

TOP 50 EMPLOYERS HIRING

1. Sentara Healthcare	16. CSRA	29. Birmingham Green	43. Healthcare Traveler
2. U.S. Navy	17. Leidos	30. CVS Health	44. Uniplus Consultants
3. U.S. Marine Corps	18. Dick's Sporting Goods	31. Syapps LLC	45. U.S. General Services Administration
4. Lowe's Companies	19. Sheetz	32. General Dynamics	46. Wells Fargo
5. Lockheed Martin Corp.	20. The Home Depot	33. Ventech Solutions Inc.	47. Safeway Inc.
6. Booz Allen Hamilton Inc.	21. Northern Virginia Community College	34. Sears	48. Sotera Defense Solutions
7. Micron Technology	22. Amazon	35. Cabelas	49. BJ's Restaurants
8. BAE Systems	23. Strayer University	36. Reinhart Foodservice	50. Burlington
9. Best Buy	24. George Mason University	37. Live Nation Worldwide	
10. Mantech International	25. Gainesville Health & Rehab Center	38. Boston Market	
11. Food Lion	26. ATCC	39. CACI	
12. Northrop Grumman	27. United States Foods	40. Mutual of Omaha	
13. Wegmans	28. Harris Teeter	41. Phacil Incorporated	
14. Aurora Flight Sciences		42. Obsidian Solutions Group	
15. Advantage Sales & Marketing			



Industry

Industry	Number Employed	Average Salary	Annual Growth
Retail Trade	25,727	\$29,535	1.2%
Construction	20,295	\$56,183	2.0%
Educational Services	19,512	\$46,386	1.5%
Health Care and Social Assistance	18,962	\$47,749	2.8%
Accommodation and Food Services	16,868	\$18,268	1.6%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	14,546	\$86,803	2.2%
Administrative, Support and Waste Management	9,975	\$37,472	1.8%
Other Services	8,950	\$32,727	1.5%
Public Administration	8,703	\$89,153	1.1%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	4,485	\$30,134	1.8%
Manufacturing	4,411	\$72,238	-0.1%
Transportation and Warehousing	4,238	\$47,987	1.5%
Wholesale Trade	3,763	\$64,212	1.2%
Finance and Insurance	2,770	\$71,451	1.5%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	2,591	\$52,318	1.6%
Information	1,659	\$68,787	1.2%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	926	\$75,884	1.4%
Utilities	664	\$85,748	1.2%
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	240	\$21,774	1.6%
Mining, Quarrying, Oil and Gas Extraction	101	\$77,489	0.3%

Population:
512,608

Average Wage:
\$48,370

Number of Jobs:
169,946

Number of Jobs Advertised,
last 12 months:
21,988

Unemployment rate:
(February 2018)
3.1%

TOP JOBS ADVERTISED IN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

- Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers
- Retail Salespersons
- Registered Nurses
- Software Developers, Applications
- Retail Sales Supervisors
- Sales Representatives, Wholesale and Manufacturing
- Information Security Analysts
- Customer Service Representatives
- Managers, All Other
- Computer User Support Specialists
- Food Preparation and Serving Workers
- Network and Computer Systems Administrators
- Computer Systems Engineers/Architects
- Food Service Managers
- Secretaries and Administrative Assistants
- Maintenance and Repair Workers, General
- Management Analysts
- Merchandise Displayers
- Cashiers
- Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers
- Stock Clerks, Sales Floor
- Human Resources Specialists
- Licensed Practical and Vocational Nurses
- Intelligence Analysts
- Medical and Health Services Managers



Computer Systems Design and Related Services



Restaurants and Other Eating Places



Building Equipment Contractors



Specialty Trade Contractors



Management Consulting Services

COMPETITIVE INDUSTRIES

TOP SKILLS DESIRED

Specialized Skills	Baseline Skills	Software and Programming Skills
Customer Service	Communication skills	Microsoft Office
Sales	Planning	LINUX
Team Work	Problem Solving	Software Development
Scheduling	Organizational Skills	SQL
Retail Industry Knowledge	Writing	Java
Customer Contact	Research	UNIX
Repair	Detail-Oriented	Python
Budgeting	Computer Skills	Microsoft Sharepoint
Product Sales	Troubleshooting	C++
Merchandising	Multi-Tasking	Software Engineering

Average Commute Time:

38.9 Min

Cost of Living Index:

146.0

Labor Force Participation:

73.1%

Educational Attainment, Associate's Degree or Higher:

46.7%