

Reinforcing Iron and Rebar Workers (47-2171)

Occupation description: Position and secure steel bars or mesh in concrete forms in order to reinforce concrete. Use a variety of fasteners, rod-bending machines, blowtorches, and hand tools. Includes rod busters.

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	20,100	22,500	12.1	500	1,600	2,340

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	26.27	15.83	18.81	23.60	31.04	43.17
Alaska	35.85	32.61	33.98	36.28	38.58	40.19

Labor Force Indicators

2016 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
19	2	10.5	38.9	27.8

2016 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	7
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	5
UI claimants previously working in occupation	10

2016 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	38
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: High school diploma or equivalent

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: Apprenticeship

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