

Roofers (47-2181)

Occupation description: Cover roofs of structures with shingles, slate, asphalt, aluminum, wood, or related materials. May spray roofs, sidings, and walls with material to bind, seal, insulate, or soundproof sections of structures.

Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	235	243	3.4	7	16	24
United States	146,200	162,400	11.1	4,400	10,500	16,520

Job outlook

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

2018 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	21.09	12.28	15.34	19.22	25.07	31.97
Alaska	24.79	16.50	18.65	23.31	30.62	36.64
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area	23.93	16.26	18.20	22.15	28.67	36.32
Fairbanks North Star Borough	28.13	18.14	22.73	28.83	33.98	37.67

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
412	82	19.9	22.4	13.5

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	82
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	35
UI claimants previously working in occupation	191

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	513
Number of job position postings	7
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	73.3

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

Education: No formal educational credential

Work experience: None

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

Training Resources

	Degree
Cold Climate Homebuilding: Roofs	
	Degree
ABC of Alaska (Anchorage)	
Scaffolds	
	Degree
Alaska Carpenters Training Trust (Anchorage)	
Scaffold Erector	
	Degree
American Health and Safety, LLC (Fairbanks)	
Fall Protection	
	Degree
AVTEC (Seward)	
Construction Technology	
	Degree
Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)	
Fall Protection (NSTC and OSHA Offered)	
	Degree
Environmental Management Inc (Anchorage)	
Scaffold Safety and Fall Protection	Certificate
	Degree
Iisagvik College (Barrow)	
Construction Management	Endorsement
Construction Technology	AAS
Construction Technology I	Certificate
Construction Technology II	Certificate
Scaffolding I	Endorsement

Degree

Northern Industrial Training (Palmer)

Fall Protection Authorized User

Degree

Satori Group Inc (Anchorage)

Fall Protection

Degree

Wisdom & Associates, Inc. (Kenai)

Roofs - AHFC Sponsored

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