Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program



The Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program (VRRAP) provides training towards an Associate's Degree, Non-College Degree, or Certificate that leads to a high demand occupation, as determined by the Department of Labor.

The American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 requires the Commissioner of Labor Statistics to compile a list of high-demand occupations for use in the COVID-19 Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program.

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Management Occupations

- 1. Chief executives
- 2. General and operations managers
- 3. Legislators
- 4. Marketing managers
- 5. Sales managers
- 6. Public relations and fundraising managers
- 7. Administrative services and facilities managers
- 8. Computer and information systems managers
- 9. Financial managers
- 10. Industrial production managers
- 11. Human resources managers
- 12. Training and development managers
- 13. Construction managers
- 14. Education administrators, all other
- 15. Architectural and engineering managers
- 16. Medical and health services managers
- 17. Natural sciences managers
- 18. Social and community service managers
- 19. Emergency management directors
- 20. Personal service managers, all other; entertainment and recreation managers, except gambling; and managers, all other

Business and Financial Operations Occupations

- 21. Agents and business managers of artists, performers, and athletes
- 22. Buyers and purchasing agents
- 23. Claims adjusters, examiners, and investigators
- 24. Compliance officers
- 25. Cost estimators
- 26. Human resources specialists
- 27. Logisticians
- 28. Management analysts
- 29. Meeting, convention, and event planners
- 30. Fundraisers
- 31. Compensation, benefits, and job analysis specialists
- 32. Training and development specialists
- 33. Market research analysts and marketing specialists
- 34. Project management specialists and business operations specialists, all other
- 35. Accountants and auditors

- 36. Personal financial advisors
- 37. Financial examiners
- 38. Credit counselors
- 39. Loan officers
- 40. Financial and investment analysts, financial risk specialists, and financial specialists, all other

Computer and Mathematical Occupations

- 41. Computer systems analysts
- 42. Information security analysts
- 43. Computer network support specialists
- 44. Computer user support specialists
- 45. Computer network architects
- 46. Network and computer systems administrators
- 47. Database administrators and architects
- 48. Computer programmers
- 49. Software developers and software quality assurance analysts and testers
- 50. Web developers and digital interface designers
- 51. Computer occupations, all other
- 52. Actuaries
- 53. Operations research analysts
- 54. Data scientists and mathematical science occupations, all other

Architecture and Engineering Occupations

- 55. Cartographers and photogrammetrists
- 56. Bioengineers and biomedical engineers
- 57. Chemical engineers
- 58. Civil engineers
- 59. Electrical engineers
- 60. Health and safety engineers, except mining safety engineers and inspectors
- 61. Industrial engineers
- 62. Mechanical engineers
- 63. Mining and geological engineers, including mining safety engineers
- 64. Engineers, all other
- 65. Aerospace engineering and operations technologists and technicians
- 66. Electrical and electronic engineering technologists and technicians
- 67. Environmental engineering technologists and technicians

Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations

- 68. Animal scientists
- 69. Food scientists and technologists
- 70. Soil and plant scientists
- 71. Zoologists and wildlife biologists
- 72. Conservation scientists
- 73. Foresters
- 74. Life scientists, all other
- 75. Atmospheric and space scientists
- 76. Chemists
- 77. Environmental scientists and specialists, including health
- 78. Geoscientists, except hydrologists and geographers
- 79. Hydrologists
- 80. Agricultural and food science technicians
- 81. Biological technicians
- 82. Environmental science and protection technicians, including health
- 83. Geological and hydrologic technicians
- 84. Social science research assistants
- 85. Forensic science technicians
- 86. Life, physical, and social science technicians, all other
- 87. Occupational health and safety specialists

Community and Social Service Occupations

- 88. Substance abuse, behavioral disorder, and mental health counselors
- 89. Child, family, and school social workers
- 90. Social workers, all other
- 91. Health education specialists
- 92. Probation officers and correctional treatment specialists
- 93. Community and social service specialists, all other
- 94. Clergy
- 95. Directors, religious activities, and education

Legal Occupations

- 96. Arbitrators, mediators, and conciliators
- 97. Paralegals and legal assistants

