


Postsecondary: Utah

The majority of the credentials earned by postsecondary students are Licenses and Certifications, credentials that are more likely to be directly be requested by employers.

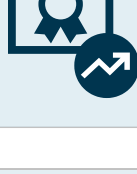
The differences in the types of credentials that K-12 and postsecondary students earn highlight an opportunity for states to align secondary and postsecondary offerings and to prioritize the credentials that carry the most value in the labor market.

Postsecondary Date Range: 2018-19


Key Indicators



Total Credentials Earned
925



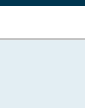
Total Credentials Earned in Demand
615 (67%)

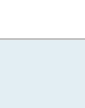


Top 5 Career Clusters for Students Concentrating in CTE

1. Information Technology	5,169 (18%)
2. Business Management & Administration	5,149 (18%)
3. Health Science	4,367 (15%)
4. Arts, Audio/Video Technology & Communications	2,979 (11%)
5. Architecture & Construction	2,841 (10%)

Are the credentials students earn in postsecondary aligned with jobs demanded in the workforce?


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Top Credentials by Demand		Credentials Demanded
1. Microsoft Office Specialist		40,690
2. NCLEX - Registered Nurse		16,256
3. Commercial Driver's License		13,443
4. Certified Medical Assistant	#3 IN SUPPLY	3,179
5. Adobe Certified Associate		2,716
6. Adobe Certified Expert		2,716
7. Dental Assistant		1,908
8. QuickBooks Certified User		1,778
9. Certified Clinical Medical Assistant		1,623
10. Licensed Practical Nurse		1,513

Sources: Burning Glass Technologies and state education agencies

Credential Explorer

How do I read this table? 

Credential	Credential Type	Credentials	
		Demanded	Earned
AAPC Certified Professional Coder	Certification	127	13
AWS Certified Welder	Certification	242	323
Automotive Service Excellence Certification	Certification	1,167	2
Certified Medical Assistant	Certification	3,179	104
Certified Phlebotomy Technician	Certification	0	36
CompTIA A+	Certification	1,031	145
CompTIA Linux+	Certification	3	2
CompTIA Network+	Certification	75	27
CompTIA Security+	Certification	1,036	15
CompTIA Server+	Certification	0	1
CompTIA Strata	Certification	0	69
EPA Section 608 Technician Certification	Certification	6	2
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Interconnecting Cisco Networking Devices, Part 1	Certification	0	1
Interconnecting Cisco Networking Devices, Part 2	Certification	0	1
Microsoft Certified Solutions Associate	Certification	42	3
Microsoft Technology Associate	Certification	34	72
NBSTA - Certification of Surgical Technologists	Certification	0	22
Utah Firefighter 1 Certification	Certification	4	21
Utah Firefighter 2 Certification	Certification	0	23
Utah Hazardous Materials	Certification	0	41
AHIMA Certified Coding Specialist	Certification	58	0
APCO International - Emergency Medical Dispatch	Certification	55	0
ARRT - Nuclear Medicine Technology	Certification	7	0
ARRT - Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonographer	Certification	3	0
ASCP - Board of Certification	Certification	68	0
ASQ - Six Sigma Green Belt Certificate	Certification	3	0
Adobe Certified Associate	Software	2,716	0
Adobe Certified Expert	Software	2,716	0
American Culinary Federation Certification	Certification	0	0
Associate Certified Electronics Technician	Certification	3	0
Autodesk Certified Professional	Software	894	0
Autodesk Certified User	Software	894	0
Certified Clinical Medical Assistant	Certification	1,624	0
Certified Dental Technician	Certification	14	0
Certified Personal Trainer	Certification	130	0
Certified Pharmacy Technician	Certification	783	0
Certified Registered Central Service Technician	Certification	2	0
Certified Respiratory Therapist	Certification	54	0
Child Development Associate Credential	Certification	85	0
Cisco Certified Entry Network Technician	Certification	8	0
Cisco Certified Network Associate	Certification	687	0
Commercial Driver's License	License	13,444	0
CompTIA CDIA+	Certification	2	0
CompTIA Cloud+	Certification	1	0
Dental Assistant	License	1,909	0
Dental Hygienist	License	548	0
EC Council - Certified Ethical Hacker	Certification	28	0
EMT / Paramedic License	License	534	0
EPA HVAC Certification	Certification	38	0
ETS ParaPro Assessment	CTE Assessment	117	0
FAA A&P Aviation and Maintenance Technician	Certification	98	0
FAA Private Pilot	Certification	2	0
ICAR Certification	Certification	62	0
Licensed Practical Nurse	License	1,514	0
Medical Laboratory Technician	Certification	3	0
Microsoft Office Specialist	Software	40,690	0
NASM Certified Personal Trainer	Certification	7	0
NATE Certification	Certification	22	0
NCBTMB - Certification in Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork	Certification	16	0
NCCCO Certification	Certification	2	0
NCCER - Electrical	Certification	6	0
NCCER - Heavy Equipment Operations	Certification	0	0
NCLEX - Registered Nurse	License	16,257	0
NIMS Machining	Certification	0	0
NOCTI Job Ready Assessment - Cabinetmaking	CTE Assessment	2	0
Oracle Certified Associate	Certification	7	0
Physical Therapist Assistant	Certification	5	0
QuickBooks Certified User	Software	1,779	0
Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonographer	License	561	0
ServSafe Certification (Manager/Food Handler/Allergens/Alcohol)	Certification	776	0

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