Projected Occupational Shortages 2017-2020: Minnesota

Top 5 Occupations Most at Risk of Labor Shortages, 2017-2020

#1 Health Technologists and Technicians
#2 Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners
#3 Engineers
#4 Advertising, Marketing, PR, and Sales Managers
#5 Computer Occupations

Relative Size of Occupational Shortage

Health Technologists and Technicians is projected to be the most at risk for labor shortages in Minnesota. Computer Occupations is projected to experience about 41 percent of the shortage of Health Technologists and Technicians.

Percentage of Projected Job Postings (Demand)

Computer Occupations accounts for 11.1 percent of Minnesota’s projected job openings.

Percentage of 50+ in Each Occupation Currently

Health Diagnosing and Treating Practitioners currently has the highest percentage of 50+ workers among shortage occupations in Minnesota (4.4%).