Educational Instruction and Library Occupations

- 98. Preschool teachers, except special education
- 99. Kindergarten teachers, except special education
- 100. Elementary school teachers, except special education
- 101. Middle school teachers, except special and career/technical education
- 102. Secondary school teachers, except special and career/technical education
- 103. Special education teachers, preschool
- 104. Special education teachers, kindergarten and elementary school
- 105. Special education teachers, secondary school
- 106. Special education teachers, all other
- 107. Substitute teachers, short-term
- 108. Tutors and teachers and instructors, all other
- 109. Museum technicians and conservators
- 110. Librarians and media collections specialists
- 111. Library technicians
- 112. Teaching assistants, postsecondary
- 113. Teaching assistants, except postsecondary
- 114. Educational instruction and library workers, all other

Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations

- 115. Special effects artists and animators
- 116. Graphic designers
- 117. Producers and directors
- 118. Coaches and scouts
- 119. Choreographers
- 120. Public relations specialists
- 121. Technical writers
- 122. Writers and authors
- 123. Interpreters and translators
- 124. Court reporters and simultaneous captioners
- 125. Audio and video technicians
- 126. Sound engineering technicians
- 127. Camera operators, television, video, and film
- 128. Film and video editors

Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations

129. Dietitians and nutritionists

- 130. Radiation therapists
- 131. Recreational therapists
- 132. Respiratory therapists
- 133. Exercise physiologists
- 134. Therapists, all other
- 135. Registered nurses
- 136. Dental hygienists
- 137. Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians
- 138. Cardiovascular technologists and technicians
- 139. Diagnostic medical sonographers
- 140. Nuclear medicine technologists
- 141. Radiologic technologists and technicians
- 142. Magnetic resonance imaging technologists
- 143. Emergency medical technicians and paramedics
- 144. Dietetic technicians
- 145. Psychiatric technicians
- 146. Surgical technologists
- 147. Veterinary technologists and technicians
- 148. Ophthalmic medical technicians
- 149. Licensed practical and licensed vocational nurses
- 150. Opticians, dispensing
- 151. Medical dosimetrists, medical records specialists, and health technologists and technicians, all other
- 152. Athletic trainers
- 153. Health information technologists, medical registrars, surgical assistants, and healthcare practitioners and technical workers, all other

Healthcare Support Occupations

- 154. Nursing assistants
- 155. Occupational therapy assistants
- 156. Physical therapist assistants
- 157. Massage therapists
- 158. Dental assistants
- 159. Medical assistants
- 160. Phlebotomists

Protective Service Occupations

161. First-line supervisors of firefighting and prevention workers

- 162. Firefighters
- 163. Fire inspectors and investigators

Personal Care and Service Occupations

- 164. Barbers
- 165. Hairdressers, hairstylists, and cosmetologists
- 166. Makeup artists, theatrical and performance
- 167. Manicurists and pedicurists
- 168. Skincare specialists

Sales and Related Occupations

- 169. Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents
- 170. Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing, technical and scientific products
- 171. Sales engineers

Office and Administrative Support Occupations

- 172. Bookkeeping, accounting, and auditing clerks
- 173. Court, municipal, and license clerks
- 174. Order clerks
- 175. Human resources assistants, except payroll and timekeeping
- 176. Statistical assistants

Construction and Extraction Occupations

- 177. Carpenters
- 178. Electricians
- 179. Glaziers
- 180. Insulation workers, mechanical
- 181. Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters
- 182. Reinforcing iron and rebar workers
- 183. Sheet metal workers
- 184. Structural iron and steel workers
- 185. Elevator and escalator installers and repairers
- 186. Earth drillers, except oil and gas; and explosives workers, ordnance handling experts, and blasters

Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations

187. Computer, automated teller, and office machine repairers

- 188. Radio, cellular, and tower equipment installers and repairers
- 189. Telecommunications equipment installers and repairers, except line installers
- 190. Avionics technicians
- 191. Aircraft mechanics and service technicians
- 192. Automotive body and related repairers193. Automotive service technicians and
- mechanics 194. Bus and truck mechanics and diesel engine
- specialists 195. Mobile heavy equipment mechanics, except
- engines
- 196. Recreational vehicle service technicians
- 197. Heating, air conditioning, and refrigeration mechanics and installers
- 198. Industrial machinery mechanics
- 199. Maintenance workers, machinery
- 200. Millwrights
- 201. Telecommunications line installers and repairers
- 202. Medical equipment repairers
- 203. Wind turbine service technicians
- 204. Commercial divers

Production Occupations

205. Machinists

206. Computer numerically controlled tool programmers

Transportation and Material Moving Occupations

207. Airfield operations specialists

208. Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers