

Table 4: WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA DC-VA-MD-WV METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA fastest growing industries, 2018 and projected 2028*

Industry	Employment		Change		Annual
	2018	2028	Numeric	Percent (%)	Growth Rate (%)
Total, All Industries	3,491,804	3,783,902	292,098	8.37	0.81
Utility System Construction	8,260	11,307	3,047	36.89	3.19
Other Information Services	8,370	10,978	2,608	31.16	2.75
Transit and Ground Passenger Transportation	9,654	12,501	2,847	29.49	2.62
Nonstore Retailers	4,794	6,138	1,344	28.04	2.50
Medical and Diagnostic Laboratories	6,885	8,679	1,794	26.06	2.34
Computer Systems Design and Related Services	164,308	204,631	40,323	24.54	2.22
Home Health Care Services	27,129	33,716	6,587	24.28	2.20
Offices of Physicians	45,084	55,943	10,859	24.09	2.18
Inland Water Transportation	528	646	118	22.35	2.04
Facilities Support Services	9,459	11,556	2,097	22.17	2.02
Securities, Commodity Contracts, and Other Financial Investments and Related Activities	14,052	17,138	3,086	21.96	2.01
Social Assistance	58,339	70,912	12,573	21.55	1.97
Heavy and Civil Engineering Construction	19,152	23,253	4,101	21.41	1.96
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	53,631	64,828	11,197	20.88	1.91
Ambulatory Health Care Services	135,521	163,379	27,858	20.56	1.89
Other Miscellaneous Store Retailers	5,046	6,073	1,027	20.35	1.87
Other Schools and Instruction	15,040	18,101	3,061	20.35	1.87
Educational Support Services	7,970	9,581	1,611	20.21	1.86
Scenic and Sightseeing Transportation, Land	850	1,019	169	19.88	1.83
Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services	95,920	114,858	18,938	19.74	1.82
Support Activities for Transportation	8,538	10,216	1,678	19.65	1.81
Office Administrative Services	15,141	17,978	2,837	18.74	1.73
Investigation and Security Services	34,983	41,521	6,538	18.69	1.73
Offices of Dentists	19,960	23,680	3,720	18.64	1.72
Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services	31,854	37,721	5,867	18.42	1.70
Specialty Trade Contractors	99,214	115,719	16,505	16.64	1.55
Other Ambulatory Health Care Services	2,369	2,763	394	16.63	1.55

Note: *WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA DC-VA-MD-WV METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA Long-Term Industry and Occupational Projections, 2018 - 2028

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