

# South Dakota

## 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	54	35	54	35	0.06%	0.06%	\$123,365.78
H-1B	277	259	492	479	0.06%	0.10%	\$86,417.39
H-2B	82	70	1,201	1,019	1.51%	1.09%	\$22,583.98
H-2A	140	133	722	656	1.45%	0.56%	\$13.41

## 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
Sioux Falls	14	\$187,333.61	Sioux Falls	343	\$88,086.30
Aberdeen	7	\$199,173.33	Brookings	26	\$55,777.77
Vermillion	3	\$63,236.67	Pierre	16	\$98,183.13
H-2B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)			H-2A (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)		
City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	City Name	Positions Certified	AEWR
Arlington	259	\$27,055.60	Ortley	49	\$13.59
Sioux Falls	233	\$21,257.60	Elkton	36	\$13.59
Aberdeen	90	\$26,031.20	Roscoe	33	\$13.59

## Top Five Occupations/Agricultural Commodities

PERMANENT LABOR			H-1B		
Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Internists, General	8	\$206,000.00	Computer Systems Analysts	169	\$60,716.35
Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	5	\$302,500.00	Computer Programmers	66	\$63,531.81
Software Developers, Applications	3	\$80,085.52	Software Developers, Applications	26	\$75,581.13
Medical and Health Services Managers	2	\$57,512.00	Web Developers	16	\$63,550.00
Business Teachers, Postsecondary	1	\$72,000.00	Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	15	\$51,000.00
H-2B			H-2A		
Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer	Occupation	Positions Certified	AEWR
Construction Laborers	431	\$26,633.24	Grains	234	\$13.41
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	140	\$18,614.40	Construction Livestock Building	96	\$13.41
Food Preparation Workers	102	\$18,364.09	Bees	77	\$13.41
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	85	\$22,815.00	Agricultural Equipment Operators	75	\$13.41
Structural Iron and Steel Workers	60	\$33,820.80	Livestock	64	\$13.41