

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		
	2016 estimate	2026 projection	Percent change	Labor force exits	Occupation transfers	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	12,300	13,200	7.3	600	700	1,390

Job outlook

Alaska: The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

2019 Wages

	Mean Wage	Wage by Percentile				
	Mean	10th	25th	Median	75th	90th
United States	31.12	18.31	23.11	29.65	37.59	46.35
Alaska	30.21	13.19	14.59	28.41	40.48	56.91

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

American Health and Safety, LLC (Fairbanks)		Degree
Forklift		
AVTEC (Seward)		Degree
Basic Fire Fighting		
Beacon Occupational Health and Safety Services (Anchorage)		Degree
Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (10 Hour Refresher)		
Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ADVANCED)		
Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (BASIC)		
Fire Extinguisher Training		
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (JBER)		Degree
Emergency Services		BS
Iisagvik College (Barrow)		Degree
Emergency Services		Certificate
Emergency Services		Endorsement
Municipal Fire Control		Certificate
Northern Industrial Training (Palmer)		Degree
Fire Extinguisher Training/047		
University of Alaska Anchorage (Anchorage)		Degree
Fire Science		AAS