

Occupational & Industry Projections

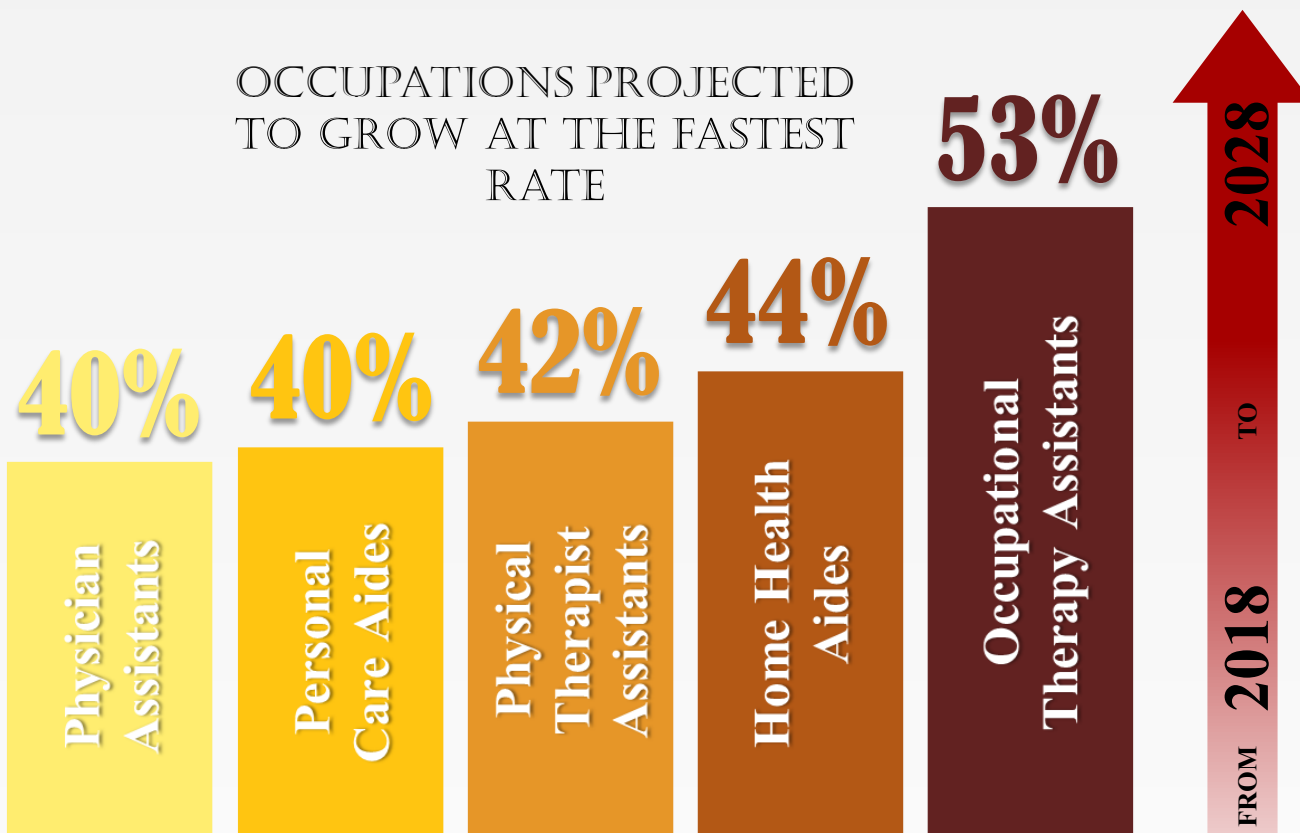


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OCCUPATIONS PROJECTED
TO GROW AT THE FASTEST
RATE



Maryland's Industry and Occupational Projections

Projections are developed in the Office of Workforce Information and Performance and provide an overview of expected changes in the economy.

Short-Term Projections: A 2-year estimation on Maryland's economy. Short-term projections are produced by industry and occupation.

Long-Term Projections: A 10-year estimation on Maryland's and its Local Workforce Development Areas' economy. Long-term projections are produced by industry and occupation.

Projections estimates employment change (job creation), job exits and transfers (jobs available due to a worker permanently leaving the workforce or a worker leaving a job for another), and total openings (employment change + job exits and transfers).

WHO USES PROJECTIONS DATA?

- | Employers
- | Economic development specialists
- | Researchers
- | Jobseekers and employment specialists
- | Entrepreneurs
- | Educators and training specialists

HOW IS PROJECTIONS DATA USED?

- | State workforce agencies to plan future training needs
- | Analyze future industry and occupational needs
- | Aiding workforce recruiters on what industries or occupations are in need of more labor force
- | Researchers analyzing industry and occupational supply and demand

WHERE CAN I GET THE DATA AND HOW OFTEN IS IT UPDATED?

- | Projections data is available by state and workforce region, long and short-term at:
 - | <http://www.labor.maryland.gov/lmi/iandoproj/>
 - | <http://www.bls.gov/emp/>
 - | <http://www.projectionscentral.com/>
- | Short-term projections are updated every winter and long-term projections are updated during the summer months on alternating years