



# COLORADO CAREER OUTLOOK

## ON-THE-JOB TRAINING *Denver*

*Based on Occupational projections through 2030*



**COLORADO**  
Department of  
Labor and Employment  
Office of Labor Market Information

In this overview, you'll find information on careers that are expected to be the fastest growing occupations within the next 10 years, along with the level of education or training needed for entry-level employment in these fields, and wage ranges for each. Wage information comes directly from Colorado businesses statewide.

If you are trying to decide on the type of job or career you would like to pursue, are considering a change in your current career path, or are interested in exploring further education or training, this information can help you plan and make informed decisions based on your lifestyle.

### Training Programs

The Colorado Department of Labor & Employment (CDLE) collaborates with local workforce centers to offer free or supplemental support training and educational opportunities through grants and federal funding.

Some of the Training Programs offered include:

- Apprenticeships
- Educational Programs
- Pell Grant
- Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA)
- Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA)

To learn more about the current training opportunities being offered and how to apply, contact your local workforce center: [cdle.colorado.gov/wfc](http://cdle.colorado.gov/wfc).

### Colorado Labor Market Information

The Office of Labor Market Information (LMI) within the Colorado Department of Labor and Employment collects and analyzes information about labor market trends throughout Colorado. Data are presented in a variety of ways: industry and occupational employment and wages, current and projected industry and occupation levels, occupation wages, and labor force statistics. LMI conducts various research projects and assists workforce centers and others with information requests.

- For more labor market information, visit [colmigrateway.com](http://colmigrateway.com)
- For more career and education planning, visit [mycoloradojourney.com](http://mycoloradojourney.com)
- For job opportunities, visit [connectingcolorado.com](http://connectingcolorado.com)

### Colorado Workforce Centers

Visit [cdle.colorado.gov/wfc](http://cdle.colorado.gov/wfc) to find your local workforce center.

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**Short-Term Training: Short demonstration or up to 1 month work experience/instruction**

Occupational Title	Wage Range
Stockers and Order Fillers	\$28,302 - \$37,372
Light Truck or Delivery Services Drivers	\$28,388 - \$49,352
Customer Service Representatives	\$28,498 - \$47,356
First-Line Supervisors of Food Preparation and Serving Workers	\$31,107 - \$53,164
Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	\$27,732 - \$53,270
Office Clerks, General	\$30,522 - \$54,197
Security Guards	\$28,445 - \$40,857
Receptionists and Information Clerks	\$27,167 - \$39,527
Childcare Workers	\$27,123 - \$34,121
Information and Record Clerks, All Other	\$36,145 - \$55,925
First-Line Supervisors of Office and Administrative Support Workers	\$42,724 - \$80,121
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers	\$34,230 - \$66,192
First-Line Supervisors of Transportation & Material Moving Workers, Except Aircraft Cargo Handling Supervisor	\$40,594 - \$74,656
Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks	\$29,374 - \$44,407
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except Legal, Medical, and Executive	\$32,152 - \$49,018

**Moderate-Term Training: 1-12 months combined work experience/informal training**

Occupational Title	Wage Range
Sales Representatives of Services, Except Advertising, Insurance, Financial Services, and Travel	\$36,952 - \$108,582
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General	\$31,243 - \$51,715
Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing, Except Technical and Scientific Products	\$41,305 - \$108,233
Medical Secretaries	\$32,913 - \$42,776
Billing and Posting Clerks	\$34,011 - \$50,647
Operating Engineers and Other Construction Equipment Operators	\$43,247 - \$58,566
Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers	\$66,765 - \$94,994
Bus Drivers, Transit and Intercity	\$35,806 - \$45,621
Flight Attendants	\$31,843 - \$59,117
Insurance Sales Agents	\$33,823 - \$78,814
Pharmacy Technicians	\$31,299 - \$44,590
Construction and Building Inspectors	\$52,654 - \$87,002
Packaging and Filling Machine Operators and Tenders	\$28,065 - \$38,519
Surveying and Mapping Technicians	\$32,685 - \$59,003
Real Estate Sales Agents	\$38,731 - \$115,965

**Long-Term Training: 12+ months training or combined work experience/formal classroom instruction**

Occupational Title	Wage Range
Bus and Truck Mechanics and Diesel Engine Specialists	\$40,684 - \$62,621
Industrial Machinery Mechanics	\$42,087 - \$70,430
Court, Municipal, and License Clerks	\$35,391 - \$52,207
Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics, Except Engines	\$45,793 - \$66,085
Telecommunications Line Installers and Repairers	\$38,099 - \$58,440
Stationary Engineers and Boiler Operators	\$51,641 - \$75,670
Electrical Power-Line Installers and Repairers	\$56,208 - \$95,022
Automotive Body and Related Repairers	\$38,910 - \$71,494
Opticians, Dispensing	\$33,776 - \$48,978
Machinists	\$34,165 - \$54,202
Rail Car Repairers	N/A
Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators	\$47,017 - \$70,115
Earth Drillers, Except Oil and Gas; and Explosives Workers, Ordnance Handling Experts, and Blasters	\$44,901 - \$57,302
Maintenance Workers, Machinery	\$43,289 - \$62,956
Molders, Shapers, and Casters, Except Metal and Plastic	\$30,541 - \$44,824