

Orderlies (31-1015)

Occupation description: Transport patients to areas such as operating rooms or x-ray rooms using wheelchairs, stretchers, or moveable beds. May maintain stocks of supplies or clean and transport equipment. Psychiatric orderlies are included in Psychiatric Aides (31-1013). Excludes Nursing Assistants (31-1014).

Employment and Job Openings

	Employment			Average annual openings		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	75	92	22.7	5	4	11
United States	54,000	58,400	8.1	3,400	2,800	6,640

Job outlook

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

Wages ?

Wage data is not available.

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
91	5	5.5	20.9	17.4

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	39
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	6
UI claimants previously working in occupation	14

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	181
Number of job position postings	4
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	45.2

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

Education: High school diploma or equivalent

Work experience: None

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

Training Resources

Degree

ABC of Alaska (Anchorage)

Bloodborne Pathogens

Degree

Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)

Bloodborne Pathogens

Degree

Multimed (Anchorage)

American Safety & Health Institute (ASHI) Blood Borne Pathogens

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Northern Industrial Training (Palmer)

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TSS - The Safety Specialists (Ketchikan)

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