

Massachusetts

State Summary

VISA CATEGORY	TOTAL APPLICATIONS PROCESSED	TOTAL APPLICATIONS CERTIFIED	TOTAL POSITIONS REQUESTED	TOTAL POSITIONS CERTIFIED	% OF TOTAL CERTIFIED APPLICATIONS	% OF TOTAL CERTIFIED POSITIONS	AVERAGE WAGE OFFER/AEWR
PERM	2505	2285	2505	2285	3.65%	3.65%	\$104,104.92
H-1B	19,640	17,562	35,301	33,473	3.79%	7.23%	\$79,934.04
H-2B	302	285	2,880	2,798	6.14%	2.99%	\$26,858.34
H-2A	116	115	435	432	1.26%	0.37%	\$11.22

Top Three Cities

PERMANENT LABOR (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)			H-1B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)		
City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Boston	460	\$108,916.92	Boston	9,668	\$78,365.98
Woburn	232	\$107,713.20	Cambridge	2,257	\$80,971.75
Cambridge	203	\$108,359.25	Waltham	1,540	\$83,883.10
H-2B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)			H-2A (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)		
City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	City Name	Positions Certified	AEWR
Nantucket	596	\$28,753.28	Lunenburg	36	\$11.26
Provincetown	291	\$26,083.20	Groton	28	\$11.26
East Harwich	137	\$25,477.03	Sterling	27	\$11.26

Top Five Occupations/Agricultural Commodities

PERMANENT LABOR			H-1B		
Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Software Developers, Applications	900	\$104,644.05	Computer Systems Analysts	7,436	\$75,955.18
Computer Systems Analysts	256	\$99,307.76	Software Developers, Applications	3,548	\$92,023.12
Software Developers, Systems Software	120	\$109,430.96	Computer Programmers	3,482	\$65,603.52
Computer and Information Systems Managers	59	\$136,469.92	Computer Occupations, All Other	3,308	\$75,802.87
Electronics Engineers, Except Computer	57	\$108,471.50	Accountants and Auditors	1,757	\$103,392.10
H-2B			H-2A		
Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	Occupation	Positions Certified	AEWR
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	672	\$25,523.46	Apples	181	\$11.22
Food Preparation Workers	220	\$23,697.60	Fruits and Vegetables	145	\$11.22
Cooks, Restaurant	217	\$29,351.92	Tobacco	33	\$11.22
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	217	\$30,388.80	Nursery and Greenhouse Workers	20	\$11.22
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers	215	\$28,713.24	Tomatoes	10	\$11.22