

Jobs of the future

Here are the number of jobs projected to be created in Spokane County between 2007 and 2017, the starting wage and the training required.

MANUFACTURING	Jobs for 2017 (projected)	Number of additional jobs	Hourly wage	OJT: On-the-job training Education
Maintenance, repair and assemblers	2,261	514	\$15.44	Moderate OJT
First-line supervisors/managers	1,138	154	\$26.21	Exp. in related field
Welders, cutters, solderers and brazers	924	179	\$17.24	Long-term OJT
Inspectors, testers, sorters and samplers	526	61	\$15.98	Moderate OJT
Sheet metal workers	428	87	\$22.42	Long-term OJT
Industrial machinery mechanics	414	87	\$20.55	Long-term OJT
Electrical and electronic engineering technicians	375	67	\$25.57	Associate's degree
Molding, coremaking and casting machine setters	236	38	\$11.40	Moderate OJT
Extruding and drawing machine setters	121	23	\$17.07	Moderate OJT
Engineering technicians, except drafters	109	14	\$22.28	Associate's degree
Tool and die makers	108	22	\$21.85	Long-term OJT
Industrial engineering technicians	99	25	\$27.00	Associate's degree
Millwrights	84	20	\$27.66	Long-term OJT

HEALTH CARE

Registered nurses	5,705	592	\$25.96	Associate's degree
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	2,593	206	\$10.70	Post-secondary vocational training
Managers, all other	2,233	284	\$39.23	Exp. in related field
Billing and posting clerks, machine operators	1,834	154	\$12.97	Moderate-term OJT
Medical assistants	1,140	259	\$13.02	Moderate-term OJT
Computer support specialists	975	164	\$18.65	Associate's degree
Dental assistants	941	178	\$14.92	Moderate-term OJT
Pharmacy technicians	582	90	\$15.02	Moderate-term OJT
Radiologic technologists and technicians	463	53	\$25.70	Associate's degree
Medical records, health info. technicians	440	41	\$13.58	Associate's degree
Medical and clinical laboratory technicians	430	59	\$19.04	Associate's degree

CONSTRUCTION	Jobs for 2017 (projected)	Number of additional jobs	Hourly wage	OJT: On-the-job training Education
Carpenters	3,826	721	\$18.99	Long-term OJT
First-line supervisors/managers	2,042	363	\$23.52	Exp. in related field
Electricians	2,009	460	\$20.49	Long-term OJT
Painters, construction and maintenance	1,199	235	\$18.36	Moderate-term OJT
Sales representatives, wholesale	900	134	\$33.17	Moderate-term OJT
Heating, AC refrigeration mechanics, installers	786	152	\$20.19	Long-term OJT
Plumbers, pipe fitters and steamfitters	641	122	\$24.76	Long-term OJT
Operating engineers and other equipment operators	583	87	\$21.42	Moderate-term OJT
Cement masons and concrete finishers	567	125	\$22.78	Moderate-term OJT
Roofers	535	123	\$19.08	Moderate-term OJT
Cost estimators	472	123	\$22.10	Exp. in related field
Structural iron and steel workers	298	64	\$17.99	Long-term OJT
Training and development specialists	273	51	\$22.53	Bachelor's degree
Construction and building inspectors	253	39	\$23.40	Exp. in related field
Brick masons and block masons	213	34	\$25.01	Long-term OJT
Glaziers	145	36	\$22.24	Long-term OJT

FINANCE AND INSURANCE

Insurance claims and policy processing clerks	1,133	130	\$15.24	Moderate-term OJT
Computer support specialists	984	158	\$18.40	Associate's degree
Financial managers	937	180	\$33.46	Degree, plus exp.
Computer systems analysts	881	201	\$28.85	Bachelor's degree
Bill and account collectors	794	197	\$14.88	Short-term OJT
Title examiners, abstractors and searchers	106	9	\$22.24	Moderate-term OJT
Database administrators	114	23	\$25.38	Bachelor's degree
Brokerage clerks	99	15	\$17.71	Moderate-term OJT
Insurance appraisers, auto damage	49	9	\$21.45	Long-term OJT

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