

OKLAHOMA'S 100 "CRITICAL OCCUPATIONS" (2018-2028)

FASTEST GROWING

SOC	DESCRIPTION	2018 JOBS	2028 JOBS	CHANGE (2018-2028)	PERCENT CHANGE	MEDIAN HOURLY EARNINGS	EDUCATION LEVEL	TYPICAL ENTRY LEVEL EDUCATION	WORK EXPERIENCE REQUIRED	TYPICAL ON-THE-JOB TRAINING	FOR EDUCATIONAL LEVELS OF HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR LESS, THERE IS A CERTIFICATE AVAILABLE.	ANNUAL OPENINGS	APR 2018 UNIQUE POSTINGS
29-1123	Physical Therapists	2,014	2,544	511	26.3%	\$39.44	7	Doctoral or professional degree	None	None		143	572
29-1041	Optometrists	671	831	152	23.8%	\$49.30	7	Doctoral or professional degree	None	None		38	8
29-1171	Nurse Practitioners	1,385	1,727	342	24.7%	\$43.36	6	Master's degree	None	None		109	221
29-1071	Physician Assistants	1,452	1,762	278	21.3%	\$49.20	6	Master's degree	None	None		115	238
13-2061	Financial Examiners	429	549	58	28.0%	\$26.52	5	Bachelor's degree	None	Long-term on-the-job training		44	15
13-2052	Personal Financial Advisors	1,235	1,496	261	21.1%	\$29.72	5	Bachelor's degree	None	Long-term on-the-job training		127	102
29-2056	Veterinary Technologists and Technicians	906	1,121	211	23.7%	\$14.98	4	Associate's degree	None	None		101	38
29-2041	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	3,571	4,409	837	23.5%	\$13.23	3	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	None		324	105
33-2011	Firefighters	3,656	4,425	736	21.0%	\$19.34	3	Postsecondary nondegree award	None	Long-term on-the-job training		339	9
29-2081	Opticians, Dispensing	853	1,074	221	25.9%	\$13.71	1	High school diploma or equivalent	None	Long-term on-the-job training		90	6

Source: Oklahoma Works