

Pharmacy Aides (31-9095)

Occupation description: Record drugs delivered to the pharmacy, store incoming merchandise, and inform the supervisor of stock needs. May operate cash register and accept prescriptions for filling.

Employment and Job Openings

| | Employment | | | Average annual openings | | |
|---------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------------|-------|
| | 2016 estimate | 2026 projection | Percent change | Labor force exits | Occupation transfers | Total |
| Alaska | 34 | 37 | 8.8 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| United States | 36,900 | 35,200 | -4.8 | 2,400 | 2,400 | 4,620 |

Job outlook

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

2019 Wages

| | Mean Wage | Wage by Percentile | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|--------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| | Mean | 10th | 25th | Median | 75th | 90th |
| United States | 14.66 | 9.76 | 11.33 | 13.39 | 16.81 | 22.35 |
| Alaska | 23.36 | 17.23 | 18.91 | 21.54 | 25.40 | 31.95 |

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

| Total workers | Nonresident workers | Percent nonresident | Percent age 45 plus | Percent age 50 plus |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 39 | 2 | 5.1 | 32.4 | 21.6 |

2016 Potential Supply

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| Qualified but working in another occupation | 27 |
| Currently employed in a lower paid occupation | 5 |
| UI claimants previously working in occupation | 5 |

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

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| Number of registrants | 37 |
| Number of job position postings | 7 |
| Ratio of registrants to job position postings | 5.3 |

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

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