

# IDAHO'S HOT JOBS - 2020-2030

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**HOT JOBS** are those that on average rank high in three major criteria — abundance of jobs in the economy, jobs that are growing the fastest and jobs with the highest pay.

For more detailed information on the rankings and occupational data, including a list of the Top 100 Idaho "Hot Jobs," visit our website at [www.lmi.idaho.gov](http://www.lmi.idaho.gov).

Rank	Occupation / Required Degree	Annual Growth (# of Jobs)	Growth Rate	Median Wage
1	<b>CONSTRUCTION MANAGERS</b> Bachelor's degree	943	35.4%	\$37.05
2	<b>1ST-LINE SUPERVISORS OF CONSTRUCTION, TRADES &amp; EXTRACTION WORKERS</b> High school diploma or equivalent	1,755	39.0%	\$28.91
3	<b>HAZARDOUS MATERIALS REMOVAL WORKERS</b> High school diploma or equivalent	327	46.8%	\$17.89
4	<b>DENTAL HYGIENISTS</b> Associate degree	561	27.4%	\$37.24
5	<b>COST ESTIMATORS</b> Bachelor's degree	476	34.7%	\$29.64
6	<b>ELECTRICIANS</b> High school diploma or equivalent	1,629	31.4%	\$23.28
7	<b>REGISTERED NURSES</b> Bachelor's degree	2,050	19.9%	\$36.32
8	<b>ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERS</b> Bachelor's degree	174	34.7%	\$48.13
9	<b>PHYSICAL THERAPISTS</b> Doctoral or professional degree	427	24.1%	\$38.63
10	<b>SALES ENGINEERS</b> Bachelor's degree	99	35.5%	\$47.65

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<b>11</b>	<b>PLUMBERS, PIPEFITTERS AND STEAMFITTERS</b> High school diploma or equivalent	<b>628</b>	<b>30.3%</b>	<b>\$22.94</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>MEDICAL &amp; HEALTH SERVICES MANAGER</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>416</b>	<b>17.5%</b>	<b>\$49.96</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERS</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>226</b>	<b>21.6%</b>	<b>\$38.16</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>CARPENTERS</b> High school diploma or equivalent	<b>5,460</b>	<b>44.7%</b>	<b>\$18.19</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>195</b>	<b>22.8%</b>	<b>\$60.55</b>
<b>16</b>	<b>SOFTWARE DEVELOPERS AND SOFTWARE QUALITY ASSURANCE ANALYSTS AND TESTERS</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>669</b>	<b>15.9%</b>	<b>\$45.69*</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>CEMENT MASONS AND CONCRETE FINISHERS</b> No formal education required	<b>966</b>	<b>36.1%</b>	<b>\$20.78</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>FAMILY MEDICINE PHYSICIANS</b> Doctoral or professional degree	<b>257</b>	<b>21.3%</b>	<b>\$100+ **</b>
<b>19</b>	<b>HEATING, AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION MECHANICS AND INSTALLERS</b> Postsecondary nondegree award	<b>1,022</b>	<b>30.9%</b>	<b>\$22.58</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>CIVIL ENGINEERS</b> Bachelor's degree	<b>424</b>	<b>17.3%</b>	<b>\$38.16</b>

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