investment Area 5, 2002 To 2012

(Includes Brooke, Hancock, Marshall, Ohio, Tyler and Wetzel Counties)

Occupation	2002	2012	Average Annual Openings			Growth Rate
			Growth	Replacement	Total	
Cashiers	2,129	2,090	0	104	104	-0.18%
Registered Nurses	2,175	2,698	52	46	98	2.40%
Combined Food Preparation & Serving Workers, including Fast Food	1,533	1,742	21	66	87	1.36%
Retail Salespersons	1,366	1,557	19	50	69	1.40%
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers, Hand	1,652	1,420	0	54	54	-1.40%
Waiters & Waitresses	897	964	7	46	53	0.75%
Janitors & Cleaners, except Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	1,623	1,712	9	31	40	0.55%
Social & Human Service Assistants	566	798	23	10	33	4.10%
Licensed Practical & Licensed Vocational Nurses	999	1,103	10	22	32	1.04%
Office Clerks, General	1,387	1,398	1	31	32	0.08%
Secretaries, except Legal, Medical & Executive	1,539	1,418	0	30	30	-0.79%
Stock Clerks & Order Fillers	793	687	0	29	29	-1.34%
General & Operations Managers	1,117	1,181	6	21	28	0.57%
Food Preparation Workers	645	688	4	23	27	0.67%
Child Care Workers	724	778	5	20	25	0.75%
Home Health Aides	451	623	17	6	23	3.81%
Tellers	444	425	0	22	22	-0.43%
Nursing Aides, Orderlies & Attendants	962	1,047	9	13	21	0.88%
Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	686	743	6	14	20	0.83%
Carpenters	974	1,014	4	16	20	0.41%
Chemical Plant & System Operators	632	456	0	20	20	-2.78%
Bartenders	477	463	0	19	19	-0.29%
Bookkeeping, Accounting & Auditing Clerks	1,027	967	0	19	19	-0.58%
Receptionists & Information Clerks	483	554	7	12	19	1.47%
Maintenance & Repair Workers, General	783	810	3	15	18	0.34%

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