

Iowa Statewide Long-Term Industry Projections: 2008-2018

Iowa's top 15 industries expected to create the most jobs during the 2008-2018 time period are primarily in the Health Care and Social Assistance industry, 39,695 jobs. The industries shown below will create 143,040 of the 174,980 job's Iowa's economy is expected to generate over the 2008-2018 projection period.

Iowa's Industries with the Most Growth 2008-2018

Industry	Total Growth	Percent Change
Educational Services	19,015	11.4%
Ambulatory Health Care Services	14,615	30.0%
Administrative and Support Services	14,230	22.7%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	13,900	32.6%
Nursing and Residential Care Facilities	10,440	19.8%
Self Employed and Unpaid Family Workers	10,125	7.3%
Food Services and Drinking Places	9,645	10.0%
Specialty Trade Contractors	9,505	20.9%
Social Assistance	7,585	28.3%
Hospitals	7,055	11.0%
Truck Transportation	6,645	21.9%
Insurance Carriers and Related Activities	6,565	14.8%
Credit Intermediation and Related Activities	6,175	15.1%
Internet Service Providers, Web Search	3,785	50.7%
General Merchandise Stores	3,755	10.9%

Iowa's 16 industries with the largest job decline for the 2008-2018 time period are primarily in Manufacturing, -3,935 jobs. The industries shown below have a total job loss of -8,180 out of the state's total job loss of -8,435 for the 2008-2018 projection period.

Iowa's Industries with the Most Decline 2008-2018

Industry	Total Growth	Percent Change
Postal Service	-1,125	-12.6%
Electrical Equipment, Appliance and Component Manufacturing	-1,085	-13.9%
Printing and Related Support Activities	-870	-10.6%
Merchant Wholesalers, Nondurable Goods	-745	-2.4%
Telecommunications	-650	-6.9%
Utilities	-520	-7.3%
Plastics and Rubber Products	-495	-4.1%
Clothing and Clothing Accessories Stores	-470	-4.0%
Paper Manufacturing	-460	-10.9%
Apparel Manufacturing	-425	-28.9%
Fabricated Metal Manufacturing	-370	-1.8%
Publishing Industries	-315	-2.8%
Textile Product Mills	-230	-35.1%
Food and Beverage Stores	-190	-0.5%
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	-115	-1.3%
State Government, Excluding Education and Hospitals	-115	-0.5%

Source: Labor Force and Occupational Analysis Bureau, Iowa Workforce Development