

TABLE 6: WASHINGTON-ARLINGTON-ALEXANDRIA DC-VA-MD-WV METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA Long-Term projections by major occupational groups, 2016 and projected 2026*

Soccode	Occupational Title	Employment Projections						Occupational Separations,			Annual Total	Annual Wage**
		2016		2026		Change 2016-2026		2016-2026, annual average				
		Share (%)	Share (%)	Numeric	Percent (%)	Labor Force	Occupational	Annual	Change	Openings		
00-0000	Total, All Occupations	3,485,960	100.0	3,779,411	100.0	293,451	8.42	155,028	215,819	29,345	400,192	\$52,270
11-0000	Management Occupations	381,982	11.0	409,666	10.8	27,684	7.25	10,374	19,818	2,768	32,960	\$130,980
13-0000	Business and Financial Operations Occupations	390,205	11.2	428,269	11.3	38,064	9.75	12,259	23,658	3,806	39,723	\$85,870
15-0000	Computer and Mathematical Occupations	210,142	6.0	238,636	6.3	28,494	13.56	3,946	10,659	2,849	17,454	\$102,730
17-0000	Architecture and Engineering Occupations	64,093	1.8	68,110	1.8	4,017	6.27	1,622	2,950	402	4,974	\$96,570
19-0000	Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations	76,223	2.2	80,571	2.1	4,348	5.70	1,849	4,781	435	7,065	\$96,650
21-0000	Community and Social Service Occupations	56,522	1.6	64,345	1.7	7,823	13.84	2,388	4,057	782	7,227	\$53,540
23-0000	Legal Occupations	108,676	3.1	118,467	3.1	9,791	9.01	2,548	3,298	979	6,825	\$130,690
25-0000	Education, Training, and Library Occupations	79,638	2.3	89,520	2.4	9,882	12.41	3,921	3,576	988	8,485	\$57,900
27-0000	Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations	132,740	3.8	142,701	3.8	9,961	7.50	4,751	8,033	996	13,780	\$68,160
29-0000	Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations	123,599	3.5	142,685	3.8	19,086	15.44	3,381	3,347	1,909	8,637	\$76,900
31-0000	Healthcare Support Occupations	69,178	2.0	92,065	2.4	22,887	33.08	4,683	4,238	2,289	11,210	\$30,720
33-0000	Protective Service Occupations	156,959	4.5	165,447	4.4	8,488	5.41	7,478	8,622	849	16,949	\$50,640
35-0000	Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations	245,411	7.0	269,079	7.1	23,668	9.64	18,983	23,946	2,367	45,296	\$22,760
37-0000	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations	142,744	4.1	157,923	4.2	15,179	10.63	9,542	9,357	1,518	20,417	\$27,130
39-0000	Personal Care and Service Occupations	129,443	3.7	152,135	4.0	22,692	17.53	10,323	10,000	2,269	22,592	\$25,390
41-0000	Sales and Related Occupations	273,029	7.8	283,612	7.5	10,583	3.88	16,998	21,602	1,058	39,658	\$28,850
43-0000	Office and Administrative Support Occupations	399,011	11.4	397,034	10.5	-1,977	-0.50	20,777	23,522	-198	44,101	\$40,330
45-0000	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations	4,146	0.1	4,185	0.1	39	0.94	152	458	4	614	\$32,640
47-0000	Construction and Extraction Occupations	173,560	5.0	192,408	5.1	18,848	10.86	6,468	11,994	1,885	20,347	\$45,070
49-0000	Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations	86,186	2.5	92,289	2.4	6,103	7.08	3,145	5,412	610	9,167	\$51,800
51-0000	Production Occupations	56,775	1.6	55,310	1.5	-1,465	-2.58	2,706	3,533	-146	6,093	\$36,330
53-0000	Transportation and Material Moving Occupations	125,698	3.6	134,954	3.6	9,256	7.36	6,733	8,957	926	16,616	\$33,930

Notes: *Washington-Arlington-Alexandria DC-VA-MD-WV Metropolitan Statistical Area Industry and Occupational Projections, 2016 - 2026

**Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Employment Statistics (OES), May 2016 OES survey

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