

Iowa

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	333	303	333	303	0.38%	0.38%	\$49.56
H-1B	3,193	2,901	6,094	5,858	0.53%	0.50%	\$76,967.88
H-2B	31	20	272	211	0.39%	0.21%	\$27,114.88
H-2A	87	81	1,497	1,361	0.81%	0.97%	\$12.62

Top Three Cities

PERMANENT LABOR (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Cedar Rapids	55	\$44.02
Iowa City	50	\$61.30
Clive	33	\$39.61

H-1B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Des Moines	1,898	\$70,382.01
Cedar Rapids	1,643	\$74,600.67
Iowa City	363	\$85,066.55

H-2B (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Algona	49	\$31,543.20
Decorah	27	\$28,946.67
Graettinger	25	\$24,273.60

H-2A (BY POSITIONS CERTIFIED)

City Name	Positions Certified	AEWR
Conesville	331	\$12.62
Waterloo	99	\$12.62
Lawler	83	\$12.62

Top Five Occupations/Agricultural Commodities

PERMANENT LABOR

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Software Developers, Applications	87	\$39.10
Software Developers, Systems Software	17	\$38.62
Computer Systems Analysts	16	\$41.42
Physicians and Surgeons, All Other	14	\$127.09
Internists, General	12	\$99.07

H-1B

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Computer Systems Analysts	2,335	\$68,653.27
Computer Programmers	774	\$62,000.60
Software Developers, Applications	561	\$75,815.29
Computer Occupations, All Other	363	\$62,842.45
Software Developers, Systems Software	194	\$84,996.43

H-2B

Occupation	Positions Certified	Average Wage Offer
Construction Laborers	116	\$31,045.16
Helpers—Production Workers	40	\$24,939.20
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	18	\$23,119.20
Agricultural Equipment Operators	12	\$34,049.60
Nonfarm Animal Caretakers	10	\$22,110.40

H-2A

Occupation	Positions Certified	AEWR
Construction of Livestock Buildings	661	\$12.62
Corn	446	\$12.62
Fruits and Vegetables	99	\$12.62
Agricultural Equipment Operators	77	\$12.62
General Farm Workers	30	\$12.62