

Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers (37-3011)

Occupation description: Landscape or maintain grounds of property using hand or power tools or equipment. Workers typically perform a variety of tasks, which may include any combination of the following: sod laying, mowing, trimming, planting, watering, fertilizing, digging, raking, sprinkler installation, and installation of mortarless segmental concrete masonry wall units. Excludes Farmworkers and Laborers, Crop, Nursery, and Greenhouse (45-2092).

Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	1,151	1,228	6.7	56	85	149
United States	1,197,900	1,333,100	11.3	59,100	90,400	163,020

Job outlook

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

2018 Wages ?

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	14.88	9.98	11.55	13.94	17.26	21.47
Alaska	18.78	10.45	13.88	18.04	23.17	28.35
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	18.37	10.45	13.61	18.26	22.81	26.83
Fairbanks North Star Borough	20.93	11.21	13.49	21.13	27.70	31.67
Balance of State	18.44	12.59	14.20	17.09	21.72	28.15

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
1,800	376	20.9	21.0	15.1

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	483
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	45
UI claimants previously working in occupation	309

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	1,972
Number of job position postings	324
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	6.1

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

Education: No formal educational credential

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Short-term on-the-job training

Training Resources

	Degree
Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)	
Respiratory Protection	

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