

## Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (29-1022)

**Occupation description:** Perform surgery and related procedures on the hard and soft tissues of the oral and maxillofacial regions to treat diseases, injuries, or defects. May diagnose problems of the oral and maxillofacial regions. May perform surgery to improve function or appearance.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
<b>Alaska</b>	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>United States</b>	6,800	8,100	19.1	100	100	330

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

### 2018 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
<b>United States</b>	116.52	29.60	85.41			

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
11	7	63.6	66.7	50.0

#### 2016 Potential Supply

<b>Qualified but working in another occupation</b>	0
<b>Currently employed in a lower paid occupation</b>	0
<b>UI claimants previously working in occupation</b>	0

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

<b>Number of registrants</b>	2
<b>Number of job position postings</b>	0
<b>Ratio of registrants to job position postings</b>	0.0

### Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

**Education:** Doctoral or professional degree

**Work experience:** None

**On-the-job training:** Internship/Residency

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