

## Obstetricians and Gynecologists (29-1064)

**Occupation description:** Physicians who provide medical care related to pregnancy or childbirth and those who diagnose, treat, and help prevent diseases of women, particularly those affecting the reproductive system. May also provide general medical care to women.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	41	51	24.4	1	1	3
United States	21,700	25,000	15.5	300	300	940

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** Alaska's employment growth is robust with low employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

### 2018 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	114.58	44.25	82.75			
Alaska	135.18	92.37	*	*	*	*
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	134.10	91.30	*	*	*	*

\* indicates the estimate is not available, or the hourly wage is greater than \$100, or the annual wage is greater than \$208,000.

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
47	18	38.3	52.9	38.2

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	11
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	2
UI claimants previously working in occupation	0

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	3
Number of job position postings	1
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	3.0

## Alaska Licensing Information

Physician and Surgeon – [View licensing requirements and number licensed](#)

### 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

---

Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section  
P.O. Box 115501  
Juneau, Alaska 99811-5501  
Phone: 907.465.4500, Fax: 907.523.9654  
June 26, 2019