

## Fire Inspectors and Investigators (33-2021)

**Occupation description:** Inspect buildings to detect fire hazards and enforce local ordinances and State laws, or investigate and gather facts to determine cause of fires and explosions.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2014 estimate	2024 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	26	26	0.0	0	1	1
United States	12,400	13,100	5.5	70	360	430

#### Job outlook

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

### 2017 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	29.93	16.73	21.34	28.49	37.12	46.14

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
25	4	16.0	76.2	52.4

#### 2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	6
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	1
UI claimants previously working in occupation	2

#### 2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	26
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

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

**Education:** Postsecondary non-degree award

**Work experience:** More than 5 years

**On-the-job training:** Moderate-term on-the-job training

## Training Resources

### Degree

#### Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)

Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF)	
Fire Extinguisher Training	
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### Degree

#### Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (JBER)

Emergency Services	BS
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### Degree

#### Iisagvik College (Barrow)

Emergency Services	AAS
Firefighter I	Certificate

### Degree

#### University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)

Fire Science	AAS
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